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SOCHAT SHOWED KEEN NERVE IN HIS BURGLARIOUS WORK

Walked Boldly Up to Store In Daylight and Opened Door With a Key

Broke From the Officer But Halted By Few Revolver Shots

A man who gave his name as Meyer Sochat was arrested by Officer Phillips Sunday morning just as he came out of the store of the Norfolk Clothing Co., on Hancock street. The store had been entered several Saturday nights and this week Officer Phillips was assigned to watch the premises to see if the party would make another visit, and sure enough he did It was about 10.30 Officer Phillips saw a young man walk up to the store, take a key from his pocket, fit it in the lock, open the door and walk in, just as though he owned the place. About 11 o'clock the young man came out and was immediately placed under arrest and the officer started to walk with him to the police station.

When near the junction of Hancock Elm and School streets, the young man broke away from the officer and started to run down Elm street. Officer Phillips gave chase and drawing his revolver he fired three shots at him as he ran. Sochat heard the bullets whizzing by his head and stopped, and was soon again in the custody of the officer. The place where the shooting occurred was nearly opposite Christ church and the worshippers were startled when the shots were fired.

When taken to the police station the young man gave his name as Meyer Sochat, aged 18 years, and his residence as 63 Allen street, Boston. According to the police Sochat is a son of Hayman Sochat who was at one time, one of the proprietors of the store and it is supposed that the young man obtained the key in some manner from his father.

The store has been entered several times of late the last time being Thanksgiving morning when $9 was taken from the cash drawer. All of the burglaries were reported to the police but an examination of the store showed no evidence of a break and the police came to the conclusion that entrance must have been made by false keys. It was for this reason that Officer Phillips was placed on duty to watch the premises.

It appears that the plan of the young man has been to walk boldly up to the store during the daylight and unlock the door with his key and walk in. This is what he did Sunday morning and although there were many people on the street at the time going to church he attracted no attention for those who saw him, naturally supposed he had a right to enter the store.

ELKS HAVE LOST 17 BROTHERS

Impressive But Simple Memorial Service Held

THE ANNUAL TRIBUTE

In compliance with the general laws of the Benevolent and Protective order of Elks, Quincy lodge in common with other lodges throughout the country held a service Sunday in memory of brothers who have been called to the higher lodge above. The exercises were held in the clubhouse on Foster street at 8 o'clock in the evening and were very largely attended. The rooms were decorated for the occasion with large American flags and two large portraits of Frederick W. Tirrell and William J. Coleman, Past Exalted Rulers of Quincy lodge who have passed, were draped in mourning.

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WHO WILL WIN THE QUESTION

Political Prophets Admit Being All at Sea

MAKE NO PREDICTIONS

It is a wise man who can figure out with any degree of certainty the outcome of the mayoralty contest. Not for years has there been such a peculiar contest as there is on this year. While the Progressives cut considerable ice, in the recent state election it is an open question what they will do tomorrow. It is a well-known fact that many of the leaders in this party were opposed to taking any active part, as a party, in the municipal election but the caucus, at which less than 100 voted, decided to enter the campaign and placed candidates in nomination.

This caucus was a memorable one the likes of which have never before been seen in Quincy. That the caucus was not unanimous in its choice of a candidate for Mayor was evident by the several ballots that were necessary, although once the nomination was made, it was made unanimous. Mayor Stone had quite a large following at the caucus and it is quite certain that many of the so called Progressives will support him tomorrow.

It is hardly necessary to tell the citizens that the three candidates are Mayor Eugene R. Stone, Republican,

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MAYORALTY CANDIDATES

Occupied Seats on Stage at Big No-License Rally

EARNEST APPEALS MADE

President Cummings of the No-License league faced a large gathering in Music hall as he sounded the battle cry Sunday evening for the people of Quincy to vote and continue the city in the no license Column. Many women were in attendance. Simultaneously, rallies were held in other parts of the city with good results.

Seated on the platform were Mayor Eugene R. Stone, James H. Penniman, and John L. Miller, candidates for mayor; George H. Sidelinger an officer of the league and A. F. Bromley of the Y. M. C. A.

Between the speaking, selections were rendered by the Nevin male quartette, and they were handsomely applauded.

Philip H. Emerson of Lynn was the principal speaker. Rev. B. A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church and Charles H. Johnson also spoke.

Rev. B. A. Willmott was the first speaker and said that to license liquor was as dangerous as licensing a doctor to practice who innoculated a patient with a tuberculosis germ. He said that liquor would always be with us, but by keeping it out of a city the gain would be more than the loss,

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CANDIDATES AND FRIENDS

Putting in Final Touches of the Campaign

FROM WARD TO WARD

Mayor Stone, Councilmen Sandberg and Studley, Charles E. Cherrington, William H. Teasdale and Alfred N. LaBrecque., were the speakers at the Swedish Republican rally in Protection hall, Saturday evening.

Candidate James H. Penniman attended neighborhood gatherings in different parts of the city Saturday evening.

To night he will speak at St. Mary's hall in West Quincy, Keating hall, the Democratic headquarters at Quincy Point and in Cahill's hall at South Quincy.

John L. Miller was the principal speaker at the rally at Hibernian hall, Saturday evening, and he again reviewed the results of the present administration.

Harry S. Nicols presided and the candidates who spoke were Councilman Murray, Joseph L. Whiton, Walter Ferguson and August Johnson. Otto Gelotte, Andrew Milne and John Evans also spoke.

Councilman George Gauthier presided, Councilman Charles A. Ross, Councilman John R. Richards and William Farquharson were speakers at the Republican rally in Doble's hall, Saturday night.

Mayor Stone gave a short talk touching on the points he has been making throughout the campaign, and reassuring the voters that he will, if reelected, again work toward the best interests of the city.

FROM FIVE TO THE TOP

Fred J. Kessler Jumps In First Place

IN THE WASHINGTON CONTEST

The possibilities of a day in the Daily Ledger popularity contest are clearly shown in the summary of the vote today, for Fred J. Kessler, the real estate man of Montclair, has jumped from last place to first place. It was two subscriptions to the Daily Ledger for one year, accompanied by two coupons, that accomplished this. On Saturday Mr. Kessler was at the bottom of the list with only 5 votes. Today he has 2015 votes, and leads Mr. Williams by 480. Other candidates have but to secure a few Daily Ledger subscriptions, and they will turn the trick as did Mr. Williams and Mr. Kessler today.

Both Fred Williams and Sturgis Hunt made good gains today, also Sam Shellman, James Neary, Robert Pratt, Miss Annie Lamont, Ted Keohane and others.

Candidates should remember the offer of of the Vote Editor to give a certificate good for 100 votes to candidate

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POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT. POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT. POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT. POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT.

A Square Deal for Mayor Stone

QUINCY, MASS., Nov. 29, 1912.

To the Voters of Quincy:

When I assumed the office of Mayor of Quincy I did so fully conscious of the difficulty of my undertaking, but firmly resolved to do my duty without fear or favor and regardless of the consequences to my political future.

I found the City burdened with a large debt, with maturing liabilities in excess of other years, with the departments in immediate need of money and with the City's assets reduced by the removal from it of certain of its heaviest personal property tax payers.

These conditions, not the result of any particular past administration, but the inevitable consequences of the twenty-three years of our Municipal life, compelling me to submit to a Tax Rate of twenty-two (22) dollars per $1,000, I was obliged to meet. I have done so to the best of my ability. I surrounded myself with honest and capable officials.

I forced each department to accept in the Budget the least possible amount of money on which it could carry on its work.



I have seen to it that every dollar of the City's money has been Honestly and Economically expended.

I have instituted changes in certain of the Departments resulting in the saving of much money to the city.

Although I have been from the beginning of my administration actively opposed by political enemies, I point with pride to my administration for the year now closing as one of the most economical in the History of Quincy.

Believing that my experience in office this year qualifies me to deal advantageously with problems which the City will be confronted with during the coming year, and that a Mayor, who during his first year in office serves the City, under adverse conditions, conscientiously and faithfully should receive a second term and feeling that my fellow citizens believe in my integrity and honesty of purpose, I once more offer myself as a Candidate for Mayor of Quincy, and ask the favor of your votes on **ELECTION DAY, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3d.**

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Now that the foot ball season is officially closed let us in the name of mercy hear no more about it for a few months.

The present war has demonstrated one of two things, that either the war correspondent of the past had too much latitude or that the general staff has woke up to the fact that they should have less latitude.

Last call for the city election. Take your choice. It is up to the people.

Hickey had a carnival of crime extending over 20 years, which leads one to inquire if they were less lax in following up sudden deaths 20 years ago than they are today.

The average reader of football stories might be generally excused if he wondered how the defeated ones came to lose.

To the North pole by aeroplane is the latest. There have been enough victims of this department it would seem without tempting others to sure death.

The death of Robert Collyer is the passing of one of the most remarkable characters in American history.

Now that the war is over we may expect some thrilling stories from men who were not within miles of the real theatre of the events.

The inaugural ceremonies may be postponed but at the same time the president must take the oath of office on March 4 and that it seems is the crux of the whole situation. The social events should cut very little figure as they have no part or parcel in the government.

One day off in five for the firemen would mean, 73 days in 365, not counting leap year and dodging the quarter day of the intervening years.

The civil service provides that men holding positions under it should not be perniciously politically active. Do they all live up to that provision?

Undoubtedly the mayor should be the head of all departments and held strictly accountable for the conduct of those apartments. Division of authority and responsibility appear to be the great trouble with American cities today.

While people object to smoke in church have they ever thought of the smoke from the incense.

Every one sail from Boston. Fine! But who wants to take the trip from New England to New York to make the journey across the Atlantic when they can save time and money by taking a shorter route.

Why should the Port directors of Boston offer $25,000 and a bonus of $1000 a day for the fulfilling of a legitimate contract on time? That seems to be a needless expenditure of the people's money.

December came in as calm as a lamb. May the weather clerk continue the good work.

The City council meets this evening. Those members who are seeking reelection are in a most delicate position.

THE FIREMEN'S DAY OFF.

A correspondent in another column propounds two questions one of which of course is not worth the time to give it serious consideration. The other however is more momentous. The people of this city tomorrow will be called upon to answer the question as to whether they will give the permanent members of the fire department one day off in every five. According to the correspondent referred to there are 23 permanent men in the fire department. Each one of them receiving one day off in five would mean 70 days rest for each of them, exclusive of the 15 days annual vacation which would give each of them 85 days off in each year or a total of 1955 days for the permanent members of the fire department, or in other words, if computed by years, the permanent members of the fire department would have 5 and 130-365ths off time each year.

To provide for those five years in one, men must be engaged if the logical conclusion is followed out.

There is no necessity of further going into figures. Men are to be provided for those 2024 days. At the same time it should be remembered in justice to the firemen, that their labors are not confined to an eight hour day or a 10, or 12 hour day, but the day for them means a 24 hour day when they are ready aye willing and eager to respond to the call of duty and that response means more to them than it does to the average laboring man. They take risks which are not classed in the every day effort. So that without comment the question may be safely left with the voters to give an intelligent and justifiable answer.

NO RELIEF IN SIGHT.

Despite the cheering intelligence which was held out a few weeks ago that the price of coal would drop within a short time and a decrease would be announced about the first of December, no such thing has come to pass. The prices remain the same and so far as it looks would continue to remain the same for some to come.

It is usually the same old trick, in this case as in so many others. When the strain almost reaches the breaking point, in those matters there is a great wave of public protest. Officials rant around and take heed to the clamors of the people. They even make promises to have an investigation. They pledge themselves to probes, inquiries and the like. The activity of the average politician in this respect is marked. Then there is something else that crops out claiming public attention and the cry for relief is forgotten, the pledges are side tracked and there is no inquiry and the promises which were offered as an eleventh hour sop to this great public demand continue to be promises, without anything more tangible or effective in the operation. In the meantime December has arrived and the coal situation remains the same. Gov. Foss was surprised some weeks ago that coal in some places was selling as high as $10 a ton. The poor who buy in small quantities pay even a higher rate.

The governor promised an investigation and "Me Too" also threw a hat into the ring. But to be slangily candid "there has been nothing doing," and the people have almost forgotten the whole thing.

THE EARTH SHOOK.

The expression "The earth shook under the shock"" is often heard, and in many cases it is a mere exaggeration of actual happenings. However Montreal could boast of having a personage who came near making the earth to tremble under the tread. She weighed a mere matter of 780 pounds and was supposed to be the largest woman in the world. There have been no eagerly ambitious claimants for the place she deserted when going beyond. The undertakers all went on strike when it came to using their hearses for the removal of the body. None of them would take the risk and so an express wagon was used for the purpose. All of which only shows that the truly great and large must pay the penalty of the fame that accrues to them.

YOUNG ED CENTRAL FIGURE.

The name of Edward Darcy Barrett, Jr., was entered on the records of the St. John's parish Sunday afternoon by Rev. Fr. John J. Casey, after he performed a baptismal service for the youngster who was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Barrett, of Mechanic street, on Nov. 19. The sponsers were Miss Helen H. Gavin and Thomas Leo Ford. A reception at the home of the parents followed the ceremony, many friends calling to pay their respects to the proud father and mother.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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QUESTIONS OF INTEREST

Correspondent Asks About New Law For Firemen

Editor Daily Ledger:

How old is Ann? When you think you have solved that question, please try this. How many more firemen will be needed by the city, if the proposed Act is adopted next Tuesday, to keep the fire department up to its present standard?

It is proposed to give firemen one day off in five, in addition to the annual vacations. Of course this will apply also to the substitutes who take the places of the men off.

The last annual report showed 23 permanent men.

With no additions to the present force, and the annual vacation distributed throughout the year, how many firemen would be off duty every day under the new Act?

Will the City Council increase the force if the Act is accepted? How much larger appropriation will be needed? Box 43

CHIMNEY FIRE.

The alarm from Box 48 at 2.02 Sunday afternoon was for a chimney fire in one of the old stone houses on Bryant avenue on the dividing line between Quincy and Milton. There was no loss.

DISTRICT COURT.

Meyer H. Sochat was arraigned for breaking and entering at Quincy and was held under $500 bonds until Wednesday.

Thomas Ambrose and James F. Cleary were fined $10 each and John Norton $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued case of Philip M. Brown for assault on Mary J. Brown at Quincy was called. The court desired to continue the case until next March to see if the parties could not get along peacefully. Mr. Brown however objected. He wanted to know where he stood. He desired that the case be dismissed or that he be fined that he might settle the matter once and for all. Continuance was made until Wednesday.

BURGLAR ALARM PROVED FALSE

Officers Keenly on the Alert on Hearing Its Note

Two late hour citizens of Quincy were startled by the sounding of the burglar alarm of Pettengill's jewelry store at 1.15 Sunday morning, and one ran back for Officer Olson who had just passed them after examining the premises in the rear of the Welch and Faxon blocks. He returned and made another examination but everything appeared to be in good order.

The ringing also attracted Officers Ford and Phillips who hurried to the place and they also made an axamination. It is supposed that the bell arrangements was not in good order and some of the plugs loosened as the door was tried.

MISS JESSIE WARRENDER.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tytler, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Smith and Mrs. M. A. Laing, left yesterday morning for Woonsocket, R. I., to attend the funeral of Miss Jessie Warrender, who died Thursday morning, and was buried from the late home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ewen, of Third Avenue. Sunday afternoon.

Miss Warrender is well known to many Quincy friends who were surprised to hear of her sudden death and extend their sympathy to her sister Mrs. Samuel Ewen, with whom she has made her home for several years. She had not been in the best of health for some time but the end came very suddenly. Miss Warrender was in her 82nd year.

TO DANCE THE MINUET.

The minuet by a group of eight young people in the Colonial costume will be a feature of the entertainment at the fair of the Ladies Aid Alliance to be held in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry, Wednesday and Thursday. Under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Rowe the entertainment committee has planned a full program some of which will not be announced until the entertainment begins.

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CHANGE OF THE CHARTER MAYBE

Mr. Nichols Suggests Remedies For City Sores

GOOD MEN NEEDED

"Revision of the City Charter," was the subject of Walter F. Nichols before the Good Government Forum at the Wollaston Unitarian church, Sunday.

He spoke as follows:

"What are the specific matters with which we have to deal? We will start with the water department. A worthless plant was saddled on the city with an enormous permanent debt, and which cost the city, $34,000 in unnecessary attorney and expert fees, to buy something the company was only too anxious to sell. It is claimed there is mismanagement of this department, that there is waste, and extravagance in the laying of water pipe extensions, that there is an inequitable and unprofitable assessment of water rates. It is claimed that with a thorough meter service and good business methods, the department could be made to pay for maintenance, maturing bonds and interest account and furnished consumers at a fair price.

"Unbusinesslike management of the sewer department, apportioning the cost of extensions and house connections, is also claimed and the borrowing of money for current expenses.

"There is a movement to abolish the $12 tax limit. There is much to be said on this question. Failure to collect the annual tax levy, creating a deficit for which no provision is made, favoritism in the assessing of valuations and collections of taxes is also charged.

Violations of the Charter by heads of departments in over-running appropriations is charged. Awarding city contracts without advertising and to irresponsible persons, and the participation, directly or indirectly of city officials of the profits and city patronage have been done and yet they say there is no graft in Quincy. "There is unlimited opportunity for the mayor and the commissioner of public works to play politics, by patronage and contracts in departments.

"After 24 years of municipal life the city has a heavy burden of debt and excessive interest charges, high tax rate, in some cases, high valuations, and conditions generally unsatisfactory. What can be done to remedy this? Is the charter at fault? The thing we desire to accomplish is to have the city affairs conducted upon business principles.

"There are many objections to commission form of government. It is contended citizens lose interest, and personal responsibility and people are not so much in touch with public matters.

"In the framing of the new city charter, it was intended to create absolute personal responsibility, so far as the administrative branch is concerned. The mayor is given untrammelled control. If the laborer in the street is a loafer, the clerk at city hall inefficient, heads of departments remiss, in their duties, if the police, fire and other departments are not managed in a business like and economical manner, there is just one man to blame. There is no division of responsibility the fault is with the man you have elected mayor.

The requirements of the office are broad, calling for a fearless, capable disinterested honest citizen, not over politically ambitious. To say you cannot find such a man is to confess weakness. With a council of 23 men of the same calibre and type of man for mayor there is no doubt but the city business would be carried on in a perfectly satisfactory manner. A two years term of office for mayor seems desirable, but not longer. It is also suggested to curtail the duties of the commissioner of public works, by conferring some of the duties upon a commission of three. It is claimed that with a smaller council the personnel will be improved.

In the discussion that followed F. W. White inquired the objection to a three year term for mayor and Rev. Carl G. Horst spoke in favor of advertising for an expert as mayor as is done in German cities.

John Morgan spoke in favor of a three year term for both mayor and city council. Chandler W. Smith spoke of a movement organized in Wollaston for the revision of the charter.

Mr. Nichols said two years was long enough for mayor. Levi H. Turner spoke in favor of proportional government and urged that the question be taken up at the meetings of the Forum.

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NO-LICENSE RALLY

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from the financial standard as well as from the moral.

Charles H. Johnson said that the church and state united in fighting the issue. In his opinion the men of today seemed to be filled with a burning desire to tear down and he said that he appealed to the voter, particularly the younger men, to perform their duty and vote against it. He thought a word should also be said to the older men, closed by quoting the French axiom, "With responsibility goes duty" and asked the assistance of all the citizens in removing a stumbling block from their path.

Mr. Cummings in introducing Mr. Emerson said that Lynn fought a life and death fight annually and Mr. Emerson received considerable applause.

He said he was glad to be in Quincy to repay the debt Lynn owed Quincy for a few years ago a Catholic clergyman, by a fine speech, was instrumental in keeping Lynn in the no-license column. He reviewed the changes in Lynn since then and said that until the ballots were counted the people would not know the city's stand.

He said the brewers association poisoned the mind of the people against each other in trying to win. He urged that the new residents of Quincy be informed about the situation else sooner or later the city would be within the clutches of the dealers.

He said the argument was advanced that it was better socially to have it, but he found that people have provided their own amusements and frequent the theatres. As to illegal sales, he said that the police department was so busy looking after the saloons they could not enforce the other laws and he also mentioned that an investigation showed that horse meat sausages were on the free lunch counters.

He said he knew of a Lynn man who did not believe in license but would secure a permit if the city voted for it because he said he needed the "easy money."

The conditions of the city he said helped him favor the absence of liquor and he told of a wretched sight which he witnessed in a Lynn hotel.

He said Lynn was paying $1 extra in taxes to repair streets which were neglected during the license period and that no license cities generally had the lowest rate.

He spoke of the inefficiency of the workmen with liquor on sale in the city and said that the men who went to Boston to shop usually bought wet goods. "The Lynn dealers admit they are receiving more money and 90 per cent would favor no license if they dared come out openly."

Aside from the increase in drunkenness, the over taxing of the station and the home conditions, he said that the fire losses were greater, but that under no license the conditions changed, the city assumed a different aspect and the school attendance was increased.

He closed by saying that in Lynn no license made good and he asked all to establish the habit of voting in its favor to keep it if you have it already, so that the brewers will know that there is no hope in forcing on Quincy what had been faced year after year in Lynn.

DO YOU WANT BUSINESS?
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SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCHES

Topics and Announcements For Coming Week

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH.

The calendar of the church for the week is as follows:

Monday: 4.00 P. M., Junior Auxiliary in Parish Rooms. 8.00 P. M. Men's Club in Parish Rooms.

Wednesday: 7.30 P. M., Choir rehearsal.

Thursday: 3.00 P. M. to 10.00 P. M. English Tea Party and sale in parish Rooms.

Friday: 8.00 P. M., Girl's Friendly Society in Parish Rooms.

Saturday: 2.00 P. M. to 5.00 P. M. Choir Boy's Food Sale in Parish Rooms.

Men's Club—An interesting meeting of the club will take place this evening. District Attorney John J. Higgins of Middlesex County will trace the complete history of a crime from the moment it is committed to the time a verdict is returned by the jury. All men are cordially invited to this meeting.

The Cabaret supper which is to be given by the club on Tuesday evening, Dec. 10, is creating much interest. The fact that there is something besides eating on the programme, and that it is not known exactly what this something is, is arousing curiosity and interest. The supper itself will be out of the ordinary.

Thursday afternoon and evening the Woman's Guild will hold an English Tea Party and Christmas Sale. Throughout the evening coffee will be served as it is thought that coffee is more acceptable to men, whose presence is much desired.

The boys of the choir are to give a food sale in the Parish Rooms Saturday afternoon between three and five o'clock. Cake, candy, home-made pies etc., will be on sale. Mrs. Curran, the mothers of the boys and other ladies are helping, so that the quality of the food is guaranteed.

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WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL.

His topic "Church Membership" and asking the question, "Why should you unite with this Church?" Dr. Sneath made an appeal to the non-church members of his congregation to become members.

He assigned four reasons for such action, the welfare of the church, the community, the youth and the individuals themselves.

"Units of power increase the strength and efficiency of an organism, capable of them. The church of today can stand additional units of power and every man who unites with it with a sincere purpose thereby adds a unit of power and increases its strength and efficiency.

"The church is an essential factor to the welfare of the community. We can rejoice that Quincy is not over-churched and we can thus believe that this church is an essential factor to the city. But it can never fulfill its mission if as strong men die or move elsewhere others refuse to take their places. And any church will fail if men refuse to assume responsibility in connection with it. And this statement becomes especially significant when we come to consider the welfare of the children and growing youth. The man of today has a fearful gauntlet to run and the safest place for his soul development is in the church. But children are imitators and if fathers refuse to unite with the church sons will also refuse. Good men are outside of the church, but they are not contented there because it is not their normal place.

"It is true that the church has a creed which may be a hindrance to some, but this is true of all organizations. Further, substantial agreement with the creed is all that the church asks, and so it comes to pass today that members of this church have been reared in the Episcopal Baptist, Presbyterian, Methodist and other denominations.

"A modern pastor's relation to his members is that of a servant in the sense that he seeks to aid them in bearing the burdens of life and in living out their true selves. He can best do this when he has the confidence of men and their fellowship in the church and its great purposes. Only as men come into the church can they expect to receive real benefit from him who is the servant of God to their daily life."

A no license rally of all the Wollaston churches was held in the Wollaston Congregational church, Sunday evening.

The speakers were R. C. Drinkwater, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath Ph. D., and Rev. Carl G. Horst. Wendell H. Hull presided. A quartet, Samuel King, Miss Florence Burr, Miss Teresa Keating and Charles H. Everett sang selections and Clarence W. Rodgers was the organist.

Rufus B. Tobey spoke briefly on the no license question and through his kindness copies of "Ten nights in a barroom" were presented when the meeting adjourned.

R. C. Drinkwater of the Fore River Company favored no license from a business standpoint. He contrasted the evils of Pennsylvania his former home, where license rules with the present desirable conditions in Quincy.

Dr. Sneath spoke of his pleasure in coming from New Haven, Conn., where license reigns to Quincy which is in the "no" column. Hate was a feeble word for him when it came to the liquor question.

"I am not to speak tonight on 'What's the matter with Quincy' ", said Rev. Carl G. Horst, "but upon some of the good things we already have. " He declared his pride in the fact that Quincy had been no-license for so long. He urged that it be kept so. Eternal vigilance, he declared, was the price of no license in this city.

The service closed with the singing of America.

Sunday school was well attended. The Men's class conducted by Dr. Sneath is constantly growing in numbers and in interest.

Sunday afternoon a Junior Christian Endeavor society was organized with Miss Madeline K. Morse as superintendent. The following committee from the senior society will assist Miss Morse: Miss Dorothy Taylor, Miss Mary A. Broughton, Miss Marion Farwell and Miss Marion West. About thirty were present and after a talk by Dr. Sneath pledge cards were given out.

The regular Christian Endeavor business meeting and social will be held Wednesday evening in the vestry.

This evening there will be a concert in the church, arranged by the music committee, the proceeds to be applied to a series of vesper services which th committee propose to give on Sunday afternoons. The regular church quartet will give a varied program and be assisted by Mrs. Maud H. Benjamin, reader, and Miss Jennie A. Corson, violinist.

The Ladies' Auxiliary W. B. M., will meet with Mrs. Lincoln, Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Charles L. Seavey in charge, and the subject "The Chinese Woman." The ladies are having a most interesting winter season, and any who do not attend are cordially invited to share in these meetings.

The Ladies' Benevolent society will meet in the vestry Tuesday afternoon, at 2.30, to send materials to the missionary field. Clothing of any sort is needed and earnestly solicited. Send a cheering message of this sort to some poor unfortunate at this time.

MEMORIAL CHURCH.

The temperance rally in Memorial church, Sunday evening was presided over by Lynden T. Gurney, Rev. A. A. Wright of Cambridge expressed his views in regard to temperance, no-license and woman's suffrage, all of which he expressed as necessary for the best good, and the equal rights of all.

Mr. William T. Davy, who has recently come from London, England, gave comparisons between the public house of England, with its bar-maids, and degrading influences, and the no-license city of Quincy. He also said that the American ways are coming into English life.

Theophilus King, of Quincy spoke on,—"Capacity, Efficiency and Liquors." He illustrated that capacity and efficiency were destroyed by the use of liquor. He gave statistics showing how in different tests, the non-user of liquor surpassed the drinker in every scientific test that could be made.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The customary evening service was modified Sunday evening to permit of the rendering by the choir of Maunder's Cantata "Song of Thanksgiving" an elaborate work in five sections, each descriptive of certain phases appropriate to the subject; the soloists were:—Mrs. James H. Slade, soprano; Mr. W. Carter, tenor; and Mr. J. W. McLeod, bass.

Both Mr. Carter and Mr. McLeod are well known as soloists to Quincy Episcopalians, and fully maintained their reputations. The bulk of the solo work, however, rested with Mrs. Slade. This lady is well known in our city and many here have heard her sing at some time or other, but it is doubtful if many have heard her to such advantage, her solos called for an unusual amount of expression and were rendered delightfully.

The choir as a body did splendidly and much praise is due Professor Wrigley the organist and choirmaster especially so when it is borne in mind that but a few weeks ago he was a very sick man.

The rector, Rev. R. E. Armstrong announced an organ recital by Professor Wrigley, assisted by Mr. J. W. McLeod, vocalist, Wednesday evening December 11th at 8 o'clock, to which all denominations are invited. No tickets will be required and all seats will be free.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

Rev. Carl G. Horst's subject at the morning service Sunday was "Intemperance," and his text from Romans 15:verses 1 and 2, "Now we that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves. Let each one of us please his neighbor for that which is good."

The sermon was one of strong appeal to the citizens and voters to rise up and put away the menace of the Saloon where it had foothold, and to prevent its establishment in places already free from its degrading presence. "Intemperance," declared the preacher "is no molehill threatening our safety, it is a mountain of large dimension, blocking the course of human progress. It is no respector of persons, its stigma rests upon rich and poor and its consequences do not cease with its victim but descend to the unborn and re-appear in the form of mental incapacity, moral weakness and physical wreck.

"Intemperance degrades all the nobler faculties of man, blots out God's image from his soul and is the enemy of all goodness and purity. So, in the name of Jesus, whose disciples we would wish to be, in the name of suffering men, women and children and the yet unborn, let us pray that our city, forbid the saloon and that every effort be put forth to shield and save the young of our own and every community."

Mrs. R. L. Turner added greatly to the devotional service by her beautiful rendering of two solos.

The annual contribution of vegetables, fruits and jellies of the Sunday school to the Day Nursery and Hospital of Quincy were received.

The Azelia, which decorated the communion table was the gift of Mrs. Frederick H. Bishop in memory of her mother, Mrs. Frances A. Dalrymple,a much beloved member of our Church.

The Earnest Workers Lend-a-Hand Club will meet at the Home of Margaret Taylor, 10 Cushing street, Tuesday at three o'clock.

The first vespers of the season will be held next Sunday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock.

The biennial alliance fair will be held in the vestry Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evening.

A Social Service Conference is to be held Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning and afternoon in Channing hall, 25 Beacon street, Boston and on Wednesday evening, at the First Parish church, Cambridge. Among the speakers are Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, D. D., Prof. Francis G. Peabody, D. D., Mrs. Anna Garlin Spencer, Frederic Almy, Prof. Leo Wiener, Hon. John D. Long and others.

Our minister today attended the monthly meeting of the Unitarian Ministerial Union which was addressed by Prof. Dr. Rudolf Eucken of the University of Jena, Germany, and Exchange Professor of Harvard University, his subject being "The Task of Protestantism at the Present Day." The subject was discussed by the Rev. George A. Gordon D. D. and Prof. Francis G. Peabody. After the luncheon, Ex-President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard University spoke.

Let every member and friend of our church use his influence so that on election day tomorrow an overwhelming majority vote be east for No-license.

The marriage of Edward Russell Hall and Miss Persis Anna Thompson takes place in our church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The members and friends of the Church are all cordially invited. At the close of the service the bridal couple will receive their friends in he rear of the Church auditorium.

Our Church is in the habit of making an annual Thanksgiving gift to the Day Nursery and Hospital and invites all the members and friends to contribute fruits, vegetables, jellies and groceries. All contributions should be left today or tomorrow at Frank A. Page's, 103 Grandview avenue.

Walter F. Nichols led the discussion on "Revising the City Charter" at the Good Citizenship meeting. The same subject will be continued next Sunday.

Killed While Crossing Tracks

Gardiner, Me., Dec. 2.—William H. Duffy, 54, was struck and instantly killed by a train while crossing the railroad tracks near his home.

MILLER LOOKS TO SWEEP CITY

Murray Promises to Be More Sarcastic if Elected

BAILEY DEFINES POSITION

John L. Miller, Eugene F. DeNormandie, Councilmen Charles W. Bailey, A. N. Murray, Charles E. Barker were the speakers at Brasee hall Saturday night. Eugene H. Sprague presided.

Eugene F. De Normandie said that at the rally in Wollaston preceding the primaries Mayor Stone had given "bunkum" instead of actual facts. While certain statements were absolutely true they were misleading.

While the Mayor said that there was more than enough to cover all appropriations this was not true 10 days or for several months previous.

There had been a deficiency, beginning in June that had grown larger and larger. If the $80,000 loan had not been negotiated months previous there would not have been money enough to run the city. He insisted on greater economy and increased efficiency.

Councilman Bailey said Mayor Stone had mislead the voters in this ward. Everyone knew that thousands of dollars from the taxes were poured into the city Nov. 1st. But not a month, for several months previous to November, had the cash balance been equal to the unexpended balance of the loan orders.

"Murray didn't lie, he is white, clean and honest. No one can put his finger on a thing he has done for selfish interests this year. He deserves a square deal. The Republican machine is out to knife Murray."

Mr. Bailey asked if it was good business to bond the city 20 years to go out and hunt leaks.

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MEN'S MISSION AT ST. JOHN'S

Jesuit Fathers Enter Upon Second Week of Trying Duty

The Jesuit mission for the women of the St. John's parish closed Sunday afternoon. Under the direction of Rev. Fr. Condon, there was a renewal of baptismal vows. The papal blessing was also conferred on those present. Arrangements were made to start a sodality for the women of the parish, to be organized immediately. Fr. Condon delivered a short sermon on the fruitful results of a good mission and said that he was pleased with the attendance at all times. Benediction was solemnized by Rev. Fr. Coan, pastor of the church.

The first mass of the men's mission was celebrated at 10.30 Sunday morning by Rev. Fr. Scannell. A sermon on Purgatory was delivered by Rev. Fr. Coyle. In the evening both the mission fathers spoke. Masses will be said for those making the mission at 5 and 9 o'clock and the regular masses will be at 7 and 8 o'clock. Evening services will be 7.30 o'clock.

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WHO WILL WIN?

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James H. Penniman, Democrat and John L. Miller, Progressive Citizens.

All three gentlemen are well known, particularly Mayor Stone and Mr. Miller. Mr. Penniman is not so well known outside of Ward Five, but

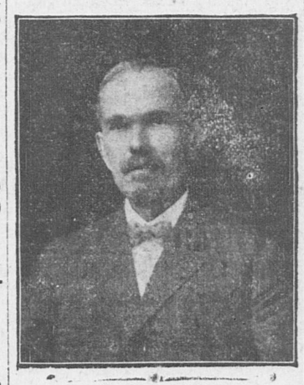


MAYOR EUGENE R. STONE.
Republican Candidate.

during the past ten days he has been getting acquainted with the people of other wards, for there has been scarcely a night but one or more rallies have been held in several of the wards in which he has appeared.

But who is to win, is the question that is puzzling the voters. Quincy is nominally Republican by a large majority. It is also admitted that what votes Mr. Miller gets as a Progressive will come largely from the Republican party, which would naturally benefit Mr. Penniman. The result however will depend largely on how much of the regular Democratic party Mr. Penniman will hold.

Last year's municipal election can not be taken as any criterion for it



JOHN L. MILLER
Progressive Citizen Candidate.

was well known that the Democratic candidate last year was not a strong man, in addition to the fact that he was practically not known outside of Houghs Neck where he resided. The result was that Mayor Stone received a very large Democratic vote, as will be understood when it is remembered that Mayor Stone's total vote was 3197 while Mr. Wall only received 1163.

If one goes back to the state election a month before he will find that Gov. Foss, received a total of 2215 while Frothingham, the Republican candidate for Governor received a total of 2592 which may be taken as the Republican voting strength of the



CHARLES H. PENNIMAN.
Democratic Candidate.

city, although it is well understood that Gov. Foss received many Republican votes in Quincy last year.

Mr. Miller has been the most aggressive candidate during the campaign and has openly attacked the administration of Mayor Stone. The Mayor however has come back strong, answered his critics and has refrained from throwing mud. Mr.. Penniman has attacked no one. He simply promises if elected to give the city the best that is in him. There is no question but what Mayor Stone has been gaining in strength during the past week, but no one dares to predict with any certainity the outcome.

Aside from the mayoralty contest there is a merry war all along the line for Councilmen-at-Large and Ward Councilmen. For Councilman-at-Large there are 14 candidates seeking the five positions while in every ward there are contests for Ward Councilmen. The hunt all along the line has been a still one during the past week and there has been much house to house work done. One illustration of this will suffice. Last week in Ward Two a small boy was going from house to house asking for the man of the house and when he found him he made a request that he vote for his father, giving the latters name, and the office which he is seeking.

The total registered vote of the city is about 5800 and in view of the keen contests that are being waged it is probable that fully 90 per cent of the registered vote will be cast.

All eyes are turned on Wollaston, the Republican stronghold of the city. In years past, Wollaston was looked to offset the Democratic majority of West Quincy. This year however Wollaston is divided. Precinct two, that part of the ward lying east of the railroad is strong for Mayor Stone while precinct one which includes Wollaston hill is where Mr. Miller will get his main support in this ward. There are several men in this precinct who, while Republicans, are openly opposing the election of Mayor Stone, and they are doing a lot of work to elect Mr. Miller. Precinct one has about seventy-five more registered voters than precinct two.

It is in precinct one that Eugene H. Sprague and Irving L. Shaw, two of the leading opponents to Mayor Stone reside and while owing to business affairs, Mr. Shaw has not been heard from much of late, Mr. Sprague has been particularly active in his opposition. On the other hand Mayor Stone has some strong and influential friends in this precinct and they are quietly working to offset the work of the Miller contingent.

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ON THE SALOON QUESTION

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BERGVALL BOY BURIED.

The funeral of Carl L. M. the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob L. Bergvall, took place Sunday afternoon from his parents home. Services were conducted at the Swedish Lutheran church by the pastor, Rev. Leander Hokensen. Burial was in the Mt. Wollaston cemetery. A large number of playmates and pupils of the Sunday school attended the services.

DANCING AND WHIST.

A dancing and whist party, under the auspices of the Scandinavian Socialist club in Electa hall, Saturday evening was well attended. Trophies were won by J. Fredericson, A. Nelson, Mrs. A. Nelson and Miss Emma Gustafson. Music was furnished by the Colonial orchestra. The committee was A. Bergstadt, Oscar Carlson, H. Stenberg and H. Wallin.

HELLO GIRLS TO DANCE.

The girls of the Quincy telephone exchange hold their first dance at Alpha hall this evening. Great interest has been taken in the affair and they have received considerable support from subscribers. The officers are Miss Helen Cronin, president; Miss Edith Barry, vice president; Miss Yvonne Bouchard, treasurer; Miss Rita Kenendy, secretary.

French Airman Killed

Paris, Dec. 2.—Another French airman, Paul Arondet, was killed at Juvisy-Sur-Orge. He took a turn sharply and the monoplane lost its equilibrium, causing him to fall 180 feet.

☞The Ledger trip to Washington, D. C., to attend the inauguration of President-Elect Wilson will be first class in every way and include many extra features in the way of grand stand seats for the inaugural procession and tickets for the inaugural ball. While in Washington all points of interest will be visited under the direction of a conductor with headquarters at a first class hotel. The trip will be by Fall River steamer to New York and from there by parlor car, leaving Boston Friday, Feb. 28 at 6 P. M. tf

A Note to Women Buying Gifts for Men

Stocks in our Men's Store are now at their finest, and anything bought in this store may be depended on to be exactly as represented and the highest value possible. Every woman knows that men despise tawdriness and imitations; that they appreciate sterling quality, soundness and tastefulness. All such things in this store as may serve as gifts to men are absolutely sound in quality, of the highest grade of workmanship and true to name.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Rain Tuesday morning followed by clearing and colder weather. Fresh winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	6.56
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.16
Moon sets	7.24
High water, A. M.	6.30
High water, P. M.	7.00

Days decrease 6 hours 1 minute.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	60 degrees
Dec. 2, 1911,	42 degrees
Dec. 2, 1910,	38 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

FIRE TRAP TORN DOWN

Former Splendid Wollaston House Became a Ruin

THROUGH NEGLECT

A pile of debris is all that is left of the old building on Hancock street which has been for the past three years an eye sore, a bill board, and a firetrap. Years ago, the place was one of Wollaston's best residences, but through neglect and the buffeting of the weather, it has furnished an opportunity for complaint from residents and the fire departments alike.

The property is owned by William Faxon of Buffalo, New York. His agent in this city is H. T. Whitman and the property will be developed. The wreckage is being disposed of by Knox S. Ruggles who razed the building.

In olden times the interior of the house was handsome. With mahogany floors, rich trimmings of imported woods and a fine location it left all that could be desired for home purposes.

MARRIED HIS STENOGRAPHER.

Robert B. Graham, treasurer of the Graham Shoe Co., at 266 Washington street, Boston, called his brother "Jack" at Milton on the phone Friday and informed him that his stenographer, Miss Alice Corliss of Dorchester "was through." When "Jack" asked why he was told that on Thanksgiving eve they had been married and that they were en route to New York. The groom is well known in this city and his marriage was a great surprise. On Wednesday the couple worked as usual.

THE NAUGHTY PRINCESS.

Miss Esther Sidelinger of Presidents Hill took the part of Lelinda in the Naughty Princess which was given on Friday afternoon and Saturday morning at the Schubert theatre. The play was produced by the Children Players under the auspices of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union. A large number of Quincy residents witnessed the performances among whom were Mrs. Percy H. Holman and Mrs. Arthur P. Ropes. Mrs. Walter S. Pinkham and Mrs. Herbert H. Albee took a party of children among them, Miriam and George Goodspeed, Elizabeth Albee, Marjorie, Doris and Alden Pinkham.

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LONGER TERM FOR THE MAYOR

Advocated by Councilman Gilliatt at Montclair Rally

MANY CANDIDATES SPOKE

A large gathering of municipal candidates were present at the non-partisan rally of the Montclair Improvement Association in Association hall, Pope street, Montclair, Friday evening.

All the candidates for the mayoralty and a large number of candidates for councilman-at-large and ward councilmen spoke. President E. F. Parlee of the association presided.

James H. Penniman, Democratic nominee for mayor was the first speaker. He promised if elected to make his appointments from the best men regardless of party. If elected he would deem it his duty to serve the best interests of the city.

Frank Shay spoke a good word for the present mayor and charged that certain councilmen had opposed him for personal reasons. He advocated legislative committees for improvement associations.

Mayor Eugene R. Stone in his speech went extensively into the city's affairs taking up the street, water and sewer departments at length. He referred to the Montclair school and criticised the borrowing of money on short time notes. He declared that a clique could not change his policy.

Councilman Charles E. Cherrington anticipated a higher tax rate next year. In 3 years they would be lower if the loans were not bunched by the council. If elected he would try to prevent bunching. He believed that the city money should be spent with economy and equally divided.

Councilman Herbert G. Beeman commended Mayor Stone for his administration and considered it false economy not to have needed improvements. The Fourth of July appropriation was not extravagance. That ward alone had raised $800 by public subscription. He had voted for the things he thought right and had never played politics.

Councilman James H. Cunningham went into the city's finances and criticised the present methods used.

Mayoralty Candidate John L. Miller declared the present incumbent had had more than a square deal and no business would keep a man who did not make good. He criticised the running of the various departments and declared his willingness to be kicked out if he was elected and before the end of his term did not mend things.

Councilman A. N. Murray charged leaks in various city departments and in the administration of the city's affairs. He declared himself disgusted with the business methods of the city.

Councilman Charles L. Gilliatt advocated a longer term of the executive. He was in favor of a uniform personal tax and the appointment of assessors by the state. He declared the council stood by the administration to a certain stage where things began to go through which shouldn't.

BRIEFS

Maple Lodge K. & L. of H. is to hold a whist party in Protection hall Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix of 183 Highland avenue returned last week from a seven weeks' trip to the Pacific coast.

Mrs. W. F. Carman of Edwards street has been confined to the house the past week threatened with pneumonia.

The December meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery Association is to be held at the Women's club house at 2.30 P. M. on Tuesday.

Miss Lois Marjorie Kendall has returned to Wellesley College after spending the holiday and week end with Dr. Kendall, of Atlantic street.

Miss Marion Nelson of New York left Sunday for her home, after spending the holiday and week end with relatives in Atlantic.

Harry Lombard of Meddybemps, Maine, has accepted a position with the Fore River Shipbuilding Co., and with his family have taken rooms at The Greenleaf.

John J. Higgins, district attorney for Middlesex county will speak on "The history of crime" at the meeting of the Men's club at St. Chrysostoms church, this evening. All men of the community have been invited.

☞PRATT'S BREAD costs a little more—is worth a good deal more. Ask your grocer.

ACCEPTS CALL TO HARTFORD

Rev. Gerhard W. Palmgren Resigns Pastorate of Local Church

Rev. Gerhard W. Palmgren has resigned his pastorate of the Swedish Congregational church in this city to accept the call to the Swedish Congregational church at Hartford, Conn. Pastor Palmgren read his letter of resignation to the people of his church, Sunday. The society will act on it at the meeting, Dec. 11. The resignation takes effect, March 1, 1913. Pastor Palmgren will then have rounded out five years in Quincy. The Hartford society is a large one and growing. There are 6000 Swedish people in the city and more are arriving there every week.

VOTING CONTEST

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who stands first in the contest at 9 A. M., Monday, Dec. 5.

There are several more new candidates in the list today, including Nellie A. Morrisset of Crescent street; Morton Beattie, the business manager of the Golden Rod; Miss Jennie Beer, of the Order Daughters of St. George; Lloyd Lewis of the Electric Express, Miss Flora Collins of Pleasant street, Thomas J. Welsh of Div. 5, A. O. H., Ambrose O'Dowd of the street railway and others.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 10 A. M. was as follows:

Fred J. Kessler, Montclair	2015
Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	1535
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	300
Sam Shellman, Granite street	75
James Neary, Fore River	60
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	50
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	50
John H. Hart, timekeeper	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	45
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Jennie Beer, O. D. St. George	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
Ethel Randall, stenographer	40
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	35
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	30
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	30
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	30
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	25
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	25
William Kelley, conductor	25
A. McKay, Heptasophs	20
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	20
William Erickson, F. of A.	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Galen Bowditch, messenger	20
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	20
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	20
W. C. Luther, Fore River	15
John Mahon, organist	15
Katherine C. Walsh, telephone	15
Chas. J. McGilvray, Willard St.	15
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	10
Richard Larkin, High school	10
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	5
Minnie Glover, S. of V. Aux.	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5

"Vote early and often."

MRS. LORD'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Cheney Lord was held from the residence of her neice Miss A. N. Merrill of Fayette street, Friday afternoon with services by Rev. Wesley Wiggin. Burial was at Mount Wollaston cemetery.

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Patrick as He Appeared the Moment He Quit Prison



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Patrick was snapped just after he had stepped from the entrance of Sing Sing, a free man after twelve years behind the bars, four of which he spent in the shadow of the death chair.

"GO HIDE YOURSELF"

Advice Given Patrick by Brother-In-Law Who Fought For Him

St. Louis, Dec. 2.—John T. Milliken, brother-in-law of Albert T. Patrick, who spent large sums of money in aiding Patrick's defense and in proceedings which brought about Patrick's commutation of sentence and finally pardon as the murderer of William M. Rice, disapproves of Patrick's attempt to get a share of Rice's fortune.

Milliken sent Patrick a message which read as follows:

"Newspapers report you have retained attorney to start litigation against the trustees of the Rice estate. Such action suicidal. I shall not aid you in it, or give it countenance in any manner. I advise you to stop talking to newspapers. Go hide yourself."

COLLYER ROSE FROM ANVIL TO THE PULPIT

Noted Unitarian Divine Dies In Eighty-Ninth Year

New York, Dec. 2.—After an illness lasting for several days Rev. Dr. Robert H. Collyer, the aged pastor emeritus of the Unitarian Church of the Messiah, died at his home in this city.

Dr. Collyer once worked in a blacksmith shop in his native village, Keighly, Eng. His father was a blacksmith, and he asserted it was due principally to his mother's influence that he took to reading after he had finished work.

He was born Dec. 8, 1823. He attended school for three years, and was 25 years old when he became a Methodist minister. In all his long life his boast was that he never had been ill a single day. For many years he was the oldest acting minister in the Unitarian denomination.

CLEANSING CLEVELAND

Women Arrested In Bars Will Be "Mugged Like Other Criminals"

Cleveland, Dec. 2.—Chief of Police Kohler has issued orders that henceforth all girls and women taken to headquarters from grill rooms and questionable places must be photographed and measured by the Bertillon system. The chief is out to clean the city of undesirable women.

"Many women frequenting wine rooms think nothing of picking a pocket," said the chief. "It is hard to keep an accurate record of them. Hereafter we'll 'mug' them just the same as other criminals."

LONG WAIT FOR A SMOKE

Man Who Lighted Cigar In 1896 Has Just Finished It

Clifton Heights, Pa., Dec. 2.—E. V. McKee last evening finished smoking a cigar which he lighted in 1896, when Bryan was defeated by McKinley for president.

McKee is an ardent admirer of the commoner, and when Bryan was defeated he lighted a cigar which he threw to the floor. Thomas Gaffney picked up the cigar, put it in an envelope and kept it for McKee, telling him he could smoke it when a Democrat president was elected.

Steamer Abandoned at Sea

Halifax, Dec. 2.—The steamer River Meander, New York for Naples, has been abandoned at sea, and probably has foundered. Her captain and crew of thirty men were rescued by the steamer Ikbal, which entered Halifax harbor last night.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

CHESTNUTS AS VEGETABLES.

CHESTNUTS are available and make such an acceptable variation in the bill of fare that it is a wonder they are not more generally used.

The large Italian chestnuts can be purchased in most towns and are the ones generally used in cooking, although the smaller ones are just as suitable.

Tempting Nut Meats.

Stewed Chestnuts.—Peel off the outside skin of the chestnuts, then steep in boiling water until the inner skins can be removed. Throw the nuts as fast as peeled into cold water. Put two ounces of butter in a saucepan with two tablespoonfuls of flour. Stir until blended, then pour in a half pint or more of clear broth, stirring until smooth. Salt to taste, add chestnuts and simmer gently until soft.

Serve with roasted meats or poultry.

Deviled Chestnuts.—Take a quart of chestnuts, remove the shells and blanch the meats.

Dry thoroughly, then place on the fire in a saucepan and brown in hot olive oil or butter. Sprinkle with fine salt and a dash of cayenne and serve at dinner after the cheese.

Dainty Side Dishes.

Chestnut Salad.—Take a half dozen chestnuts. Remove the shells, put into a saucepan of hot water and boil twenty minutes. Drain and plunge into cold water until the skins loosen. Peel, cut into quarters and dust with salt and pepper.

Peel four large sour apples, core and cut into pieces the size of the nuts.

Cut some of the dark meat of a cold roasted chicken, turkey or duck into pieces of the same size and arrange on lettuce leaves in the salad bowl or individual plates.

Sprinkle with two tablespoonfuls of chopped mixed pickles and dress with a French dressing of oil and vinegar and serve.

A Toothsome Sweet.

Chestnut Fritters.—Take a couple of dozen chestnuts. Roast and skin these and pound to a smooth paste. Add two tablespoonfuls of rice flour, one tablespoonful of sugar and two teaspoonfuls of lemon juice. Whisk the yolks of three eggs until light and whip the whites to a stiff froth with a pinch of salt. Stir first the yolks, then the whites, into the chestnut flour and use a little thick cream to moisten. Lift the mixture between two spoons, which have been well heated in boiling water, and fry in smoking hot fat.

Drain on white paper and send to table arranged in a pile, sprinkled with sugar, on a well heated dish.

Anna Thompson.

Locomotive and Train Crash

Willimantic, Conn., Dec. 2.—Five persons were injured, none seriously, when a passenger train ran into a light locomotive at the Columbia yards near here. Both locomotives were badly damaged, but none of the coaches left the rails.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists Price, 75c. per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah Shortle late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, not already administered, to Thomas J. Shortle of said Quincy or to some other suitable person. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the fourth day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

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You Will Have No Mistake If You Follow This Quincy Citizen's Advice

Never neglect your kidneys.

If you have pain in the back, urinary disorders, dizziness and nervousness, it's time to act and no time to experiment. These are frequently symptoms of kidney trouble, and a remedy which is recommended for the kidneys should be taken in time.

Doan's Kidney Pills is a good remedy to use. No need to experiment. It has acted effectively in many cases in Quincy. Follow the advice of a Quincy citizen.

P. J. Garrity, 298 Granite street, Quincy, Mass., says: "Some time ago I suffered so severely from kidney disease that I could hardly get about. I was restless at night and could not find any position that was comfortable. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage and contained a heavy sediment. I was rapidly growing worse and was at a loss to know what to do as the many remedies I tried failed to help me. Finally Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me and I procured a supply at the Cox Drug Store. After I had taken the contents of four boxes I was in good health. I highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to other kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha W. Q. Willett late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, three certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and two codicils—of said deceased have been presented to said Court for Probate by George T. Till of Swampscott in the County of Essex who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of December A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

Nov. 26-3t 26-2-9

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Wellington Record late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Helen A. Record of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the fourth day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

3t Nov. 30, Dec. 2-9

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Isabel Frances Pratt Emery late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Mary H. Emery of Quincy who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to W. Cleveland Cogswell of Scituate without giving surety on his bond, the executrix named in said will having declined to serve. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County, on the eleventh day of December A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

3t Nov. 30, Dec. 2-9

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Dexter W. Royce and Minnie E. Royce, both of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Leroy P. Russell, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated Mar. 19, 1912, recorded with Norfolk Deeds Book 1208, Page 96 (which mortgage has been assigned by mesne assignment to the undersigned) for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, December 18th, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described substantially as follows:—

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of said Quincy called Houghs Neck, being Lot 26 as shown on a plan by E. Granville Pratt, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, bounded as follows:— Northerly on land now or formerly of Thayer 75 feet; Easterly on land now or formerly of Littlefield 45 feet; Southerly on Bay View Avenue 75 feet; Westerly on an avenue running northerly from said Bay View Avenue to the beach 45 feet; being the same premises that were conveyed to the said Minnie E. Royce by A. Alice Capen by deed dated April 4, 1910, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1138, Page 531.

Said premises will be sold subject to a prior mortgage written in two parts recorded with Norfolk Deeds, respectively Book 1161, Page 637, and Book 1176, Page 154, as there written aggregating $1750.00, and to accrued interest thereon; and further subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any there are.

$100.00 in cash will be required to be paid at the sale. Other terms at the sale.

GEORGE B. HASTINGS,

Assignee & Present Holder of said Mortgage.

No. 421 Tremont Building,

Boston, Mass.

3t 25-2-9

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of James A. Ryan, late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Edward T. Ryan of said Weymouth, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of December, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, Mass., the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of November, A. D., 1912.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

Nov. 30-Dec 2-9.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles H. Porter, late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Hannah A. Porter, of Quincy, without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the fourth day of December, A. D., 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of November, A. D., 1912.

John D. Cobb, Register.

Quincy, Nov. 19, 1912. 3t-19-25-2

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charlotte L. Nightingale, late of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, deceased:

Whereas, George W. Newcomb, trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court, his petition praying that for reasons therein stated this Court will confirm a certain sale of real estate made by the executors of said will to Charles W. Thaxter, and authorize him as such trustee for a nominal consideration to execute and deliver all necessary confirmatory deeds to Elphege Messier, who now claims title, to release all his interest as trustee therein, and to perfect the title thereto. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the fourth day of December, A. D., 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you, seven days at least before said Court; or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successiv weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of November, in the year one thousand, nine hundred and twelve.

John D. Cobb, Register.

3t Nov. 20, 25. Dec. 2

TO DISPOSE OF $1.000.000.000

Appropriation Bills Before Congress, Which Meets Today

WILL HAVE TO WORK HARD

But Twenty-Six Days In Which to Dispose of Routine Measures—Archbald Impeachment Coming Up In Senate and "Money Trust" Investigation In House

Washington, Dec. 2.—The Sixty-second congress of the United States, composed of a Republican senate and a Democratic house, begun its concluding session today.

Really the only work for this mixed publican body to do is to pass a billion dollars' worth of appropriation bills and go home. But between now and March 4 there will be time to do a good many other things, some of which must be done.

The most important of these is the impeachment of Judge Robert W. Archbald of the court of commerce, against whom charges have been brought by the judiciary committee of the house of representatives. The senate will sit as a court to try Archbald, and the accusing committee will send a sub-committee of seven members to act as prosecutor. Inasmuch as every law point in dispute must be taken up and voted on by the entire body, it will be quite a while before the senate will have any time for appropriation bills.

In the house the Pujo committee, which has been making an investigation into the "money trust," will resume its labors, and will call some very important figures in finance to supply it with information. Samuel Untermeyer, who is counsel for the committee, will conduct all the investigations. The date for the first session has not yet been fixed.

When the two bodies get down to the gruelling work on the appropriations a bill providing for three battleships will be introduced. The Republican senate passed the two-battleship bills at the last session, and can be counted upon to vote for two or three battleships this year.

While the doings of the next congress are not of the most immediate importance, the talk of the statesmen now arriving in Washington runs more on the future than on the present.

Speaker Clark has been at his desk for several days, planing the work of the coming session. After doing a little figuring he announced that although the session will last for ninety-two days, there will be but twenty-six days for actual work on appropriation bills, and it will take some good, hard, steady work to get them out of the way.

From the ninety-two days of the whole session must be subtracted fourteen for the Christmas recess, thirteen Sundays, thirteen Mondays, on which all measures must be taken up under unanimous consent, thirteen Wednesdays sacred under a new rule for the bills on the calendars, and thirteen Fridays, which are to be given over to private claims.

A list of aprpopriation bills must be quarrelled about and orated over by two houses whose hostility has not been abated by the defeat of the Republicans. This is not an easy matter to settle in twenty-six days.

It has been practically agreed by the senators to continue the bipartisan occupancy of the chair in the senate through the present session. The country is without a vice president and will be until March 4, when Vice President-elect Marshall will take his seat.

Representative Mann of Illinois, who was the leader of a fairly active Republican minority last year, will perform a like service until March 4, after which he would be willing to retire as minority leader. Nobody as yet has offered to take the place, as the Reublicans will be only 140 strong against 295 Democrats.

The senate in the coming congress will stand 49 to 45, providing the Republicans elect two men from Illinois. In any event, it will be safely Democratic, and such progressive Republicans as are members can be counted to vote with the Democrats on the tariff legislation which will claim the attention of congress and the nation at the extra session.

The Republican idea is to stand and wait and watch, patiently and trustfully hoping to "come back" after the Democrats get their work done. The talk of absorbing the Progressives is heard on all sides, but "Joe" Dixon, who was the Bull Moose national leader, vigorously denies it.

Throughout the session, attracting as much attention as the actual work of legislation, will run the preparatory work for the extra session to be held soon after President-elect Wilson takes office. Committees pursuant to this will thresh out questions of tariff, currency and anti-trust legislation in the effort to have Democratic policies shaped and Democratic plans made before the new administration comes into power.

HOW, WHEN AND WHY A SECOND ADVENT

Denver Divines on Right Track, Says Pastor Russell.

No World-Burning—Satan to Be Bound—Sin, Sickness and Death to Be Conquered—Man to Be Delivered. The Power Vested In Messiah—His Kingdom Near—How It Will Appear.


PASTOR RUSSELL

Denver, Dec. 1.—This city is stirred! Seventeen pastors of all denominations have been discussing The Second Advent for a month. Now comes Pastor Russell telling us all that "The Earth abideth forever"—that it will never be destroyed by literal fire. According to him the great event of Christ's Coming will bring blessings such as we all desire. He seems to have the Bible and logic on his side too!

Pastor Russell declared that false concepts of the Second Coming of Christ had done great injury. The view set forth in all orthodox creeds is that Christ will come again in the flesh. The resurrection will take place within twenty-four hours. The saintly will rise in the air to meet the Lord. Then fire will come down from heaven, and consume the whole earth. Premillennialists claim that Christ will reign in fleshly glory a thousand years to bless the living. The majority of Christians disown this as ridiculous nonsense because thy believe little of creed or Bible. A minority perceive its inconsistency with the Bible.

What Bible Students Now See.

The "fire of that day" is symbolical, already kindling in society, the elements of which, Capital and Labor, are getting hotter. Soon they will melt, the symbolical "earth" will be consumed with the "heavens" also, the ecclesiastical powers. Their passing away will usher in a "new earth," or social order, and "new heavens," the Church in glory.

The Second Coming of Christ is associated with blessings. Messiah will abolish the curse and bring in wonderful blessings. The Day of Christ will be "the last Day,"—the great Seventh Thousand-year Day. All humanity will be blessed, including the dead who will then be awakened.

Christ Comes to Reign.

As the redemption was necessary for man's salvation so Messiah's Kingdom is necessary to accomplish restitution. The delay of more than eighteen centuries is Scripturally explained: (1) God designed Six Great One Thousand Year Days to teach mankind the exceeding sinfulness of sin. He purposed that on the Seventh Day the blessing of Messiah should come. (2) An important work has been done since Calvary. An Elect Church has been gathered out of all nations—saints made perfect through suffering, a Little Flock, the "Church of the First-borns." These are to become the Bride of Christ at His Second Advent.

The Second Coming of Jesus is to claim His Bride class, and to exalt them. As regards the world, He comes to bind Satan, to overthrow sin, and to uplift fallen humanity. St. Peter tells that Restitution work, not a literal burning of the world, awaits the Second Coming of Jesus: "Times of refreshing shall come from the presence of the Lord."—Acts iii. 19-21.

Christ's Kingdom to Be Spiritual.

One great mistake we have all made is in not noticing that Jesus was human for only thirty-three and a half years. He was a glorious spirit being before He was made flesh; and He was resurrected to a spirit condition—higher than His original one. How foolish we were to think of Jesus as a man (a little lower than angels) in the midst of the Heavenly host. He is now partaker of the Divine nature; His Church is to be "changed" and made "like Him." As His descent was from a higher to a lower, so His ascent was from a lower nature to a higher, "far above angels." His is the exceeding glory which "no man hath seen nor can see"—"which no man can approach unto."

It is this glorious Being whose Kingdom is about to be established. He and His Church will be as invisible to men as are Satan and the fallen angels. The appearances of Jesus in the flesh after His resurrection were materializations, to prove: (1) that Jesus was no longer dead; (2) that He was changed, born of the Spirit, able to go and come like the wind.

Parousia, Epiphania, Apokalupsis.

Messiah's Kingdom will have earthly representatives—the faithful saints of previous ages, raised to human perfection instantly. Through these the invisible Messianic Kingdom will operate. Jesus said, "Ye shall see Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and all the prophets in the Kingdom."

The *parousia* of Jesus will come first—present but invisible. The world will continue with the ordinary affairs of life (while He is gathering the Church), as in the days of Noah.

After the gathering of the Church, there will be an *epiphania* and an *apokalupsis* of Jesus. He will shine forth. He will be revealed—not in flesh, but "in flaming fire," the trouble of that Day, in which the present order will be consumed in anarchy, giving place to the Kingdom Dispensation.

INAUGURATION TRIPS
TO WASHINGTON

To Witness the Administration of the Oath of Office to President-Elect Wilson; also Trps to Mount Vernon, Alexandria, New York, Etc.

A WEEK'S TRIP WITH ALL EXPENSES PAID

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER proposes to send two people to Washington in March to enjoy the inauguration and sightseeing in our beautiful capital. We have selected one of the best tours on George E. Marster's schedule, and his name stands for a good trip every time. All the expenses will be paid the man or woman in Quincy who receives the most votes.

The winner of contest will be allowed to choose a companion for the trip whose expenses will also be paid.

DIAMOND RING

The person having the SECOND highest number of votes will be awarded a DIAMOND RING.

CONDITIONS

The contestants must be residents of Quincy. None others will be accepted as candidates.

None of the employees or agents of the Ledger will be eligible in this contest.

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Send in your votes to the
CONTEST EDITOR
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ALL ABOARD FOR WASHINGTON

ELKS' MEMORIAL SERVICE

(Continued from Page One.)

The exercises were confined to the ritual and were conducted by Exalted Ruler Phillip H. Sullivan and Clarence L. Quimby the chaplain of the lodge. During the exercises the Temple quartette sang three selections "Our Absent Brother," "Nearer My God to Thee," and "Lead Kindly Light."

In addition to the ritual and musle Alphonse E. LeClair read "Thanetopsis" which was made unusually effective by the electric light effects arranged for the occasion.

Quincy lodge has lost two members since the last memorial services, James F. Burke, one of the trustees of the lodge and Dr. George R. England, making seventeen members who have died since the lodge was instituted in 1905.

GOOD ADVICE.

Miss Floretta Vining of the Hull Beacon has some advice in this week's paper which is timely just now and to the point.

Do your Christmas shopping early. It will save a lot of worry aside from giving you a better opportunity for selection.

Better a simple gift in loving remembrance than an elaborate present given grudgingly.

Have the courage of your convictions and join the "Spring Movement," which is running like wildfire all over the country in the determination to stop the wicked extravagances at Christmas time. Get back to the simple and satisfying observance of the days as our grandmother's remember it.

There is neither "Peace on Earth, nor good will to men," when the women are all fagged out chasing after Christmas presents, and the men are in a chronic state of grouch at being expected to shovel out money for a lot of useless clap-trap things which ought to go for food and fuel.

It's a travesty on common sense to greet the "old man" on Christmas morning, with an "I wish you a merry Christmas," when you know full well that he's "dead broke" with a feeling in his heart that he'd like to kick all future Christmas days into a climate hotter than Hull.

NOVEMBER PRETTY DRY.

November was a comparatively dry month as well as moderate in point of open weather. The total precipitation measured only 2.61 inches, compared with a normal of 4.10 inches, the deficiency being 1.49. The heaviest rain was on the 6th and 7th measuring 1.06 inches.

The total fall during the past 11 months, or 335 days, was 24.97 inches, a deficiency of 10.90 inches compared with the normal. During the month just past there were 13 clear, 13 cloudy and four partly cloudy days. The temperature recorded a mean maximum of 53.1, a mean minimum of 38.3 and an average mean of 45.7, which was 4.5 degrees warmer than the normal for November.

The warmest days were the 7th and 12th, 70 above, and the coolest day was the 29th, 24 minimum.

ENGINEERING MAGAZINE.

In the Engineering Magazine for December the leading place is given to the third and final paper of the series begun in October by Prof. Edw. D. Jones. The series has been presented in logical form showing how the principles of military organization and strategy might be followed reasonably and advantageously in the science of business administration.

The illustrated features for the month include: A very timely article by Henry D. Jackson, in which he discusses a question of major importance—discrimination in electric lighting rates. Mr. Jackson urges that the lighting companies should seek to diversify their consumers and encourage such employment of their power as may not increase their peak load and work additional hardship upon themselves or the small consumer; a pictorial review of work on the Panama Canal; and the first part of a general review of development in steam meters by Mr. J. A. Knesche The number also carries a review of important articles from other technical publications, and The Engineering Index.—The Engineering Magazine, New York.

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Being a candidate for Mayor at the City Election on Tuesday, I will simply state that I am under no pledges of any nature to any association, corporation or individual.

My platform, if elected your Mayor, will be

First---As a business man, I shall give to the city a business administration.

Second---In my appointments, I shall be influenced only by the fitness of the men for the office.

Third---I believe that the Assessors of the city should make a fair and honest valuation without the fear or favor of any corporation or individual.

On the question of putting the Chief of the Fire Department under the civil service, I am opposed. The Mayor should be the head of all departments.

J. H. PENNIMAN

85 Hancock Street

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1912.

ANNUAL GAME WITH THE GYM

Quincy A. A. Play Perfect. Opponents Lost One Chance

POWELL'S RUN A FEATURE

The annual Quincy A. A. and Cunningham Gymn game, scheduled for Thanksgiving afternoon, was played Saturday at the Water street grounds and the visitors lost 18 to 0. Only one penalty was imposed.

Quincy played a beautiful game, and with good interference, perfect secondary defense, and an insistent desire to win they managed to outplay the visitors.

Cunningham lost a chance to score in the first period and poor passing had considerable to do with it. Powell made two 40 yard runs and was conspicuous in most of the plays.

The work of Boyle, Matty Cummings, Captain Wood and Webb McDonald was perfection.

Boyle injured his left wrist., stayed in the game and continued to be effective. All of Quincy's men worked hard and together and the good feeling between both sides was remarked.

A large West Quincy delegation voted for Cunningham and went home disappointed.

Mayor Stone and City Clerk Crane were on hand.

Woods kicked off and Cummings stopped them; Powell circled right end for 40 yards; Cummings tackles King for a 15 yard loss; Bishop shoots through right guard for 10 yards and Tabb took Morton's place.

Rich makes no gain and King went through right tackle for five yards; Powell plunged through the line and made first down.

Tocci tackled King for a loss; Rich got a yard; Powell criss-crossed to Sangster who circled left for first down. With the ball on the Quincy 15 yard line, Hunter tackled Powell for a three yard loss. The visitors tried to drop, Bishop didn't touch the ball and as it rolled King fell on it.

The ball was in play on Quincy's 25 yard line. King slipped and Dennehy tackled for a four yard loss; Powell tried to take Bishop around right end but the gain was slight; Bishop tried a drop but the pass was poor and with 24 yards to go they punted. Quincy broke through and blocked the kick and Jim Tabb got the ball.

Quincy lined up over the ball for the first time and Boyle skinned right tackle for two yards; Wood picked the same place and made first down. On a slow start Wood made four yards as the first period closed.

The ball went into play on the 40 yard line, second down for Quincy and two yards to go. Wood made first down and then five yards through left tackle; Cummings made 10 yards on a skin tackle play and Wood tackled on four more; Cummings hit the left side and on a direct pass Boyle made first down.

With the goal to gain Wood made three yards through right tackle and then carried the ball to within four yards of the line through right tackle. Wood plugged through the left side for two yards. Boyle was sent around right end and crossed the line for the first score. Hunter missed the goal.

Wood kicked off to Sullivan who aws tackled on Quincy's 10 yard line and on a criss-cross Powell makes another 40 yard run and was stopped by Denneby on a pretty tackle. Bishop was tackled by Tabb for a loss and Quincy was penalized 25 yards for a dive tackle on the next play. Leary left the game and W. Leary fizzled a pass and Bishop recovered the ball. Bishop then tried a drop which Webb took on the 15 yard line. Webb punted to Bishop who carried the ball 25 yards; Bishop slipped and Tabb held him for a loss.

The ball on the next play was given to Powell who passed it to King who circled left end. Cummings missed a tackle and King's face hit Cummings foot and he went out. On a fizzled direct pass to Powell he just caught the ball.

Bishop tried a drop which Webb caught on the 10 yard line and he was immediately tacked by Carella. The first half ended with Quincy 6, Cunningham being dangerous only in the first period.

Wood started the period by kicking off to Bishop. Dennehy smashed a three man interference and tackled King, who took the ball from Powell, for no gain. A forward pass was received by Boyle who carried the ball 10 yards with a man on his shoulders. Matty was tackled by Powell, but made first down, and Boyle took six yards through right tackle. On the next rush Wood carries the ball to his 15 yard line and then made three yards through left guard. With good interference Cummings makes first down and laid the ball on the five yard line.

Wood got a yard through right tackle and Cummings made no gain on a direct pass. Boyle hit the line and in trying to penetrate a stubborn defence he tore a tendon in his right wrist and bruised a bone, but kept in the game.

Wood opened the last period by making first down and Cummings followed with 10 yards.

The score:

QUINCY A. A.	CUNNINGHAM GYM.
Hunter le	re Sangster
Morton lt	rt Shields
Tabb lt	rt Peterson
Tocci lg	rg Carella
Kelly lg	
Moberg, c	c W. Leary
Harkins rg	lg R. Leary
H. McKinnon rg	
Gerstel rt	lt Sullivan
Dennehy re	le Ward
McDonald qb	qb Bishop
Boyle lhb	rhb King
Cummings rhb	lhb Powell
Wood fb	fb Rich

Score 18—0. Touchdowns Boyle, Cummings and Wood. Umpire Fallon, Fordham College. Referee "Jack" Norton. Linesmen Chapman, Manning and Mullen. Timer Ray McDonald. Periods 4-10 min.

WHIRLWIND FINISH.

Candidate Miller is to make a whirlwind tour of the city tonight and will speak in every ward starting at the Atlantic station at 7.30. From here he goes to Wollasion where he will speak at the Wollaston station at 8 o'clock. The time at the other points is West Quincy station 8.30, Quincy Adams station 9, City Suare 9.30 and Quincy Point at 10.

President of Brazil's Wife Dead

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 2.—The wife of Hermes Fonseca, president of Brazil, died yesterday.

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REASONS WHY HE SUPPORTS STONE

Johnson Does Not Like Style of Those Who Oppose Him

There has been considerable speculation during the past few days as to just where John H. Johnson, the local state committee man of the Progressive party stands in the present municipal campaign. He was frequently mentioned during the early days of the municipal campaign as the Progressive party candidate for Mayor, but he refused to allow the use of his name. He was particularly active during the recent state and national campaign and many wondered who he would support in the present fight. In a statement bearing upon this point Mr. Johnson said:

"I feel that inasmuch as Mr. Miller does not care to publish my letter that it would not be either fair or in good taste for me to do so; I will state that while I have no criticism to make of either of the other candidates I believe Mayor Stone's defeat would be a misfortune: not because of his personal defeat but because of the victory of some of the men who have conspired to destroy him politically and the victory of the methods they have used.

"I believe the great majority of Progressives in Quincy desire better government and cleaner politics and I fail to see how Mayor Ston's defeat can be construed as anything except a victory of politics which certainly are neither fair nor clean.

"For these reasons, chiefly, I am in favor of the re-election of Mayor Stone and the election of such Councilmen as measure up to standards of honesty and reasonable ability.

Extensive Prairie Fire

Swift Current, Sask., Dec. 2.—A prairie fire is sweeping south of here over a territory forty miles wide and extending to the North Dakota boundary line. Many farm buildings and haystacks have been burned.

Mrs. Rose A. Reed holds a whist party tonight in Protection hall.

HICKEY FAILED IN MURDER HERE

Quincy Boy Luckily Slipped Through His Clutches

HORRIBLE STORY OF CRIME

J. Frank Hickey, formerly of Quincy, is the self confessed murderer of three people, one of them being accidental, and two planned with devilish cunning, after the man's passions had become inflamed with liquor.

In addition to those crimes, he attempted the lives of two boys in Boston and one in Quincy.

The boys whom he tried to kill in Boston were Harry Bennett, aged 15 then of 2 Newbern place, South End, and John Martin, aged 16, who lived in South Boston. Hickey gave his age at the time as 40, and his address as 17 Hanson street. The house is a lodging house kept by Mrs. Stella Baldus.

With reference to those three attempted crimes, Hickey said:

"After the Morey affair in Lowell I went to Boston and was working in Pie alley in the newspaper district. I knew the newsboys and one night two of them came to me and asked me for money to get a lodging. I knew them and I did not have the money, so I told them that I would take them home with me. They asked for a bed and I was willing to share mine. I took them home and then the insane desire to kill them seized me.

"I put them to bed and then I went out to get some whiskey. I drank it and then I started to commit the crime and to end my own life. I padded the doors and windows. I ripped off the gas jets and then dropped on the bed to die with the boys. The next thing I awoke in the city hospital. I didn't know what happened. I came to in the hospital, but I was afterwards told that some one had seen me take the boys into the room and they called the police.

"The second time this thing got hold of me was at Quincy, Mass. I was on the way home one night and a little fellow came along and asked me for money. I knew that he was a whiskey drinker and I told him that I had two bottles at my room. I took him home.

"The desire to kill came to me again. The boy had gone to bed and was asleep. I said to myself, 'I'm going to dispose of you.' I knew that I could do it in the stillness of the night without attracting attention. I would wait until he was thoroughly asleep. I dozed away and when I woke up the boy had disappeared. I never was so disappointed in my life.

MILLER LOOKS TO SWEEP CITY

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The opposition to his (Bailey's) candidacy came from one man in Wollaston Park, because he opposed the $8000 appropriation for Elm avenue. He had even refused to put in an order for his own street, Lincoln avenue, because he did not believe in borrowing money to pay current expenses.

"Independence avenue is a disgrace to the city" he said "Hasn't it taken nerve to vote against this. I have done it because I am sick of the present methods. We ought to get on an honest basis."

A. N. Murray said the only criticism he heard was that he was "too sarcastic." "If you had spent a year at city hall and seen the game as it is played and could withstand the temptation of becoming sarcastic you would not be a good public servant," he said.

"If I go back to City hall I shall be twice as independent as the first year and if money is spent loosely shall be a thorn in the flesh.' I have not lost confidence in Quincy. All we need are some changes at city hall."

John L. Miller declared his campaign would sweep the city from end to end. Already it was starting up like wild fire.

He said he would properly regulate the water department. He would put the city on a financial basis. He would do his best and would not play politics.

Councilman Charles E. Barker opposed to borrowing money on current expenses and opposed the Elm avenue appropriation.

Spanish Teachers Forming Union

Madrid, Dec. 2.—Inspired by the recent railway strike the schoolmasters of Spain are organizing themselves into a union. The average salary of masters in the elementary schools is now only $4 a week—and they get that only when there are funds on hand to pay it.

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VOTERS OF QUINCY

As the new Adams School "issue and illustration" was brought before you in Saturday's Ledger, before voting I ask every voter to take a look at the location, and after doing so, ask himself the honest question, "Was Mr. Miller's opposition to the location a sound one?"

I do not hesitate to say that 90 per cent. or more will say yes; and will cast their vote for **JOHN L. MILLER for Mayor.**

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QUINCY LOST BY ONE POINT

Close Game Marks Opening of Basket Ball

SCORE 33 TO 32

The opening game here in the Greater Boston Y. M. C. A. League, played Saturday in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium resulted in the defeat of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. team by Somerville Y. M. C. A. 33 to 32. The game was close throughout, the score at the end of the first half standing 23 to 23. The star was Trask of Quincy, who scored 26 points. For Somerville Duggan played the best game.

A one-point victory was also won by the Somerville second team, which defeated the Quincy second, 27 to 26. The summary of the first teams' game:

SOMERVILLE	QUINCY
Sprigade rf	lb Kenn
	lb Holmes
Duggan lf	rb Rich
Moore c	c Brooks
McFadden rb	lf Trask
Dickson lb	rf Parkes

Score Somerville 33, Quincy 32. Goals from floor, Duggan 6, Sprigade 4, McFadden 3, Moore 2, Dickson, Trask 9, Brooks 2, Kenn. Goals from fouls, Duggan, Trask 8. Referee, Jones. Timer, LaRose. Time, 20m halves. Attendance 150.

The Second team game was also a "hummer" from start to finish, Somerville winning out during the last few minutes of play, when Ross caged a beauty from the center of the floor.

The Somervile men outweighed the local men by about 30 lbs. each and in a hard game like those of Saturday night, the weight began to tell during the last few minutes of play. Some of the players and audience thought "Dick" was a little too easy on the visitors.

Somerville 2nd.	Quincy 2nd.
Riddell rf	lb Pinel
	lb Holmes
Verwiebe lf	rb Johnson
	rb Dineen
Ross c	c Corthell
Evans rb	lf Price
Peterson lb	rf Thomas
Scoville lb	

Score Somerville 27. Quincy 26. Goals from floor Ross 7, Verwiebe 4, Riddell 2, Evans 1, Price 5, Thomas 4 Dineen 1, Pinel 1. Goals from fouls Thomas, Pinel 1. Ross 1. Referee Jones. Scorer LaRose. Time 2-20m.

SHAW PLAYED GOOD GAME

But Fore River Lost to Rovers of Fall River

LATTER IN CUP SERIES

The Fore Rivers were defeated by the Rovers at Fall River Saturday afternoon, 4 to 3. Shaw played a brilliant game at centre. The winners are now eligible to play in the third round of the American cup series against the Howard-Bulloughs of Pawtucket. The summary:

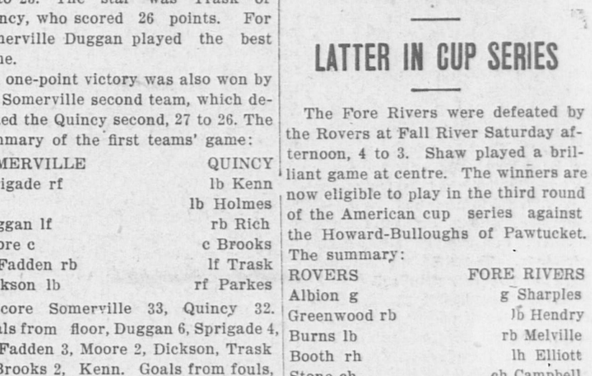
ROVERS	FORE RIVERS
Albion g	g Sharples
Greenwood rb	lb Hendry
Burns lb	rb Melville
Booth rh	lh Elliott
Stone ch	ch Campbell
Greenslade lh	rh Robertson
Gauthier rof	lof Rennie
Sullivan rif	lif Harrison
J. J. Sullivan cf	cf Shaw
McKenna lif	rif J. Robertson
Oldham lof	rof Carruthers

Score, Rovers 4, Fore Rivers 3. Goals made, by Shaw 3, Oldham, McKenna, Gauthier, J. J. Sullivan. Referee, Smith. Linesmen. Howarth and Eddy. Time, 45m halves.

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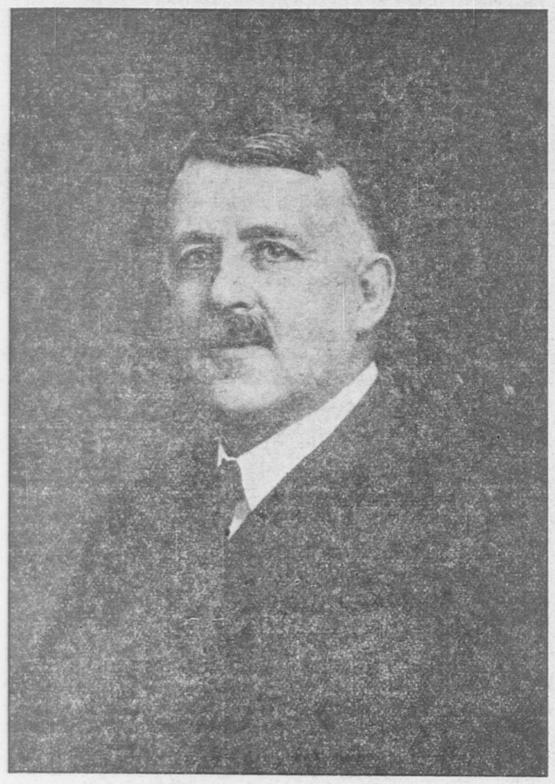
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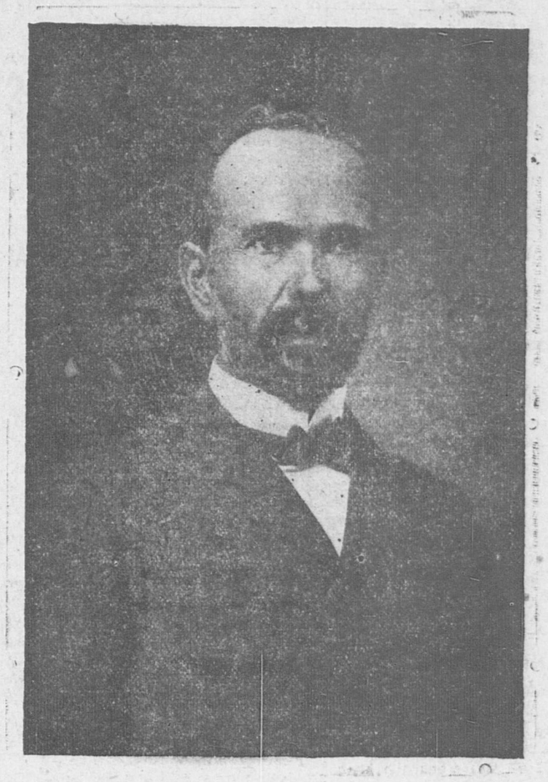
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE ASKS POWER TO TRANSFER APPROPRIATIONS

Citizens Will Have Chance to Air Their Views on Public Bath House

City Council Refuses Slaughter House License to Sochat

Forty-five minutes sufficed to transact all the business that came before the City Council Monday evening. The absent members were Councilmen Abele, Cunningham, Devaney, Mahoney and Sodergren.

A venire was received for the drawing of traverse jurors for the December sitting of the superior court. The Mayor, City Clerk and Councilman Richards drew the following according to law:

Paul E. Poland, John Williams, John J. Fallon, Albert W. Finley, Henry T. Gallagher, Charles W. Read, Andrew J. Fahey.

A communication was received from the City Auditor asking for an increase in salary. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Chief of Police asking for an additional appropriation of $246 to pay the Telephone Co., for work done. This amount is in addition to the sum of $1,200 appropriated earlier in the year to place the Wollaston and Atlantic police signal wires under ground. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the City Clerk asking for an additional appropriation of $250 for State Aid. Referred to Committee on Finance.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works asking for an appropriation of $1,000 to retube the boilers at the High school. Referred to Committee on Public Buildings.

A communication was received from the School Committee asking for the following transfers.

$160 from Operation to Administration.

$225 from Operation to Miscellaneous.

$90 from Operation to Maintenance.

$150 from Industrial Day school to Industrial Evening school.

The unexpended balance remaining to the Instruction account on Dec. 30. to Stationery.

The unexpended balance of Text Books appropriation to Stationery.

All referred to Finance Committee.

Petitions from the New England Telephone Co., for attachments on Kendrick avenue, Federal avenue, East Squantum street and Fayette street were granted.

Petitions from the Electric Light Co. for a relocation of poles on Avon way, Whitney road, and Cranch street were granted.

Petitions from the Electric Light Co., for a location for poles on East Elm avenue, Quincy street and Dixwell avenue were referred to Committee on Streets.

The Finance Committee reported ought not to pass on the order for $1,000 for suppression of the Gypsy Moth. The report brought out quite a discussion in which Councilmen Studley, Richards and Bailey participated. During this discussion it was brought out that in order for the city to get any return from the state it was necessary to expend over $5,000 in any one year for the gypsy moth work. That the amount expended on private property was not included in this amount. It was also brought out that the state financial year closed Dec. 1, and even if an appropriation was made at this time it would not benefit the city by getting any return from the state. The report of the Committee was then accepted.

The Finance Committee reported no legislation necessary on the communication from the Mayor and Board of Health relative to an appropriation for Miscellaneous Board of Health. Report accepted.

The Committee on Ordinances reported an ordinance prohibiting changing the course of brooks, etc., and the filling of natural water ways with refuse, etc. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Licenses reported leave to withdraw on the petition of the Hayman Sochat for a license to conduct a slaughter house. Report accepted.

The same committee reported orders granting a common victuallers license to Gertrude Hill and a Sunday fruit license to Mrs. A. Anderson. Orders adopted.

The Committee on Sewers reported reference to the Executive on the petitions for sewers on Hancock street Atlantic and Arnold street. Report accepted.

The Special Committee on Financial Investigation reported an order for a public hearing Dec. 9, at 8 o'clock on the resolution that the Mayor petition the legislature for a date appropriation for a public bath house on the Quincy Shore reservation. Adopted.

The School Committee on Financial Investigation reported a substitute resolve for the resolve requesting the Mayor to petition the legislature to exempt Quincy from the amount it can raise by taxation for current expenses. The amendment authorizing the Mayor to petition the legislature that the City of Quincy be given authority to raise $14 per $1,000 valuation for current expenses instead of $12 per $1,000 valuation for a period of three years.

Councilman Richards said that there was a diversity of opinion on the advisability of this matter and he questioned if the council had considered the question as fully as it should. He did not believe that the City Council was sufficiently informed to vote intelligently on the matter and he therefore moved the order be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

A public hearing was held at 8.15 on the petition to have the old building on Greenwood avenue Wollaston removed as it was a menace to public safety. No one appeared for or against the order. Councilman Barker however spoke briefly on the question stating that the building had been partly burned and it was a fire menace. He was interrupted by President Hobbs who stated that it was a little out of form for a member of the Council to argue the question at that time as he would have an opportunity when the committee made its report. The hearing then closed and the order was recommitted.

Councilman Bailey offered a resolve accepting Chapter 320 of the acts of 1912 relative to the use of rooms or halls in school buildings other than for school purposes.

The act provides that the School Committee of any city or town which accepts this act, shall grant the temporary use of rooms and halls in school buildings upon such terms and conditions and for such public or educational purposes as the school committee may deem wise, provided that the use of such rooms or halls shall not interfere with the use of the rooms or halls for school purposes.

The order was adopted.

Adjourned at 8.21 until next Monday Dec. 9.

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CANDIDATES MADE LAST APPEAL TO VOTERS IN DELUGE OF RAIN

Biggest Political Battle In History of City Closes This Afternoon

Few Who Have Dared Hazard a Prediction as to the Result

The battle of the ballots is on, or rather it has been on since six o'clock this morning and will be almost ended by the time this reaches the gentle reader and the determined voter. The day opened cool and clear an ideal election day. Everything pointed to a big vote. It is quite likely that fully 85 per cent of the registered vote will be recorded. The storm of last night while severe, left no destructive or obstructive hurdles in the way of the voter this morning. The rain and wind did their utmost to upset things and continued until hastened hence by a controlling power and this morning when the day broke the sun shone upon as pleasant a day as ever dawned in December and as desirable a one for election as the most difficult one to please could desire.

The candidates and their friends were astir early. The police detail was out on tiime with the ballot boxes and the supply of ballots and other material for the polling places and no complaint was received that the polls in the several wards and precincts of the city were not open and ready for business on time.

The workers were also early birds on the job and the checkers were right on deck with the voting lists and the ever busy pencil. Their task was light at first but there was a rush of trade as the morning advanced and the army of candidates and their well wishers got in their work.

Automobiles and carriages were every where in evidence. There was activity on the part of every one who had anything at stake. Naturally the greatest interest centered in the Mayoralty fight. Of the three candidates, Eugene R. Stone, John L. Miller and James H. Penniman, there were few who dared to predict a winner during the early stages of the balloting today. Of course the respective workers made the usual claim but claims are not predictions and of course were naturally a little biased by desire.

The candidates have been around all day from polling place to polling place, consulting a lieutenant here and a lieutenant there. At times there is a slight variation of the game as played upon the political checkerboard. A move being changed here or there to meet some unexpected emergency. But in the main there was very little shifting of flank on the part of the contestants. The map plan of campaign had, or at least should have been mapped out and the route to success or defeat laid down with unerring accuracy before the dawn of the present day. Material shifting of base at this late day would indicate weakness or lack of forethought on the part of the board of strategy, so that in the main the game today was played along the lines laid out up to last night.

The councilmen at large are having a lively battle. There are 14 candidates for five places, a safe bet that nine of them will stay home. Each and every one is working hard, hopeless of victory. The contests in the wards are being waged vigorously. The candidates have settled right down into the harness and are working hard. It is rather interesting to watch the contests from the outside. Every candidate has a smile, but beneath that forced skin deep wrinkle there is anything but pleasant thought or truly cheerful aspect. It is consciousness of a contest, which means much to all, but in some cases means more than it does to others.

And so the battle wages. The polls will close at 4 o'clock. Some returns should be turned into city hall within an hour, which would indicate the tide on the mayoralty contest. The Ledger will print a special edition, just as soon as the ballots are counted giving a correct statement of the officials elected, the results of the several questions asked, and the total vote and ward and precinct vote of the city in detail, special effort being made to capitulate it as rapidly as possible and turn into type and thence to the press and on the streets in newspaper form.

Much interest is marked upon the outcome of the license and no-license contest. The license people if they seriously considering turnng the city did not make much toward demonstration to that end. If they worked at all with that purpose they worked very quietly. That of course is the most difficult of political work to cope with.

Still the No-License people are hopeful and feel that when the returns come in there will be another victory added to their string.

The other questions on the ballot are occupying some attention. The firemen and their friends want to see the measures in which they are interested in pass, but when it comes to the building inspection law, it is doubtful if many have even carefully read this and fully realize its import and significance. There was not much activity this year on the part of women voters, to register. There did not appear to be much cause for their getting busy. Only about 53 registered in all. The number who will vote today naturally will be much less.

The sensation of the campaign came at the eleventh hour. It is always looked for always expected and always methods are taken to offset its effect as much as possible. One bright example of the passage of an election without the injection of such material as is likely to prove a boomerang, was the recent National election. But then it must be considered that circumstances and conditions were by no means similar to what they are in Quincy today.

The thing that started the trouble was the so-called "Foy Circular." And the thing which if it succeeded in starting a toboggan from one candidate to the other was another "Foy Circular," repudiating the first. Both circulars bear the name of Robert E. Foy and his address, 13 Elliot street. Both bear the date of Dec. 2, 1912. If the first one, repudiated by Mr. Foy according to the second, did not bear out just what he intended, then the

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Occasionally a candidate fails to discover which side of the fence he is on till he falls off.

President Wilson, when the time comes will be obliged to send a special message to Congress reading something like this, "Dear Congress, If you love me, love my Bryan."

The New York society woman who wears a watch on her dancing slipper does it so that she can keep time.

New York is crusading against church bells. The unfamiliar ring no doubt frightens the natives.

Was the deluge of last night signimenat of the water vote that will be cast today?

The candidates have made their appeal. They are now truly in the hands of both friends and enemies.

President elect Wilson, has been forced to pay excess postage on mail advising him as to the make up of his cabinet.

The kickers might at least have learned the postage rates to Bermuda.

A cold wave is promised after that earthly bathing of Monday night. That will add joy to the hearts of the coal dealers, clothiers and incidentally the ice men. It means an early crop for the last named, with attendant large profits in the summer.

There should really be no need of admonishing people to keep to the right. They should be familiar with the rules of the road and study their own comfort and convenience along those lines.

The Harriman rail trust has been smashed. Will that mean a raise in rates as in the case of the Standard oil?

That boy orator of New York has early entered upon a contempt of the police. But under the illuminating circumstances in his home city, there may be some reason or excuse. Still, a good spanking and early to bed medicine would have been a better hand out for his general sentiments.

The Eastern Europe enemies who only a few days ago were killing each other are now hobnobbing. Which only goes to show how useless is war.

Tony Biddle has fixed upon boxing to boost bible classes. What becomes of that world famous quotation of being smitten on one cheek and then turning the other?

Another billion dollar congress in sight which of course adds its portion to the high cost of living.

Mayor Fitzgerald continues to raise salaries and smile at his critics. No doubt the beneficiaries also smile with more satisfaction.

That Johnson person out in Chicago is becoming somewhat unbearable. In view of his former escapades he is talking too plenty.

A New York couple lived together 11 years without exchanging a word. That poor woman's tongue must have been blistered by the long silence and the things she left unspoken about her better half.

That Cornell man who lived and grew fat on 85 cents a week could not get along very well in an ordinary "prep" school in the east.

If the Berlin doctor can make good his claim to cure consumption he will have conferred a boon to mankind greater than any in his day and generation. No monument would be too grand for such a world benefactor.

Fourteen Massachusetts cities, hold elections, today. Only three, Quincy, Brockton and Waltham are in the "dry column" but it is believed that others will follow the procession.

The military drill in the public schools is condemned by Edwin D. Mead, because he believes it is unnecessary. If he had added that it was likewise very expensive he would have struck another objection which many parents feel.

UP TO THE VOTERS.

Today the citizens of Quincy are determining by their balloting who shall hold the seats at City Hall, for the year 1913 and also deciding upon the license question and three other questions, namely placing the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department under civil service, allowing the firemen one day off in five and acceptance of the act relative to the inspection, supervision and the like of buildings erected within the jurisdiction of the city. The campaign which closes at the polls today has probably been the most aggressively conducted in the history of the city. The three candidates for mayor are well known to the citizens likewise their qualifications. Mayor Stone seeks a reelection. James H. Penniman, Democrat and John L. Miller, Progressive Citizen oppose him. So far as can be judged from any indications which have cropped above the surface, the voters are doing a great deal of quiet thinking in this campaign. They have got the political wise acres guessing to a certain extent. Few dare to make any prediction on the outcome of this interesting three cornered fight. The candidates and their friends have been working like Trojans for the past few weeks and continued their efforts up to a late hour last night, not in the least disturbed by the deluge of rain which greeted them on their rounds.

Looking at the situation from an unbiased and unprejudiced point of view, it really looks as though Mayor Stone had the pole on this the decisive day of the contest. Still one never can tell. The average voter has done more deep thinking and less real talking as to preferences this year than ever before, which leaves the people who usuallly can be looked upon to draw a fairly good line on the outcome of elections plainly "in the air," as to the result of this particular election.

That the city will go No-License is firmly believed by a great many. As to the outcome of the other questions on the ballot there is ground for reasonable doubt.

With regard to the Councilmen-at-large and the Council from the different wards, the voters have been equally reticent in expressing their views, which leaves the outcome of those contests a matter of doubt in the minds of many.

Only a few more hours and the decision of the voters will be given. Whatever the verdict, the people in general should settle down to assist those to whom they will entrust power to administer the affairs of the city in a way that will reflect credit upon the officials and bear out the good judgment of the majority, or plurality, of the voters which ever it may, in their selection of men to office.

PAGANISM AND VICE.

Just at the present time there appears to be a chorus of clergymen and others who have sounded two notes in their repertoire with startling harmony of expression. Those notes are Paganism and vice. One clergyman insists that the vices which assail high society are worse than Romes darkest day. Others follow the same trend and come up with an amen. Paganism is the crime charged against others. The claim is just as strenuous regarding this offense. Both wings of the anti-crime crusade are pretty strong in their terms but that they have cause for the same is within the bounds of reason. But is so called society really responsible for the condition which exists within their circle? Are the lesser favored people to be too harshly condemned for their part towards the downward path or are the pagans or are the other fag ends of society which go to make up the flotsom and jetsom of humanity to be blamed and forever consigned to perdition for their contribution towards the general evil atmosphere? It is an open question. But this one thing possibly may be borne in mind and if heeded would perhaps create a change for the better and produce a less dismal outcome than that proclaimed by the clergymen. The point is that no nation, no state, no city, and no community, is one whit better or worse than its public sentiment will stand. Public sentiment controls the key to the situation. When it is for good, good will result. When it is for evil or lacity those will prevail.

But even if those not desirable conditions should maintain, it is no sign that they will exist for a long time. Communities wake up every little while and do a little house cleaning. The country performed a similar stunt, a few weeks ago. There is always a turning point and the turning is usually reached in this country in time to avert disaster. It is all right to urge reform, but in doing so it is a bad principle to be too pessimistic. Have a peep on the bright side of the wall once in a while. So let us not make wild cat claims but do the best we can to improve things which we known to be wrong. It can be done by certain acts without these blatent utterances which do no material good only stamp the person uttering them as a sensationalist and attract attention to a person who wants to make a stir who if pinned down to give testimony to bear out his off hand claims would be lost in a sea of doubt. While admitting there are some chance of improvement, it can be accomplished in a quiet, tactful matter, with a true regard to christian course and christian charity towards all.

FOOD AND CANDY SALE.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold a food and candy sale in the vestry tomorrow from 2.30 to 8.30 o'clock. The church will be open at noon to receive all donations of bread, cake, pies, etc.

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STOOD FOR THE DEATH PENALTY

As a Deterrent and Preventative of Crime

District Attorney John H. Higgins addressed the Men's club of St. Chrysostom's Parish, Monday evening on "The history of crime" and gave one of the most interesting talks the club has heard in a long time.

The speaker also told of the various steps taken in dealing with a criminal from the time of his arrest until his conviction or acquital.

The working of the probation system was explained. "The jury," declared the speaker, "has a lot of sympathy for the defendant and especially in cases of reckless driving, abortion and perjury the jury discount the crime and it is hard to secure a conviction."

The difference between felonies, serious offences punishable by death or state prison and misdemeanors or petty crimes punishable by a term in jail, or fine, the grand petty and traverse juries were described and the procedure taken in court cases outlined. Much more attention is given to probation than ever before and it is found to work well in a large number of cases.

Mr. Higgins did not believe innocent people were ever convicted as it was hard enough to convict a guilty man. He was a strong believer in circumstantial evidence. Not one piece of evidence but a whole chance of events.

There have been more people wrongly convicted through perjuring witnesses and mistaken testimony than ever by circumstantial evidence.

He spoke of the solemnity of the death sentence and how strongly it affected the judges pronouncing it. Nothing in his mind so upheld the dignity of the law. He believed in capital punishment as a deterrent and a protection to the community. A social interval and refreshments followed after which a business meeting was held in which the coming Men's club entertainment was discussed.

HELLO CENTRAL NOTHING DOING

Usual Call and Response on the Night of the Dance

RAIN NO TERRORS

"Hello Central!" No response. Call repeated with same results. Another call more energetic. Then "what's the matter?" Choking effort of the subscriber to express his indignation, resulting in bur-r-r-r on the wire, interruped by "What's the matter with you?"

"I've been calling here 15 minutes and cannot get an answer, it is an outrage,—"more bur-r-ring sounds. "Ah gwan, can't ye be patient here we are short handed. The hello girls are having their dance in Alpha hall. It's their one night in the year and they want to have a good time, rain or no rain."

"Oh, well in that case—perhaps I was a little hasty. Hope the girls will have a good time and make lots of money. By the way where did you say that party was? Oh yes, Alpha hall. Thank you, me for the hall" and as he hung up the receiver, the operator at the other end heard a shrill yell, "where's my rubbers and mackintosh, I'm going too—" and then receiver reached its place with a bang and the connection was broken.

Yes, the first dancing party of the "Hello Girls" of the Quincy exchange was held at Alpha hall, Monday evening and it proved a grand success in every way. During the early part of the evening the rain was heavy but the attendance was not affected to any great extent. A feature of the dance was the "Hello" special. Music was furnished by Hamilton's orchestra.

Miss Rita L. Kennedy was floor directress and Miss Yvonne Bouchard was her assistant. Miss Helen Cronin was chief of aids, assisted by Misses Katherine Cronin, Gertrude Kennedy, Edith Barry, Gelbeve Bouchard and Margaret Scanlon.

Operators from out of town exchanges were present and the following clubs were represented:

Manet Social Club, Orient A. A., Quincy A. A., Sagamore A. C., Quincy Y. M. H. A. Pastime Club, Naseia Social Club, South Quincy B. B. C., W. W. A. C., Manhattan Club of Cambridge, Retlahnier, Copeland Club, Station Outing Club, Bryants Club, Junior Order of Moose, Quincy Press Club, Windol Associates, Uptopian Girls, I. D. I. Girls, Y. F. K. Girls, Glenetha Girls, Quincy Gym Girls, So-So-Girls, K. I. A. Girls.

GREAT INTEREST IN THE MISSION

Men Crowd St. John's Church Every Night

The men of the St. John's parish attended the Monday evening mission service in large numbers. Instruction in spiritual exercises was given by Rev. Fr. Condon, S. J. and the sermon was delivered by Rev. Fr. Coyle, S. J. Benediction was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Scannell. Music was by the men's choir under the direction of John Mahon, organist.

Father Coyle spoke on "Mortal Sin" saying that a christian man was one whose reason was guided by faith. He said that mortal sin was the barrier a man consciously raised between himself and his God.

A large number of men also attended the mission masses this morning, a short instruction following both.

READ LEDGER ADVS.

WILLIAMS AGAIN ON TOP

Big Gains By Sturgis Hunt and Others

MORE NEW CANDIDATES

Only for a day did Fred J. Kessler hold first place in the Washington contest. Big gains may be expected daily, and 100 five-vote coupons today, good for 500 votes given Fred D. Williams a total of 2035, and once more puts him in the lead. But the margin of 20 is small.

Sturgis Hunt of the Y. M. C. A. made his biggest gain today, from 300 to 520, and seems well established in third place. Good gains were also made by William Wolf of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, Miss Annie Lamont of the L. L. O. L., Conductor Kelley and others.

Among the new candidates are Emma C. Marnock of the Womens Relief Corps, William Pratt at the Fore River office, F. J. Hamel of the Boy Scouts, Peter T. Fallon, the ex-Councilmen and others. It is not too late to enter the contest, as one subscription certificate would put a new candidate in third place. The first prize—round trip tickets to Washington for two—is worth over $100.

Candidates should remember the offer of of the Vote Editor to give a certificate good for 100 votes to candidate who stands first in the contest at 9 A. M., Monday, Dec. 9.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 10 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	2035
Fred J. Kessler, Montclair	2015
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	520
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	100
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	80
Sam Shellman, Granite street	75
James Neary, Fore River	60
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	60
William Kelley, conductor	50
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	50
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	50
John H. Hart, timekeeper	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	45
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	40
Galen Bowditch, messenger	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	40
W. C. Luther, Fore River	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Jennie Beer, O. D. St. George	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
Ethel Randall, stenographer	40
William Pratt, Fore River	30
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	30
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	30
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	30
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	30
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Richard Larkin, High school	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	25
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	25
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
A. McKay, Heptasophs	20
James McNamara, police	20
William Erickson, F. of A.	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	20
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	20
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	20
John Mahon, organist	15
Katherine C. Walsh, telephone	15
Walter Mead, High school	10
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	10
John T. Cain, K. of C.	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	5
Minnie Glover, S. of V. Aux.	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5

"Vote early and often."

Japanese War Minister Resigns

Tokio, Dec. 3.—Lieutenant General Uyehera, Japanese minister of war, formally tendered his resignation to the emperor, owing to refusal of the other members of the cabinet to accede to his demand for the increase of the army by two divisions.

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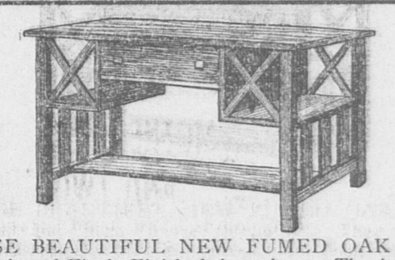
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ODD LADIES SERVED SUPPER

Pleasing Entertainment Was Likewise Presented

Members and friends of the Dorothy Q. Lodge of Odd Ladies had a pleasant time at the supper and entertainment in Odd Fellows hall, Wollaston, Monday evening.

A fine supper was served by a commitee consisting of Mrs. I. Wendell Gammons, Mrs. George Charnock and Mrs. Henry Pletsch.

At the entertainment piano solos by Miss Ruth Cahill and cornet solos by Ernest Pletsch were enjoyed.

"Whipping a boy" and other selections were recited by Rachel McTear. Alec McTear rendered violin solos. The evening closed with phonograph selections.

The entertainment was under the direction of Miss Clara E. Bennett assisted by Miss Ruth Cahill, Mrs. Walter E. Stewart and Miss Stella Cummings.

DANCE CLOSED THE CAMPAIGN

A novel feature of the municipal campaign was the dancing party of Mayor Stone's friends held in Brasee hall, Wollaston, Monday night.

The hall had been hired for a rally, and when this was deemed inexpedient Mayor Stone turned the hall over to the members of the ward committee, their friends and ladies for a social dance.

Campbell's orchestra was secured a crowd quickly gathered and a merry time was had. Representative Leslie, Councilman Barker and many other candidates and former city officials were present.

Mayor Stone and his party looked in on their way from a rally. His Honor welcomed the ladies urging all to enjoy themselves. He stated that the eleventh hour stories being circulated against him would be refuted at the proper time and place.

(ADVERTISE.)

LAST APPEAL MADE IN RAIN

Candidate Penniman and Friends on the Job to the End

The Democratic party put forth their last efforts on Monday night. Candidate James H. Penniman accompanied by William Kelly, James Wall, Joseph Kennedy and Representative-elect Michael T. Sullivan, spoke at St. Mary's hall, Cahill's hall, ward two headquarters and Keating's hall

John D. Smith presided at St. Mary's hall, and the speakers were Senator-elect McDevitt, Harry T. Boyd, Daniel Cocoran, John Cocoran, in addition to the others.

Thomas Griffin presided at the headquarters and ex-councilman William A. Carey at Keating's hall. The ward candidates spoke at both halls.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

The report of Superintendent Barbour of the school attendance for November is as follows:

Schools	Whole No. at Date.	Av. Daily Attendance.	Per Cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardiness	Dismissal Truancy
High	869	773.2	96.1	107	61 0
Adams	411	353.9	95.8	18	6 2
Atherton Hough	203	173.3	93.8	6	9 0
Coddington	555	480.4	93.6	17	28 2
Cranch	332	301.1	97.7	2	5 0
Gridley Bryant	277	236.8	94.7	41	8 3
John Hancock	351	345.0	96.2	0	4 0
Lincoln	455	406.7	96.8	6	5 4
Mass. Fields	401	357.1	95.2	16	48 0
Montclair	269	253.3	93.4	13	12 0
Quincy	453	407.8	94.6	17	24 2
Washington	519	418.1	91.3	28	12 0
Willard	800	725.8	95.4	33	11 4
Wollaston	439	384.6	95.4	19	10 2
	634	5547.1	95.1	323	258 19

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JOY AND GLOOM IN CONGRESS

Scenes In Senate Are Even More Solemn Than Usual

REPUBLICANS ARE NOT HAPPY

Must Soon Hand Control of Upper Branch Over to Democrats—Four Governors-elect and Others Receive Ovations From Fellow Members of the House—Tribute to Cannon

Washington, Dec. 3.—At the third and last session of congress it took the senate only twenty-four minutes and the house not much longer to finish the formal opening business, and then both bodies adjourned until today in respect to the memory of Vice President Sherman and members who had passed away during the vacation.

The scenes in the senate were more solemn even than usual. Added to gloom caused by the vacant chairs of the vice president and Senators Heyburn of Idaho and Raynor of Maryland, was the general depression among the senators over the fact that they would soon be called upon to hand the control of the senate over to the Democrats.

A number of Republican lame ducks —the venerable Shelby M. Cullom of Illinois, Charles Curtis of Kansas and others—wandered about and greeted their colleagues, but there seemed to be little joy in the air.

Only sixty-six of the ninety-six senators were present at the opening. After the opening prayer and the passage of the formalities declaring that the senate was ready to transact business, Senator Root announced, with a brief eulogy, the death of Vice President Sherman and offered a resolution of regret. The death of Senator Heyburn was announced by Senator Borah, and that of Senator Raynor by Senator Smith of Maryland.

Senator Bacon of Georgia presided over the senate in its opening deliberations as president pro-tempore. He was chosen before congress adjourned to serve until Dec. 16.

In the house the opening scenes were in striking contrast to the dignified performance in the senate. The chamber was packed with members and outsiders.

The Democrats were in a joyful frame of mind over their recent victory at the polls and the prospect of undisputed control of the government.

The Reupblicans were a bit downcast, although their Progressive brethren seemed to be disposed to indulge in a sort of jollification meeting with the Democrats

Such members of the old guard as Uncle Joe Cannon entered the chamber with heads erect and with no outward appearance that their spirits had been crushed by defeat.

Taken as a whole the occasion was a lively one, some members being congratulated on victory, while regrets were expressed that others had been defeated.

Politics appeared to be forgotten for the time and there were no exhibitions of partisanship such as are bound to crop out before the session has passed into history.

The features of the house opening were the receptions given Speaker Clark, former Speaker Cannon and four governors-elect who will soon retire from congress to take up their new duties.

Governors-elect Sulzer of New York, Cox of Ohio and Robinson of Arkansas were lionized by their Democratic fellows. Representative Hanna of North Dakota, Republican governor-elect of that state, was given a fine reception by both sides.

Uncle Joe Cannon received what was probably the biggest demonstration of the day. In point of service, Cannon is "father of the house." Upon the conclusion of his career in congress on March 4, Cannon will have served in the house thirty-eight years.

FINED $5000 AND JAILED

Doctor Caught In Government Crusade Admits His Guilt

Kansas City, Dec. 3.—Dr. Valentine Studer of Kansas City, arrested in the recent nation-wide purity crusade of the government, pleaded guilty in the federal court in Kansas City, Kan., to sending forbidden matter through the mails.

Studer was sentenced to four months in jail and fined $5000. Studer was the only Kansas City practitioner caught in the raid.

A Duel With Knives

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 3.—Alfred Anderson is under arrest here following a knife duel with Kosta Kalimeh, who is believed to be dying. Anderson is now held in $500 bonds on a charge of disturbing the peace.

Wolves Invade Arkansas Town

Flippin, Ark., Dec. 3.—Driven by hunger, large packs of wolves are invading this town, and the men have organized to fight off the intruders, while mothers protect their children behind barred doors.

HELD IN $50,000 BONDS

Hosford Waives Reading of Complaint Charging Larceny of $25,000

Boston, Dec. 3.—Waiving the reading the reading of the complaint charging the larceny of $25,000, Edward H. Hosford, vice president and treasurer of the James Donovan Shipper company of Everett, superintendent of the Sunday school of the First Congregational church at Malden, was held for one week in the Boston municipal court in $50,000. He has been a deacon of the parish for years.

Hosford is alleged to have obtained the sum by false pretenses from Frank E. Paige, a dealer in felts and velvets in Boston. Two years of business dealings preceded the arrest and it is alleged that during that time Hosford borrowed $85,000 from Paige. The defendant has been president of the Malden Young Men's Christian association. He is 36 years old.

GAVE DEWEY COMMAND

Ex-Naval Secretary Long Replies to Charges of Admiral

Boston, Dec. 3.—"All this talk of influence and opposition, or of Roosevelt's, Crowninshield's or Proctor's maneuvering, is all poppycock," said John D. Long, ex-secretary of the navy, in a statement to The Post replying to charges made against him by Admiral Dewey with regard to his own appointment as commander of the Asiatic squadron, as described in Dewey's autobiography now appearing in one of the current magazines.

"President McKinley's only comment on the matter was to ask, when I told him I had appointed Dewey, 'Is his head level?' as if he had some doubt in that respect," said the ex-secretary.

MOTHER KILLS SELF AND TWO CHILDREN

Leaps Into Abandoned Quarry Nearly Filled With Water

Rockland, Me., Dec. 3.—Mrs. Austin Elwell of Cushing killed her two small children and herself, according to the belief of the police, by jumping with them into an abandoned limestone quarry 400 feet deep and nearly filled with water.

Family troubles are believed to have caused the act. Mrs. Elwell was 23 years old, and the children, both boys, aged 5 and 4 respectively.

There were no witnesses to the tragedy. The woman and the children were seen going into the quarry inclosure. Later their outer garments were found on the edge of the cliff. No cries were heard. It is thought the woman, taking the boys by the hand, stood on the edge of the quarry and then jumped, dragging the children to death with her.

Mrs. Elwell, friends said, separated from her husband a year ago. Since then she had worked as a maid for a local physician.

SUICIDE FOLLOWED SUIT

Snell's Property Was Attached Two Days Before His Death

Dedham, Mass., Dec. 3.—By the filing yesterday afternoon of a writ at the office of the clerk of the Norfolk county superior court, it was learned an attachment dated Nov. 21 was filed against the property of Walter C. Snell, who recently committed suicide in a Chicago hotel Nov. 23.

The attachment was for $10,000 and was secured by William F. Mosser, of the William F. Mosser company, of Boston, of which Snell was treasurer. The writ is returnable Jan. 1.

Snell, who lived in Brookline, was found dead in a room at the Planters' hotel in Chicago Saturday, Nov. 23, two days later than the date of the attachment.

DID NOT INVENT FILM

Court Rules Against Edison In Important Motion Picture Suit

Washington, Dec. 3.—That Thomas A. Edison was not the inventor of the moving picture film was the decision of the District of Columbia court of appeals, which dismissed the suit of the Motion Picture Patent company of New York against the Chicago Film company.

The Edison firm charged the Chicago company infringed on its picture film patents. The court held that since Edison was not the originator of film strings user for moving pictures, his company did not have patent rights. Millions of dollars were involved.

Home Piety.

"John," said the minister of a Scotch parish, "I fear you are growing remiss in your religious duties. I have not seen you in the kirk these three Sundays."

"No," answered John, "it's no that I'm growin' remiss; I'm just tinkerin' away wi' my soul masel.'—Methodist Recorder.

Her Mark Down Mania.

Mrs. Benham—You are always making mountains out of molehills. Benham—And you are always marking mountains down to molehills.—New York Press.

UNION PACIFIC MERGER VOID

Declared Violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust Measure

RAILROAD MONOPOLY SMASHED

Supreme Court Says Control of the Southern Pacific Must Be Given Up, as the Two Lines Are Competitors —Disposition of Dividends to Go Before Receiver

Washington, Dec. 3.—The supreme court of the United States has ordered the partial dissolution of the Union Pacific merger, holding that it constitutes a combination in restraint of trade.

The court intimates that a plan may be greed upon by which the Union Pacific may retain the Central Pacific connections from Ogden to San Francisco, thus making a continuous line from the Missouri river to the coast.

Justice Day, who delivered the opinion, said:

The court reaches the conclusion that the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific system, prior to the stock purchase, were competitors engaged in interstate commerce, acting independently as to a large amount of such carrying trade, and that since the acquisition of the stock in question the dominating power of the Union Pacific has oppressed competition between the systems and has effected a combination in restraint of interstate commerce within the prohibition of the act.

In order to enforce the statutes, the court is required to forbid the doing in the future of acts like those which are found to have been done in violation thereof, and to enter a decree which will effectually dissolve the combination found to exist in violation of the statutes.

The decree should provide an injunction against the right to vote this stock while in the ownership or control of the Union Pacific company, or any corporation owned by it or while held by a corporation or persons for the Union Pacific company, and forbid any transfer or disposition thereof in such wise as to conceal its control, and should provide an injunction against the payment of dividends upon such stocks while thus held except to a receiver to be appointed by the court, who shall select and hold such dividends until disposed of by the decree of the court.

As the court below dismissed the government's bill, it was unnecessary therefore to consider the disposition of the shares of stock acquired by the Union Pacific company, which acquisition we hold constituted an unlawful combine in violaton of the anti-trust act. In order to effectually conclude the operating force of the combination, such disposition should be made subject to the approval and decree of the court and any plans for the disposition of this stock must be such as to effectually dissolve the unlawful combination thus created.

The court shall proceed upon the presentation of any plan to hear the government and defendants, and may bring in any additional parties whose presence may be necessary to a final disposition of the stock in conformity to the views herein expressed.

Any plan or plans shall be presented in the court within three months from the receipt of the mandate of this court, failing which, or upon the rejection by the court of plans submitted within such time, the court shall proceed by receivership and sale, if necessary, to dispose of such stock in such wise as to dissolve such unlawful combination.

PLEADS GUILTY OF MURDER

Warnes Admits Taking Life of Widow Who Spurned Him

Lawrence, Mass., Dec. 3.—Joseph Warnes pleaded guilty to the murder of Veronica Bretenas, a widow, in the municipal court. He shot the woman on Friday. Jealousy was back of the crime.

Warnes had been paying attentions to another woman. The widow forced him to give her up. The widow then seemed to tire of the attentions of the man. He returned home on Thanksgiving evening and she would not see him. He met her the next evening and fired four bullets into her body.

His case will come up again on Friday, when he will be held, it is expected, for the grand jury. He is 28. The woman he killed was two years older.

Pneumatic Suit Dismissed

Washington, Dec. 3.—The $20,000,000 claim of James W. Beach against the United States for alleged infringement of pneumatic tube patents for carrying mail was dismissed by the supreme court of the United States.

Page Wants Ambassadorship

Washington, Dec. 3.—Thomas N. Page, the author, who has a summer home at Marion, Mass., is a candidate for the post of ambassador to the court of St. James.

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BASKET DINNERS.

The local corps of the Salvation Army arrived here too late to do much along the line of preparing Thanksgiving dinners for the worthy poor of the city. They plan, now that they have got fully settled here, to make an active canvas to provide Christmas dinners. They expect to provide 50 basket dinners which will be equal to food for 250 people.

EVERY ONE WELCOME.

Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock a Salvation Meeting will be held at the Salvation Army hall, 150 Granite street conducted by Lt. Col. Olof Nilson of New York. The Colonel is a good speaker and singer, so everybody is invited to come and hear him. Admission free. The meeting will be conducted in Swedish.

HUMAN NATURE TALKS.

Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church will give informal talks during the month of December and the Cost of High Living will be discussed. Dec. 8. "Who Goes There" will be his topic, Dec. 15, and "The Great Investment," Dec. 29. Sunday evening, Dec. 22, Christmas Carols will be rendered by a large chorus. Rev. Mr. Willmott is a forceful speaker and chooses many subjects from questions he overhears while about the town.

LYCEUM OFFICERS.

The officers of the Houghs Neck Catholic Lyceum for 1913 are, President, Charles L. Shea; vice president, James E. Wall; secretary, William J. DeCoste; treasurer, Stephen Kiley; marshall, John Powers; board of directors, Thomas Fox, John Brown, Daniel J. Maloney, Patrick Cleary and Benjamin Comeau.

BRAINTREE REAL ESTATE SALE.

Leroy L. Day to Addie A. Day, Elmwood avenue.

Harold M. Gage et al to Henry F. Knight.

Jonathan E. Hayward to Nathaniel F. Hunt, Quincy avenue.

Marion E. Heath to Cornelius Horgan, Franklin street.

Henry F. Knight to Harold M. Gage et al trs.

Emma L. Street to Hanna Hatchard, Lowell street.

Earl A. M. Sumner to Mary A. Levangie, Hancock street.

George O. Wales to William R. Page, Cedar street.

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QUINCY REAL ESTATE SALES.

City Hospital, Quincy to Henry M. Faxon, Whitwell street.

Milton L. Conant to Rollin H. Fisher, Arnold road.

Curtis R. Crowell to Walter G. Crowell.

Thomas Donahue to Daniel J. Holmes, Berkeley street.

Fannie Duggan et al to Lars P. Christophersen, Billings street.

Wilton A. Dunham to Mary Taylor, Houghs Neck.

Leslea P. Dyer to Frank W. Sleeper tr Carle road.

George H. Field to John Pasanen, Hillside street.

Edward Flaherty to Dennis O'Connor, Morton street.

Roswell D. Gerrish to Harry D. King et al trs, Apthorp street.

John A. Gordon to Mabel E. Lovejoy et al, Huntly road.

Henry M. Greer to M. Grace Dudley, Staunton street, Huntington square.

Sarah E. M. Guild to Annie Mullane Houghs Neck.

Wilson G. Hammond to Lilliam W. Pope.

John Heffernan to William H. Heffernan, Elm place.

Annie M. Keating to Louis Ross, Canal street.

Roger Lakin tr to Edward Flaherty, Morton street.

Harriet A. Lombard to Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Salems Church of Quincy, Cottage street.

Mary A. Mullen to William Devine et ux, Common street, Centre street.

Clara W. Peterson to Emma J. Herrstrom, Broachy avenue, Lind street.

Luigi Romeri to Stephen Brovelli et ux.

Elsie B. Smart to Marie M. Carlson, Hilda street, Beale stret.

Charles E. Stratton to Annie E. Boisclair.

Richard S. Talbot to Peter Hynes, Washington street.

John J. Warner gdn to Maggie J. Maxim, Taylor street.

MILTON REAL ESTATE SALES.

Annie E. Higgins to Robert S. Clisby, Winthrop street, Grove street.

Caroline Kelso to Calvin P. Sampson, Sassamon avenue.

Dora A. McCue to Kathryn G. Frisbie et al, Dyer avenue.

Ella L. Moody to Emma E. McGee, Brook road.

J. Edwin Swan to Annie F. Marsh, Elliot street.

American Swedish Society Boston to John Shields, Granite avenue.

Stephen A. Tucker et al to Jane M. Considine, Oak street.

Carnelia F. Tucker to Fred N. Russell, Blue Hills Parkway, Columbia street.

Patrick White to Lincoln Bryant, Central avenue.

WEYMOUTH REAL ESTATE SALES.

Mary C. McLaughlin to DeCoursey J. Driscoll, Broad street.

Lois A. Mitchell to Hattie L. Kelley, Pond street.

Cora A. Sanborn et al to John H. LaPlant, Broad street.

Ruth Tirrell to Arthur L. Barr, Columbia road.

Charlotte E. Wellington to Cassie L. Guillion, River street, Parnell street.

Mary A. White to Edward A. White, Middle street.

Russell B. Worster to Leon J. Didion, King avenue.

BUFFALOES HAD ONE GOOD TIME

Members and Friends Enjoyed Smoke Talk and Show

Quincy Herd, No. 1 of Buffaloes held a smoke talk and entertainment at Hibernian hall, Franklin street, Monday night, and neither the intensity of the storm or the enthrallment of politics could interfere with the interest or attendance of the large number of members and friends who had gathered in the hall.

The program was a long, varied, yet pleasing and interesting one. It was not until after 11 o'clock that the chorus of "Auld Lang Syne," was started and then many were loth to go they were having such a good time.

The Granite City Minstrel troupe, Matthew Fay, Philip Savard, Adolph Restilli and George Davey appeared in one of their shows. There was singing by William Collins, Samuel Tutton, Adam Posteoris, William Rich, William Cline of Boston, song and dance by William Malcolm , step dancing by John and David Colligan with T. Palsey playing the violin, song and monologue by Fred McDonald, and members of the minstrel Troupe also sang. William Provost presided at the piano.

At intervals light refreshments were served and there were plenty of T. D.'s and tobacco on hand to satisfy every one.

Charles H. Finn, made a very acceptable presiding officer and was happy in his introductions. Everyone had a good time. There were no complaints to make and none recorded.

Dr. Ash and Vice president J. J. Byron spoke briefly on the order.

The committee came in for all sorts of bouquets upon the success of their efforts. The committee included J. J. Byron, A. I. Dixon, Charles White, Bert Williams, Lyman Greenwood, C. H. Hersey, H. J. Seldin, F. J. Flaherty, Michael Maher, M. O'Conneli, M. Lyons, E. Rafson, Thomas Lewis, William Porter and E. Nesloe Falls.

British Protectorate For Egypt

Geneva, Dec. 3.—A British protectorate over Egypt is likely to be announced shortly, according to the Egyptian representative of the Swiss Popular bank.

CHURCH SINGERS GIVE CONCERT

Despite the storm a goodly number attended the concert by the quartet of the Wollaston Congregational church in that edifice Monday evening.

The quartet is composed of Miss Ruth Louise Hardy, soprano; Mrs. Minetta Dyer Long, contralto; Roy Albert Spooner, tenor and Charles Harvey Everett, baso with Walter Clarence Rogers as organist and accompanist. They were assisted by Mrs. Maud H. Benjamin, reader and Miss Jennie A. Corson, violinist.

Mr. Rogers opened the program with "Andante in C" by E. Silas, the quartet sang in "Red, red rose," by Hadley, "Mazurka" by Mlynarski was the violin solo played by Miss Corson. All of which received hearty applause.

Miss Hardy was most pleasing in her solo "Goodbye" by F. Paoli Tosti and Mrs. Benjamin's reading of "The falcon" by Tennyson was greatly enjoyed.

A group of three songs "To my first love," "You'd better ask me" and "Until," the first two by Lohr and the last by Sanderson was sung by Mr. Spooner. A duet "Springtime" by Hildach was well rendered by Miss Hardy and Mr. Everett.

Mrs. Long was especially enjoyed in her songs "Rose in the bud" by Foster, "Till I wake" by Finden and "Goodbye sweet day" by Vanah. "Les adieux" a violin solo by Sarasate was played by Miss Corson.

Two solos by Strauss, "Traumdurch die Dammerung" and "Zuergnung" were sung with striking effect by Mr. Everett.

In her monologue "On the veranda" Mrs. Benjamin was the recipient of much applause. The quartet brought the entertainment to a close with an Irish folk song by Foote.

☞The Ledger trip to Washington, D. C., to attend the inauguration of President-Elect Wilson will be first class in every way and include many extra features in the way of grand stand seats for the inaugural procession and tickets for the inaugural ball. While in Washington all points of interest will be visited under the direction of a conductor with headquarters at a first class hotel. The trip will be by Fall River steamer to New York and from there by parlor car, leaving Boston Friday, Feb. 28 at 6 P. M. tf



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WEST QUINCY—F. A. Skinner.
John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—Capt. Fosdick's.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Fair Wednesday with higher temperature during the day. Light winds. Thursday fair.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	6.57
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.15
Moon rises	2.29
High water, A. M.	7.30
High water, P. M.	8.00

Days decrease 6 hours 2 minute.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	58 degrees
Dec. 3, 1911,	39 degrees
Dec. 3, 1910,	34 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

Mrs. Thompson B. Crane is ill with an attack of tonsilitis.

Wells Quimby of Lyndon, Vermont, visited relatives in this city over Sunday.

Dr. R. F. Burke and a party of friends have gone to Maine on a gunning trip.

Sydney E. Gates has returned to his home on Town hill after a five months' business trip through the western states.

The Town River Yacht Club will hold a whist party at the club house Thursday evening, Dec. 5th. Kindly give us a line.

Fragment society of First church hold a fair tomorrow afternoon and evening in the chapel, and also serve one of their fine suppers at half past six.

George L. Gill, Rebekah Lodge will entertain the Grand Master and suite, the President of the Rebekah Assembly and suite, the Deputy and Suite and all past grand deputies at their regular meeting in I. O. O. F. hall, Thursday evening. The work will be performed on several candidates.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH.

In the absence of Rev. T. C. Martin, of the Hall Place M. E. church, who is visiting the various churches on the Springfield district in the interests of Church Aid, Mr. Farquahar of the Calvary Baptist Church preached a fine sermon from the text taken from Acts 21:13-14. "Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart, for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus and when he would not be persuaded we ceased, saying The will of the Lord be done."

Mr. Farquahar spoke on the place and power of the quality known as courage in the Christian life particularly of moral courage.

The choir sang "Oh! how lovely is Zion!"

The session of the Sunday school was held at the close of the morning service.

Mrs. Fred L. Badger had charge of the Juniors at 3 P. M.

At 6.15 P. M. Miss Palmer, Deaconess worker at Morgan Memorial Chapel addressed the Epworth League on the work of the Morgan Memorial, and its need of financial assistance to carry out the plans for the winter's work for the poor and needy people of that district.

The evening service was ommitted in the interests of the No-License Rally at Music Hall.

The Choir will hold a rehearsal in the Church Friday evening at 8.15.

The Ladies Aid is planning for a social and entertainment at the home of Mrs. Fred Badger. Date to be announced later.

The Sunday School is preparing for the Annual Christmas Concert to be given at 4 P. M. Christmas Sunday instead of at 7 P. M. as formerly.

MAGAZINE CLUB 25 YEARS OLD

Quincy Point Organization Entertained By President

THREE POETS DISCOVERED

Saturday evening, the Quincy Point Magazine club observed its twenty-fifth anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Smith, who eitertained in a most hospitable manner. Mrs. Smith was the founder of the club which has had such a long life and its history has been replete with pleasure, entertainment and continuous satisfaction to each and every member, during the past quarter of a century.

The membership has been confined to twelve families and seldom has a vacancy occurred. The present representatives are as follows:—Mr. Frederick H. Smith, President and Treasurer, Mr. Thomas B. Pollard, Vice President, Miss K. A. Raycroft, Secretary, Miss D. C. Higgins, Mrs. Joseph Thomas, Mrs. Thomas W. Lincoln, Jr., Miss E. M. Freeman, Mrs. Charles H. Sherburne, Mrs. P. H. Holman, Mrs. Hiram W. Phillips, Mr. T. W. Addison, Dr. E. H. Bushnell.

The first seven mentioned were charter members. List of periodicals selected for 1913. Harper's Monthly, Century, World's Work, St. Nicholas, Everybody's, Country Life in America, Studio, Atlantic, Outlook, Life, Leslies' London, Ill., News, Scientific American.

The business of the evening was quickly dispatched. A committee of three in charge of the celebration of this silver event had arranged for each member to occupy a few minutes and the response was general. Mrs. Smith gave a brief history of the club which proved most interesting. Mrs. Holman, Miss Raycroft and Mr. Sherburne each contributed a poem, containing personal reminiscences much enjoyed by all. A small club with three poets is certainly quite remarkable.

Mr. Pollard related a true incident showing how small our country is and how short the distance between Alaska and Maine, telling how the little town of Round Pond, in the Pine Tree State figured quite conspicuously in the home life and hapiness of a number in that distant territory.

Mr. Thomas contributed a bit of interesting history of this section of old Quincy and exhibited a copy of the early deed recently presented to him showing the purchase of the land from the Indians.

Miss Higgins gave an incident replete with interest and startling circumstances and with her audience in a highly nervous condition brought a happy climax out of what appeared to be an inevitable blood curdling fatality.

The other members added to the general entertainment with various stories and anecdotes making the evening pass all too quickly. Miss Helen Lincoln gave two musical selections much enjoyed by all.

Refreshments were served. Should any one in the city desire to organize a magazine club and wish for any particulars concerning same, each and every member of this one at the Point would gladly give all help possible.

ORGAN FUND.

The Woman's Guild of the Park and Downs Congregational church will start a series of entertainments to raise the organ fund with an oyster supper in the vestry, Wednesday evening.



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FAMILY AWAY THIEF BUSY

Had Fine Time Ransacking the Home of Dr. Bowles

SECURING TEN DOLLARS

The second attempted break in Wollaston within a week was successfully pulled off at the residence of Dr. B. F. Bowles, 72 Brook street, Saturday evening. The house was thoroughly ransacked but the burglars were evidently after cash as they carried away about $10 belonging to Mrs. Bowles.

Dr. and Mrs. Bowles attended a dinner in Jamaica Plain Saturday evening leaving home about 6.30. On their return about 12.30 the doctor went to the kitchen for a drink of water and found the back door open.

This aroused suspicion and upon investigation it was found the house had been thoroughly searched. The rooms were strewn with burnt matches, the majority of the curtains had been pulled down and bureau drawers were topsy turvy. The pantry window was ajar and one of the chamber windows had been opened, probably with the intent of making escape over the piazza roof easy in event of being surprised.

The money was in a desk, the contents of which were much mixed. It is thought that entrance was effected through the pantry window which the occupants are not sure was locked.

The break was probably made after 9.30 as the delivery clerk of Crothers and Seiders, Wollaston grocers, states that everything appeared to be all right when he left some goods on the back porch at that hour.

The other break attempt occurred last Tuesday night when someone tried to cut through a panel of the rear door at the Park Pharmacy, corner of Beach and Hancock streets.

BRIEFS

A clear fine day for the election which means a big vote.

The Quincy Lodge of Moose will hold a smoker and entertainment at Faxon hall, Dec. 9.

The storm of Monday night was one of the most severe of the year. After the rain had got in its inning, the wind took a turn and made things howl for several hours.

The Quincy Point church will hold a supper, entertainment and sale Thursday evening. Supper will be served at 6.30 o'clock to be followed by the entertainment.

In a runners up match for the bowling championship at St. Mary's hall, Monday evening, Thomas McLaughlin and Leo Garrity beat George Reinhalter and Joseph MGilvray.

Rolland's novel "Jean Christophe" is the subject of Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney for her next lecture in the series under the auspices of the Literature committee of the Quincy Women's club.

Another religious leader and church worker and social light has cleverly swindled a trusted friend out of $85,000 but that is no reason why all those institutions should be condemned in a wholesale manner. They did the best they could for the man, he did the rest.

MEN COOKS.

Elaborate plans have been made for a cabaret supper to be held by the Men's club of St. Chrysostom's parish in the parish rooms, this evening.

The repast will be cooked and served by the men under the direction, of an experienced chef. The men promise a fine menu. Great secrecy is preserved with regard to the cabaret entertainment.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters addressed to the following persons remained unclaimed at the Quincy post office for the week ending, Nov. 30:

Annah L. Batchelder, Anton Belkewicz, Edmund Bayson, Mrs. Samuel Brough, E. W. Davis, Mrs. F. A. Fagen Mastai Ferretti, Miss Violet Hillstead, Mrs. John Holland, (two letters), Roy Horsman, Mrs. Frida Hullquist, Hurd Manufacturing & Distilling Co., Mi Jarden, Miss Edla Jamsein, Earl Johnson, Mrs. Lillie Johnson, Ernest Klein, A. Kisiel, B. Klafeld, John Lynch, Joochin McDonough, Jack Morris, Miss Susie Mosher, Robert Nevin, Miss Teresa Palmer, Mrs. N. L. Picsko, Miss Alina Racevig, Andy Rowe, J. W. Ryan, Rosario Salamane, Roger P. Stebbins, Mrs. Frank Sweet, O. W. Tapp, Otto Tapp, James Thompson.

CROWN PRINCE DANILO

Commander In Chief of Montenegro Army In War on Turkey



IS CLOSE TO DEATH

Little Hope For the Recovery of Prince Danilo of Montenegro

Rieka, Montenegro, Dec. 3.—Little hope is held out by physicians for the recovery of Crown Prince Danilo of Montenegro, who was wounded at the bombardment of Scutari and who was brought to the hospital here.

King Nicholas was notified yesterday that only through a miracle will the prince be restored to health.

Prince Danilo was made the central figure of the opera "The Merry Widow" a few years ago by Franz Lehar.

SIGHT IS RESTORED AFTER MANY YEARS

Prank of Grandchild Proves a Blessing to Blind Minister

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 3.—A bit of tinfoil flipped from a rubber band by a child is declared responsible for the restoration of the eyesight of Rev. J. J. Rupert, pastor of a local church, who had been blind for twenty-eight years.

The missile, fired at random by a grandchild of the minister, hit him in one of the eyes, and to alleviate the pain hot cloths were applied. This occurred several days ago, and when it was apparent his sight was being restored the applications were continued. Practically normal vision returned yesterday.

Rupert became suddenly blind while conducting revival services in Birmingham, O., in 1884.

FOURTEEN CITIES VOTING

Heavy Registration of Women a Feature In the Bay State

Boston, Dec. 3.—Municipal campaigns closed last night in fourteen Massachusetts cities which today are holding their annual elections.

The school board fights have resulted in an unusually large increase in the registration of women, who under the law may vote only for candidates for that office, and it is declared more women will go to the polls this year than ever before in Massachusetts.

Voting is taking place today in Brockton, Fall River, Fitchburg, Gloucester, Haverhill, Holyoke, Marlboro, Northampton, New Bedford, Quincy, Pittsfield, Springfield, Taunton and Waltham.

MINISTER GOES TO PRISON

Gets Three Months For Failure to Support Wife and Family

Malden, Mass., Dec. 3.—Three months in the house of correction was what Rev. Herbert S. Manly of Melrose, a retired Baptist clergyman, received in the district court for failing to pay his wife the sum he promised the court last spring he would give.

Manly was haled into court last April, charged with the non-support of his wife and three children. At the time he agreed to pay $10 a week to her and the case was dismissed.

Mrs. Manly testified she had received only $19 from her husband through the court since that time.

Kiss Hunter Breaks Two Ribs

Hackensack, N. J., Dec. 3.—In attempting to kiss an "unkissed" 14-year-old boy at a barn dance, Mrs. Winfield Ackerman chased him and fell down the stairs, breaking two ribs.

Deer Hunting In Granite State

Nashua, N. H., Dec. 3.—The deer season in southern New Hampshire has just opened and will close at midnight on the 15th.

Falling Tree Kills Man of 110

Louisville, Miss., Dec. 3.—The oldest man in the state, William Hamilton Brown, aged 110, was killed by a falling tree.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

CHRISTMAS COOKIES.

WHEN making your holiday plans, if there are little folks in the family, it is well to include in the said plans a generous supply of attractive and appetizing cookies. Children are always fond of these little cakes, and a pan of the plain ones may, as a treat of the season, be left where the youngsters can help themselves.

Some Favorite Cookies.

Fruit Cookies.—Take two eggs, one-half cupful of butter, one cupful of sugar, two cupfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, one-half cupful of raisins, measured after they have been stoned and chopped, and two tablespoonfuls of grated chocolate.

Dissolve the chocolate in a bowl over a kettle of hot water and let it stand until needed. Rub the butter and sugar to a cream, add the eggs, which have been well beaten, then the flour, which has been sifted with the baking powder, and lastly the melted chocolate. Beat hard and mix very thoroughly, then work in the raisins and roll the dough out to a thin sheet.

Cut into shapes with fancy cutters, press one, two or three whole raisins into the top of each cooky, according to size, and bake in a moderately quick oven.

Keep fresh by packing them in a stone crock or earthenware dish with a cover.

Plain and Wholesome.

Seed Cookies.—A good old recipe for these cookies calls for two and a half pounds of flour (pastry flour is the best), half a pound of sugar and half a pound of butter. Rub the butter through the flour and mix in the sugar. Make a cavity in the mixture and pour in half a pint of lukewarm milk in which is stirred a quarter of a cup of yeast or a third of a yeast cake.

Let the batter stand overnight. In the morning add an ounce of caraway seeds and beat all the ingredients thoroughly together.

Then set the batter in a warm place to rise, and when it has doubled in bulk roll it out until it is not over a quarter of an inch thick. Cut into cakes about two and a half inches wide by five long.

By the time they are all cut out the first will have risen enough to bake. Bake them in a moderately hot oven for about half an hour, or until well done, but a delicate brown.

Brush them over with milk when they come out of the oven, to give them a glossy surface. If you like, shredded cocoanut may be used instead of caraway seed.

CHRISTMAS NUT CAKES.

AMONG the many small cakes suitable for Christmas parties or for children's delight nut cakes are always popular.

Fairy Nut Cakes.—Take half a cupful of butter and cream it with a cupful and a half of sugar. Add the yolks of two eggs and beat all together. Sift two cupfuls of flour into which has been stirred a teaspoonful and a half of baking powder. Add to the butter, sugar and eggs a cupful of milk and then the flour. At the last stir in a cupful of chopped pecan or hickory nuts and fold in the whites of the eggs whipped to a stiff froth. Bake in small pans, ice and sprinkle chopped nuts thickly over the icing.

Nut Medleys.

Walnut Cakes.—To one pint of the nuts, measured after they are shelled, allow one cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of butter, three eggs, a pinch of salt, one-fourth cupful of sweet milk and flour enough to make a dough. Beat the butter to a cream and mix thoroughly with the sugar Add the well beaten eggs, the milk and the salt with a little of the flour. Then stir in the nuts, which have been shelled and passed through the meat chopper and mix in the remaining flour. Roll out lightly, cut into shapes, sprinkle with granulated sugar and bake in a moderately hot oven.

Hickory Nut Wafers.—To each egg allow one-quarter cupful of butter, one cupful of sugar and one cupful of the chopped hickory nuts. Beat the butter and sugar to a cream, then add the well beaten eggs and the flour with a pinch of salt. Stir in the hickory nut meats, drop in small spoonfuls on buttered paper, flatten a little with the back of the spoon and bake in a moderate oven.

To Keep Indefinitely.

Pepper Nuts.—These keep indefinitely and so may be made in quantity. Cream together one cupful of butter, one of lard and two of brown sugar. Add three eggs one at a time, beating thoroughly after each addition. Now add the spices—one grated nutmeg, two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon and two of aniseed, one teaspoonful of ground cloves, four spoonfuls whole coriander, one cupful chopped almonds and an eighth chopped citron. Next add four cupfuls of molasses with which has been mixed two teaspoonfuls of soda dissolved in a little warm water and four teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar, using flour to make a stiff dough. Bake in a quick oven to a light brown.

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GOVERNMENT RESTS

Four Defendants In "Dynamite Conspiracy" Trial Are Dismissed

Indianapolis, Dec. 3.—Argument that those who already have confessed alone caused the illegal transportation of explosives on passenger trains to blow up non-union iron and steel jobs was followed in the examination at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial of Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.

After the testimony of the 94th witness, the government closed its case, and on its own motion had four of the forty-five defendants dismissed on the grounds that the charges against them were not sustained.

Ryan testified that neither he nor the executive board members knew of any money having been expended by McNamara for dynamiting purposes.

HICKEY PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Trial of Confessed Boy Murderer Is Set For Dec. 16

Buffalo, Dec. 3.—J. F. Hickey, confessed boy murderer, prsonally entered a plea of "not guilty" to the indictment charging him with the murder of Joseph Josephs, the 7-year-old Lackawanna boy, Oct. 12, 1911, when arraigned before Justice Brown in special term of supreme court. His trial was set for Dec. 16.

Hickey was unpertubed when in the crowded courtroom. He answered the questions put to him in an unfaltering voice. When asked if he had counsel, he said:

"I have no money to buy counsel and I wish your honor would assign counsel to defend my interests."

Justice Brown stated that he would assign counsel.

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The winner of contest will be allowed to choose a companion for the trip whose expenses will also be paid.
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The person having the SECOND highest number of votes will be awarded a DIAMOND RING.
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SUNDAY SCHOOL BASKET BALL

League Started to Play Games at the Y. M. C. A. Court

MUCH INTEREST SHOWN

The Sunday school basketball league of Quincy will begin its season next Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock when the team from the Wollaston Baptist church will oppose the First Presbyterian five and the Christ church and Bethany teams will clash. The league is composed of six teams including the four above mentioned and Wollaston Congregational and Union Chapel, Houghs Neck, Sunday schools.

The games are to be played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, two games taking place each Saturday afternoon through the winter with the exception of Dec. 28 and Feb. 22.

The rules governing the eligibility of players are these: A boy must be a regular attendant at the Sunday school he represents and during the basketball season, must attend at least three Sundays a month. He must be under 16 years of age or else under 130 pounds.

The teams have been practicing in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium during the month of November and are rounding into shape rapidly. It is expected that there will be a good attendance at the opening games next Saturday for there is considerable friendly rivalry between the teams. No admission will be charged for these games and all interested in the different Sunday schools and in the game will be welcome.

The schedule is as follows:

Dec. 7—Wollaston Baptist vs. First Presbyterian.

Dec. 7—Bethany Congregational vs. Christ Church.

Dec. 14—Wollaston Congregational vs. Union Chapel.

Dec. 14—Wollaston Baptist vs. Bethany Congregational.

Dec. 21—First Presbyterian vs. Union Chapel.

Dec. 21—Christ Church vs. Wollaston Congregational.

Jan. 4—Wollaston Baptist vs. Christ Church.

Jan. 4—First Presbyterian vs. Wollaston Congregational.

Jan. 11—Bethany Congregational vs. Union Chapel.

Jan. 11—Wollaston Baptist vs. Wollaston Congregational.

Jan. 18—First Presbyterian vs. Bethany Congregational.

Jan. 18—Christ Church vs. Union Chapel.

Jan. 25—Wollaston Baptist vs. Union Chapel.

Jan. 25—First Presbyterian vs. Christ Church.

Feb. 1—Bethany Congregational vs. Wollaston Congregational.

Feb. 1—Wollaston Baptist vs. First Presbyterian.

Feb. 8—Bethany Congregational vs. Christ Church.

Feb. 8—Wollaston Congregational vs. Union Chapel.

Feb. 15—Wollaston Baptist vs. Bethany Congregational.

Feb. 15—First Presbyterian vs. Union Chapel.

Mar. 1—Christ Church vs. Wollaston Congregational.

Mar. 1—Bethany Congregational vs. Union Chapel.

Mar. 8—First Presbyterian vs. Wollaston Congregational.

Mar. 8—Wollaston Baptist vs. Christ Church.

Mar. 15—First Presbyterian vs. Bethany Congregational.

Mar. 15—Wollaston Baptist vs. Union Chapel.

Mar. 22—Christ Church vs. Union Chapel.

Mar. 22—Bethany Congregational vs. Wollaston Congregational.

Mar. 29—Wollaston Baptist vs. Wollaston Congregational.

Mar. 29—First Presbyterian vs. Christ Church.

WEYMOUTH ACTS.

Weymouth adopted the tenement house act Saturday at a special town meeting and placed its police force under civil service.

Following a campaign carried on by the Weymouth Board of Trade, Men's Club of the Clapp Memorial Association and the several improvement associations the erection of "three deckers, and any undesirable houses or "shacks" in Weymouth received a blow when it was voted to accept Chap. 635 of the acts of the last Legislature, entitled "An act relative to tenement houses in towns." After a spirited debate of nearly an hour the act was accepted by a majority of 96 votes.

(ADVERTISE.)

CITY OF QUINCY

Collector's Notice

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the Main Sewer Assessments thereon severally assessed according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Quincy by the Commissioner of Public Works remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said Sewer Assessments with interest and all legal costs and charges, or the whole of said land if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said City of Quincy on

Thursday, December 19, 1912.

at 9.00 o'clock A. M., for the payment of said Sewer Assessments with interest, costs and charges thereon unless same shall be previously discharged.

WARD ONE

5722

John A. Thayer. A certain parcel of land containing 8200 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the southeasterly side of Edgemere road, bounded southwesterly by land now or late of Anna B. Evans, southeasterly by land now or late of James M. Nowland, northeasterly by land now or late of Annie M. Angell and northwesterly by Edgemere road. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 19, plan 1114. Main Sewer Assessment. $36.00.

WARD TWO

5817

Melora E. Harris. A certain parcel of land containing 7007 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the south-westerly side of Newcomb place, bounded southeasterly by land now or late of heirs of Benjamin Johnson, south-westerly by land now or late of Mary Harkins, north-westerly by land now or late of Reuben Hersey, and north-easterly by Newcomb place, being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 5, plot 17, plan 2041. Main Sewer Assessment $16.80.

WARD THREE.

5773

Robert Cantley. A certain parcel of land containing 7395 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Kendrick avenue, bounded easterly by land now or late of George H. Field, northerly by land now or late of Mabel E. Adams trustee, westerly by Richie road, and southerly by Kendrick avenue, being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 37, plan 3016. Main Sewer Assessment $28.26.

WARD FOUR.

5715

Bernard Riley. A certain parcel of land containing 42,530 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the easterly side of Common street, bounded northerly by land now or late of Mary L. Buckley, easterly by land now or late of Mary Carroll, southerly by Morton street, and westerly by Common street. Main Sewer Assessment $120.00.

WARD FIVE.

5759

John Carr. A certain parcel of land containing 5000 square feet, situated upon the westerly side of Farrington street, bounded northerly by land now or late of John Carr, westerly by land now or late of Chas. W. Pickering, southerly by land now or late of Alexander N. Morrisey, and easterly by Farrington street, being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 15, plot 10, plan 5131. Main Sewer Assessment $36.00.

5567

Elizabeth A. Hardy. A certain parcel of land containing 5000 square feet, situated upon the westerly side of The Strand, bounded northwesterly by land now or late of Lora C. Merrill, John F. Mills, Sarah J. McCue and Fred W. Wood, southwesterly by land now or late of Marion A. Wilson, southeasterly by land now or late of Leon E. Brown and easterly by The Strand, being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 111, plot 8, plan 5058. Main Sewer Assessment $41.64.

5563

William E. Harmon. A certain parcel of land containing 320 square feet situated upon the southerly side of Quincy Shore Reservation, bounded southerly by land now or late of Helen L. Mallory, westerly and northerly by Quincy Shore Reservation being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 21, plan 5055. Main Sewer Assessment $8.21.

5628

Sarah J. McCue. A certain parcel of land containing 4000 square feet, situated upon the easterly side of Sachem street, bounded northerly by land now or late of Fred W. Wood, easterly by land now or late of Elizabeth A. Hardy, southerly by land now or late of John F. Mills, and westerly by Sachem street, being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 685, plot 6, plan 5058. Balance of Main Sewer Assessment, $8.80.

5590

James J. Naughton. A certain parcel of land containing 3500 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Watkins street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Maggie Donlan, northerly by land now or late of Leon E. Brown westerly by land now or late of Margaret H. Larson, and southerly by Watkins street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 95, plot 19, plan 5063. Main Sewer Assessment $25.20.

5561

Nathan G. Nickerson. A certain parcel of land containing 5320 square feet, situated upon the easterly side of South Central terrace, bounded northerly by a Foot-Way, southerly by land now or late of Henry M. Faxon, westerly by South Central Terrace and easterly by Newport avenue. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot E, plot 21 (block 7, section 1) plan 5191. Main Sewer Assessment $8.40.

5562

Nathan G. Nickerson. A certain parcel of land containing 750 square feet situated upon the easterly side of South Central terrace, bounded northerly by South Central terrace, easterly by land now or late of Henry M. Faxon, westerly by South Central terrace and southerly by South Central avenue. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot F, plot 20, plan 5191. Main Sewer Assessment $19.50.

5617

M. Frances Pease. A certain parcel of land containing 3500 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the westerly side of Chick street, bounded northerly by land now or late of Christina E. Bettoney, westerly by land now or late of Leon E. Brown, southerly by land now or late of Leon E. Brown and easterly by Chick street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 25, plot 17, plan 5066. Main Sewer Assessment $25.20.

5451

Gottlieb E. Kamm. A certain parcel of land containing 4475 square feet, situated upon the southerly side of Vassall street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Gottlieb E. Kamm, southerly by land now or late of Wood, Flagg & Thornton, Trs., westerly by land now or late of Wood Flagg & Thornton Trs. and northerly by Vassall street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 451, plot 20, plan 5009. Main Sewer Assessment $32.85.

WARD SIX.

5655

Richard J. Barry. A certain parcel of land containing 18830 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the corner of Walnut street, Oak avenue and Myrtle street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Richard J. Barry and Annie M. Reardon, southerly by Myrtle street, westerly by Oak avenue and northerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 1, plan 6166. Main Sewer Assessment, $77.82.

5695

Richard J. Barry. A certain parcel of land containing 18830 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the corner of Myrtle street, Oak avenue and Walnut street, bounded northerly by Walnut street, easterly by land now or late of Richard J. Barry and Annie M. Reardon, southerly by Myrtle street and westerly by Oak avenue. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 1, plan 6166. Main Sewer Assessment $75.35.

5691

Amy H. Billings. A certain parcel of land containing 2887 square feet, situated upon the northerly side of Myrtle street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Lilla E. Jenkins, northerly by land now or late of heirs of Samuel N. Wood, westerly by land now or late of Thomas Dolan and Mattie E. Kilpatrick and southerly by Myrtle street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 6, plan 6166. Main Sewer Assessment $22.37.

5669

Kate A. Blaisdell. A certain parcel of land containing 1 1-2 acres with buildings thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Walnut street, bounded easterly by Hancock street, northerly by land now or late of Mary F. Frost, westerly by land now or late of George S. Blaisdell and Sara L. Thomas and southerly by land now or late of Patrick Barry 2nd, Sara L. Thomas and by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 11, plan 6167. Main Sewer Assessment $67.08.

5467

Heirs of John Brennon. A certain parcel of land containing 5000 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the westerly side of Calumet street, bounded southerly by land now or late of Chauncy C. Hathaway, westerly by land now or late of heirs of Benjamin Johnson, northerly by land now or late of Catherine A. Byrne and Mary H. Avery and easterly by Calumet street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 428, plot 6, plan 6013. Balance of Main Sewer Assessment $27.00.

5665

John Donovan. A certain parcel of land containing 5325 square feet, with building thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Walnut street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Ann Gilmartin, northerly by land now or late of heirs of Francis Guild, westerly by land now or late of John J. Kerrigan and southerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 4, plan 6167. Main Sewer Assessment $36.00.

5671

Heirs of John Hayes. A certain parcel of land containing 10,270 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Walnut street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Alice W. McGrail, northerly by land now or late of heirs of Francis Guild, westerly by land now or late of John Cashman and southerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 11, plan 6167 Balance of Main Sewer Assessmen $20.00.

5651

Lilla E. Jenkins. A certain parcel of land containing 10424 square feet with building thereon, situated upon Hancock, Walnut and Myrtle streets, bounded westerly by land now or late of heirs of Samuel Wood and Harold Wilder, southerly by Myrtle street, easterly by Hancock street, and northerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 5, plan 6166. Main Sewer Assessment $94.71.

5697

Patrick and Hannah Kerrigan. A certain parcel of land containing 4080 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the westerly side of Oak avenue, bounded northerly by land now or late of Patrick Dolan, westerly by land now or late of Thomas F. Kerrigan, southerly by land now or late of Michael Kelleher and easterly by Oak avenue. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 6, plan 6165. Main Sewer Assessment $31.00.

5659

Thomas F. Kerrigan. A certain parcel of land containing 8545 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the southerly side of Walnut street, bounded westerly by land now or late of Patrick Dolan, southerly by land now or late of Elizabeth J. Buckley, southeasterly by land now or late of Michael Kelleher, easterly by land now or late of Patrick and Hannah Kerrigan and Patrick Dolan and northerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 3, plan 6165. Main Sewer Assessment $36.00.

5539

Charles J. Hendrie. A certain parcel of land containing 7725 square feet, situated upon the northerly side of Henry street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Charles J. Hendrie, westerly by land now or late of Fannie A. Coles, northerly by land now or late of Milton L. Conant and southerly by Henry street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 68, plot 52, plan 6017. Main Sewer Assessment $38.86.

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Charles J. Hendrie. A certain parcel of land containing 6534 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Henry street, bounded easterly and westerly by land now or late of Charles J. Hendrie, northerly by land now or late of Milton L. Conant and southerly by Henry street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 69, plot 51, plan 6017. Main Sewer Assessment $41.56.

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Falconer, George	Quincy	83.29
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GRAND TRUNK PROBE

To Be Resumed This Week In New York by Federal Grand Jury

New York, Dec. 3.—The posponed grand jury investigation into the alleged unlawful traffic agreement between the New Haven railroad and the Grand Trunk railway of Canada will be resumed some time this week. This was made known at the offices of the United States district attorney.

The agreement is charged to be a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. It is understood that agents of the department of justice have been conducting an examination of the books and records of the two companies, which is now partially completed.

FOUR MEN CRUSHED

Collapse of Portion of New Department Store Building

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 3.—A portion of a new building being erected for the McCurdy & Norwell company as a department store collapsed. Four men were caught beneath the wreckage and terribly crushed.

The big iron girders supporting the second floor of the building loosened and allowed the 150 square feet of flooring to drop.

An early rumor stated that the department store itself, filled with shoppers, had collapsed, and a great crowd gathered.

Roosevelt Man Loses His Job

Washington, Dec. 3.—President Taft appointed George F. Rockhold to succeed Sloan Simpson as postmaster at Dallas, Tex. Simpson was an active worker for Roosevelt.

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BRIEFS

Peter Knee of the Fore River yard has returned after a week at Clinton, Mass.

The Buffaloes are a lively herd and believe in following the "Golden Rule."

Mrs. Walter C. Roberts of Mauch Chunk, Pennsylvania is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Frederick H. Steenstra at the rectory, Wollaston.

The police are now busy trying to fasten every boy murder on J. Frank Hickey, the former Quincy man who has confessed to two such crimes. If the police are sucessful it will stop further investigations and give them credit for wonderful detective powers in nailing the game after it had been discovered for them.

MATINEE WHIST.

A successful matinee whist, under the direction of Mrs. Rose Reed was held at Protection hall Monday. The high scorers were Mrs. William Thomas, Mrs. William Lillie, Miss Alice Caldwell and James Brown.

DISTRICT COURT.

Henry F. Fish, Mary Woodward and Eliza Hill were fined $15 each for drunkenness at Milton.

John Merrigan was arraigned for assault at Quincy. Case continued until Wednesday.

George F. McLaughlin was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Edward Hannon was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

—The Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving has been organized in anticipation of Christmas. We hope all the members will hasten to announce their membership so that their friends can scratch them off their lists.—New Bedford Standard.

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SURPRISE PARTY.

A pleasant surprise was given Miss Roseina McQueen at her home on Beale street, Saturday evening, when a party of her young friends came en masse. Miss Ruth Price presented her with a signet ring in behalf of those present for which Miss McQueen thanked them very graciously. Progressive games with music made a peasurable evening. Ice cream, cake and candy were served. The matrons were Mrs. C. E. Perkins, Mrs. M. K. Kennedy, Mrs. George McQueen. Those at the party were Misses Gertrude Bullock, Muriel Dresser, Margery Fownes, Edna Gray, Ada Kennedy, Jean Keith, Augusta Mac Mahon, Isabel McQueen, Marguerite Miller, Ruth Price, Elizabeth Sayward and Martha Waring.

LITTLE—STERLING.

William Frederick Little of 45 Granite street, Quincy, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Little and Miss Ruth Evelyn Sterling of Somerville were married at Somerville, December 1, by Rev. A. H. Kennedy of the Episcopal church. They will reside in Quincy.

AGED WOMEN VICTIMS OF BOOK SWINDLERS

Deluded Into Buying Supposed De Luxe Editions

Boston, Dec. 3.—After a day of continued investigation of the alleged de luxe book frauds, the Boston postal officials stated last night they believe the swindle will reach an aggregate of over $15,000,000, and declare it to be the most gigantic illegal enterprise ever floated in this country.

The day's investigations disclosed the information that most of the victims of the alleged swindles were aged women. The postal officials have the names of several persons victimized.

The postal officials declare that when the suave and courteous de luxe agents singled out a prospective victim, he approached his prey with a letter from a book firm whose standing could not be questioned. In this manner, it is said, the agents gained entree to the exclusive homes.

When victims discovered they had been deluded into the purchase of a bogus Bible or a first edition of Shakespere or of other noted authors and rebelled, then blackmail was in some cases added to the methods brought to bear to compel the purchaser to pay thousands for copies not worth hundreds.

MARRIAGES

LITTLE—STERLING—In Somerville, December 1, by Rev. A. H. Kennedy, Mr. William Frederick Little of Quincy to Miss Ruth Evelyn Eterling of Somerville.

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RUSSIA GETS GERMAN THREAT

She Is Warned Not to Interfere With Austria-Hungary

PREPARED TO DRAW SWORD

Declaration by Foreign Minister In Speech In Reichstag—Grip of Winter Accounts For Balkan League's Favorable Terms to Turkey—Little Likelihood of More Fighting

London, Dec. 3.—Out of what appeared to be a clearing sky has come an open provocative threat by the German foreign minister to Russia. He warns the latter that in case of hostilities over the Austro-Servian dispute Germany would stand by her allies to the extent of drawing the sword.

The imperial chancellor made this declaration in the course of a speech in the reichstag, in which he discussed the Balkan situation. It was a repetition of the statement made at the time of the controversy over the question of Bosnia and Herzegovnia, in 1908, which then caused an immense sensation in the European capitals.

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, after summarizing the efforts of the great powers in the first place to delay the outbreak in the Balkans and later on when war was found to be inevitable, to localize hostilities, passed on to the question of the interests of the great powers directly affected by the final settlement. He said:

"When our allies, Austria-Hungary and Italy, in maintaining their interests, are attacked—although this is not the present prospect—by a third party, and thereby threatened in their existence, then we, faithful to our compacts, will take their part firmly, and decisively.

"Then we shall fight side by side with our allies for the maintenance of our own position in Europe and in defense of the security and future of our own fatherland. I am convinced that we have the whole nation behind us in such a policy."

The work of charting a new map of what hitherto has been European Turkey will begin immediately after the signature of an armistice by the plenipotentiaries of Turkey and the Balkan allies at the village of Baghtche, perhaps today. If the allies are able to agree among themselves as to the portions of the spoils they are to receive there seems no probability of a resumption of hostilities.

The comparatively favorable terms which, from all accounts, have been offered by the allies to Turkey are so different from the original proposals that they seem to suggest the idea that the government of the Balkan league realize that with winter gripping the country Turkey has gained an ally which will prove more fatal to the armies fronting Adrianople, Scutari and Tchatalja than have been the Ottoman cannon.

No adjustment of the Austro-Servian dispute is yet visible. Vienna continues to show pessimism and the newspapers there maintain their threatening attitude, but in spite of this, official relations between St. Petersburg and Vienna seem to have become somewhat more cordial and it is thought in diplomatic quarters that Servia will eventually secure a small mercantile port on the Adriatic sea connected with Servia by railroad.

In the meantime, however, Servia has trodden on the toes of Italy by quartering a regiment of the troops who recently occupied the port of Durazzo in the Italian school buildings there. An energetic request to have the troops removed has been made by the Italian consul on instructions from Rome.

HAREM WOMEN ESCAPING

Establishments of Constantinople Men of High Rank Are Depleted

Paris, Dec. 3.—The Turkish harems have been considerably depleted since the Ottoman capital has been threatened by the Bulgarian army. Many of the educated women belonging to the establishments of Turkish personages of high rank have taken advantage of the unsettled conditions in Constantinople to escape from the harems and proceed to western Europe.

They show every indication of having departed in haste. They possess very little money, but have brought with them much splendid jewelry and some fine silks.

Gerald Hirsch's Great Stunt

London, Dec. 3.—Gerald Hirsch, in evening attire, including dancing pumps, won a fifty-mile walking match and a big bet from Eric Maturin, another society man, who wore knickerbockers and walking boots.

Saxton Held Without Bail

New Britain, Conn., Dec. 3.—Louis Saxton, who killed Anna Spolansky, with whom he had lived without the formality of marriage, was held without bail on the charge of murder.

CITY ELECTION

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mistake was made in issuing it in time to give the other fellow a chance to reply.

Circular No. 1, as it may be called, bearing Mr. Foy's name, passes Candidate Penniman up with the sling that he is "a night resident of Quincy, a good whist player and member of the Granite City club."

With reference to Mayor Stone it is more pungent. It makes charges of waste, antagonism to the city council and many other things. In Circular No. 2, headed "Foy Repudiates Circular," Mr. Foy agreed to sign a circular, a draft of which was presented to him, but it did not contain any such language as the one which was issued over his name.

It is rather a funny situation and a peculiar and serious one as well. The consequences of acts such as Mr. Foy is credited with charging, are serious to say the least.

WARD ONE.

In ward one the vote seems to be falling off and at one o'clock there were 112 votes less than at the state election. In precinct one 95 voted the first hour and 179 had voted at eight o'clock. In precinct two 102 had voted at seven o'clock and 196 at eight o'clock. At twelve o'clock, 410 had voted and 444 at one o'clock. As in other wards the result is uncertain. In precinct one 315 had voted by noon and 360 at one o'clock, making a total of 804 for the ward at one o'clock.

WARD TWO.

In Ward Two the feeling that one of the Republican Councilmen is to be defeated seemed to be prevalent. It is also said that two Democrats will be elected, while others claim that but one Democrat will win. Feeley seems to be the most talked of candidate. Studley's friends have been working hard to overcome the fight which is being made against him and they feel that he will be returned.

In precinct One, 113 voted before the first whistle at the Fore River yards blew, and at 10.45 o'clock, 180 had registered.

At precinct Two, 51 voted during the firsth alf hour and 82 in the first hour. At 11.30 o'clock 341 had been checked.

The Mayoralty fight is central in this ward because it is the home of Mayor Stone. Penniman has been putting up an aggressive fight and his supporters have been busily instructing the citizens in city principles as represented by their candidate. The Miller forces are not as conspicious as they might be, but it may be due to the undercurrent in the ward.

WARD THREE.

In ward three the normal vote has been cast and the big fight is between the Miller and Penniman force. The Stone men are not left out of the scrap by any means but their work in this ward has been of the more quiet order. It is said that many are shooting bullets for their councilmanic choice, and if it follows out the contest will be most interesting in case of a recount.

Miller banners, conspicuously placed in the ward, bearing the slogan of "lower taxes and a business administration." Craig who was defeated for the Republican nomination by Farquharson is on the ticket as a Democrat and Independant.

Ross and Gauthier are expected to be re-elected by most of the Republicans. The Democrats are urging their friends to vote for Warner, their candidate, who was defeated the last two years. Ferguson and Johnson, representing the Progressive ticket, are younger men in the ward, and it is difficult to say what strength they will poll.

In precinct one 130 votes were recorded at 8 o'clock and at 11.30 o'clock 331 had passed the rail. In precinct two 145 had voted at seven o'clock and 295 at 11.30.

A quiet campaign is being waged around the amendment to extend the civil service to the chief engineer of the fire department and since it is the home of Chief Litchfield and Ex-chief Peter J. Williams, the result will be interesting.

WARD FOUR.

But little Stone talk is heard in precinct One of Ward 4, and the fight wages around Penniman and Miller. Appearances indicate that Penniman will poll a big vote in this precinct, and that Corcoran, Martell and Councilman Boyd will get the heavy vote. The vote is coming out in good style and at 12.30 o'clock, 301 had voted. In precinct two, the home precinct of Progressive John Evans, 325 had voted, and it is thought that his two candidates, Stephen B. Little and Daniel Shea will get considerable support. It is admitted generally however that they cannot be elected.

WARD FIVE.

Wollaston is one of the wards to which all eyes will be turned tonight as an indication of how things are going. This has been a great stamping ground for the opposition to Mayor Stone. In addition to this it is the home ward of James H. Penniman, the Democratic candiate. Then there has been an unusual effort in this ward in the interest of John L. Miller. There has been a change in the Miller feeling however within the last 24 hours and men who were out Monday shouting for Miller have left him today. This is on account of the circular signed by Robert E. Foy sent out in the interest of Mr. Miller Monday and the circular issued early this morning by Mr. Foy retracting the circular of Monday and explaining how he had been drawn into something his better nature would keep him from getting into. The residents of Wollaston as a rule do not believe in mud throwing, and the mud that had been thrown during the past week is reacting today.

Things were rather quiet about the polling places this morning although a good vote was cast during the early morning hours. Up to 10.15 precinct One had cast 365 votes and precinct Two 301 votes, a total of 666 as against about 400 at the same hour at the recent state election.

Candidate Penniman who votes in precinct Two came to the polls about 7.30 and after a cordial greeting to the officers and others about the polling place took his ballot and a few minutes later had finished marking it and had voted and disappeared from the polling place.

There was an absence of any excitement about the polling place, and but few carriages were seen on the outside. There was one automobile urging voters to vote for Murray for Councilman at large. Some hundred feet away from the polling place was a large playcard reading "Do not throw your vote away." Vote for John L. Miller and reduce the "tax rate."

The large sign which some one had erected some days ago relative to killing the four people whose names commenced with the letter "S" had disappeared.

It is probable that the vote of Ward Five will be fully as large as at the recent state election when 1916 votes was cast at 1 o'clock, the vote at this hour will be found in a table elsewhere.

WARD SIX.

The Democratic contingent is unusually active in the Atlantic ward today, and efforts are being made to poll a large vote for the Democratic candidates. A visit to the two polling places this morning found three automobiles and one carriage working in the interests of candidate Penniman for Mayor, and Mr. Flynn for Ward Councilman. While there may have been carriages in use for the other Mayoralty candidates none were in evidence at 10.30. Cornelius M. Duggan who has charge of the Democratic carriages said that the ward would go strong for Penniman and he hoped to land the one Democratic candidate for the council.

In precinct One at 10.45, 260 votes had been cast while in precinct Two at the same hour 184 had been cast a total of 444 at that hour. This vote is somewhat larger than it was at the same hour at the recent state election and shows what the work of the ward committees is doing. Things are usually a little quiet in this ward during the late forenoon but a good rush was looked for between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock as it was between those hours that they vote from the Tubular Rivet, and other manufacturing places in this neighborhood were expected to cast their vote.

The general impression about the polling places however seems to be that the three Republican candidates for the City Council will win out. As for Councilmen-at-Large there is some doubt. This ward has two candidates seeking election both of whose names appear near the top of the list of candidates and in a list where there are fourteen names it is worth quite a number of votes to be near the head of the list.

THE ONE O'CLOCK VOTE.

The following table gives the vote in the several wards of the city at 1 o'clock. The 1 o'clock vote at the recent state election and at the election in Dec. 1911 is also given and the total at the recent state election.

Wards	1 P. M. Dec. '11	1 P. M. Nov. '12	1 P. M. Dec. '12	Total Nov '12
One	926	920	804	1140
Two	666	654	633	759
Three	862	810	765	959
Four	746	681	626	873
Five	727	1016	865	1154
Six	540	722	561	796
	4267	4803	4254	5681

—The postal savings bank is one of the distinct accomplishments of the Taft administration, Postmaster General Hitchcock announced that approximately $28,000,000 had been deposited to date in postal savings depositories by 290,000 individuals, averaging $96 per depositor. The system now is operated in 12,733 postoffices and 7,357 banks have qualified to receive postal savings funds.—Medford Mercury.

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GEORGE W. JONES
1 Granite St., "Just Around the Corner" Quincy
Dec. 2-3t

After the Deluge.

She had just returned from her first trip to Europe and everybody was given an opportunity to know about it. One by one they gently extricated themselves, but at last she found a silent youth in a corner who proved to be an attentive listener. To him she rhapsodized on the beauty of life "abroad," and especially in England. It is difficult, however, for the most enthusiastic tourist to exist long without eliciting from an auditor some expression of wonder or applause, so she sought to break her listener's respectful silence even at the expense of losing a little time herself. "Were you ever in England?" she asked.

"Yes," he said modestly. "I was born there, and I am thirty-six years old. I lived there until I came to America three months ago. If you can tell me anything about America I should be awfully glad, as I wish to learn all I can."—New York Press.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same lineas the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

a	Wollaston	f	Harrison Square
b	Norfolk Downs	g	Savin Hill
c	Atlantic	h	Crescent Avenue
d	Neponset	i	South Boston
e	Pope's Hill	r	Quincy Adams
*	Saturdays Only	†	Except Saturday

Exp.—Express train.

TO BOSTON Leave	Stop	Arrive	FROM BOSTON Leave	Stop	Arrive
r 5 14	abcdefghi	5 41	5 45	ihgfedcba	6 14 r
r 6 16	abci	6 35	6 12	ihgfedcba	6 39 r
r 6 33	e	6 49	6 30	a	6 47
r 6 40	abcf	7 00	7 15	hgfedcba	7 41 r
r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	c	8 03 r
r 7 33	Exp	7 48	8 35	ca	8 52
r 7 42	ab	8 00	8 42	b	8 59
7 57	a	8 13	9 10	fedba	9 32 r
r 8 09	abcd	8 31	9 45	a	10 01 r
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r 10 19	abcdefghi	10 45	12 15	hgfedcba	12 41 r
11 12	a	11 28	12 37	a	12 54
r 11 24	abcdefghi	11 50	12 50	Exp	1 05
12 04	a	12 20	1 17	fedcba	1 44
r 12 19	abcdefghi	12 45	1 45	a	2 01
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2 04	a	2 20	2 35	Exp	2 50
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r 4 26	abcdefgh	4 52	4 41	c	4 58
5 06	Exp	5 20	4 57	a	5 11
r 5 30	abcdefg	5 55	5 14	a	5 31
6 12	ab	6 32	5 24	a	5 42
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†7 05	b	7 22	5 43	a	6 10 r
r 7 22	Exp	7 37	5 55	ledcba	6 21 r
7 29	ab	7 46	6 14	Exp	6 30 r
r 8 07	abcdef	8 30	6 31	ecba	6 52 r
r 9 10	abc	9 28	7 00	fedcba	7 24 r
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r 10 07	abcdef	10 30	8 05	fedcba	8 28 r
*10 19	a	10 35	*8 20	Exp	8 35
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			†11 30	ba	11 49

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r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 43	6 15	ihgfedcba	6 42 r
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West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)-6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.18 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)-6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.25 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.25, 4.35, 5.22, 6.19, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10.15 P. M.

—A suggestion has been made in England that a society of godparents should be organized to save children from unsuitable names. The most unsuitable name on record was given by an English woman to her child. The name was "What." Her only object in bestowing such a name was that the child might, in after years, cause amusement, on being asked his name, by replying "What."—Taunton Herald.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 3, 1912.

(Subject to change without notice.

Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER

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MASONS ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

Charles E. Cherrington, W. M. of Wollaston Lodge

OTHER CHAIRS FILLED

The annual communication of Wollaston Masonic lodge was held in the Masonic appartments at Wollaston Tuesday evening. The annual reports of the treasurer, secretary, finance committee and trustees of the permanent fund showed the lodge to be in a flourishing condition. The following officers were elected.

Worshipful Master — Charles E. Cherrington.

Senior Warden—Carroll E. Bates.

Junior Warden—John Morgan.

Secretary—Alfred H. Richards.

Treasurer—I. Woodbury Pinkham.

Senior Deacon—George A. Smith.

Junior Deacon—Hugh H. Ralph.

Trustee of Permanent fund—Frank P. Waterhouse.

Associate member board of Masonic Relief—Walter S. Pinkham.

Proxy to Grand Lodge—Albert W. Fay.

There are a number of appointive officers who will be appointed on the night of the installation. Charles E. Cherrington the new Master is one of the well known residents from Atlantic. His business is that of an accountant and he has served his ward in the City Council for several years.

One of the most important matters considered at the communication was the appointment of a committee to consider the desirability and advisibility of the erection of a Masonic temple in Wollaston.

(ADVERTISE.)

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BARN PARTY BY INTERNOS CLUB

Young Ladies Conducted a Most Enjoyable Revel

A variety of costumes were worn at the Barn Party given by the Internos Club at the New Colonial hall on Tuesday evening, and a jolly good time was enjoyed by those who attended. Music was furnished by Provosts orchestra and barn dances galore were on the order and merrily tripped by the lads and lassies. Delcevare King, in a costume significant of joy, was one of the gayest of the revellers, and was the centre around which most of little joys paraded.

The committee of arrangements were Miss Florence B. Pratt, Mrs. Agnes Farquhar, Miss Alfaline Keene, Miss Gladys Pinel, Miss Ruth Dole, Miss Bertha Pearson, Miss Margaret Gardner, Miss Nellie Souter, Miss Elsie Lawrence, Miss Florence Jones, Miss Christina Booth and Miss Ethel Booth.

BANK WINDOW BROKEN BY BOY

Youngster Caught, Father Will Settle For the Glass

Shortly before 6.30 Tuesday night while officer Murray stood in front of the Savings Bank building a rock flew by his head and went smash against one of the basement windows of the building. Officer Murray gave chase and with the assistance of another boy caught the boy who threw the stone. The affair was reported to Mr. Burgin of the bank and it is probable that the boy's father will settle for the window.

BOARD OF TRADE.

A regular meeting of the Board of Trade is set for this evening, and while no particular subject is scheduled for discussion it is undoubtedly true that something of interest will come up before the session closes.

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Dec. 2-3-4-5

STONE RE-ELECTED MAYOR BY THE NARROW MARGIN OF 90 PLURALITY

Penniman a Close Second and Miller None Too Far Behind, in Third Place of Whirlwind Contest

Foy Circular Proved a Round Robin, Which Failed in Reaching the Mark, But the Second One Evidently Hurt

Mayor Eugene R. Stone was re-elected by the close margin of 90 votes over his nearest competitor, James H. Penniman with John L. Miller, in third place but by the size of his vote a strong factor in the race. The vote was Stone 1742, Penniman 1652, and Miller 1605. A blanket of 150 votes could be thrown and cover the three candidates. Stone led Miller by 137 votes, and Penniman led the third man by only 47 votes.



CHARLES M. BRYANT.
Councilman at Large.

It was a remarkable contest with a remarkable finish, when three men so widely different in temperment, politics and many other ways. There were 60 blanks cast for mayor. Caleb F. Howard, who failed to file his papers, it was announced would be plugged along on stickers by his army of friends, but the army failed to materialize there being only two high privates in the ranks of the precinct two of ward five, who followed the Howard standard in all its lonesomeness.

The election was a surprise in many ways, to many of the usual weather wise prophets.

Mr. Penniman's showing was a revelation. Practically unknown as a politician or office seeker, he entered a contest into which he was really forced and his campaign was none too carefully planned or conducted, yet he came in second man and then only 90 votes behind the winner.



EDWARD J. SANDBERG,
Councilman at Large.

Mr. Miller conducted a very aggressive and progressive campaign. He and his friends labored diligently. The causes which may have contributed to his defeat are apparent.

Mayor Stone conducted an active and clean campaign in which he ever presented the most pronounced optimism which however was not deep rooted in his friends. Still he won out and his optimism probably had a good deal to do with bringing about that result.

The Ledger in its presentation of the situation regarding the days off far firemen Monday did the fair thing in presenting the case without any comment, or any flow of words or glow of color. It showed just how the firemen were situated and left the matter in the hands of the citizens and the result is quite generally satisfactory.

The vote placing the office of chief engineer of the fire department under the civil service rules, failed of passage by a narrow margin, of 146.

The buildings regulation act was accepted with a rush.

The incidents of the election, particularly those of the closing hours, require no further rehearsal. They point to the one great difficulty of many leaders really being unable to understand a situation which is apparant to every one and then by a blunder upsetting the apple cart.

Considering the general mixup in the ballot at Tuesday's election the official returns were received in remarkably good season, even earlier than last year when, while there were of course contests, there were not so many split ballots as on Tuesday. It was 6.19 when the first official returns were received and as usual these came from "Tom." Dunphy's precinct in Ward Five. Others quickly followed. In fact they came in about as fast as they could be tabulated so that at 7.30 the last precinct had been received.

The unofficial returns however had been received long before his time, on the Mayoralty vote, for three quarters of an hour after the polls closed the grand total for the three candidates for Mayor had been received and the first extra of the Ledger was on the street announcing that Mayor Stone had been re-elected. The unofficial returns gave Mayor Stone's plurality as 186. The official returns however made a number of minor changes so that the plurality was cut down to 147.

Then the official returns from precinct one of Ward Five came in and it was seen that the figures telephoned earlier in the evening had been materially changed for it was noted that the vote of Mayor Stone, instead of being 133 as telephoned earlier in the evening was but 82, a change of 51 votes.

Shortly after Warden Sibley of this precinct came to City Hall and stated that he thought a mistake had been made. The total tally sheet was hunted up and found to be all right,



JOSEPH L. WHITON.
Councilman at Large.

so that if a mistake was made it had been in carrying forward the figures from the block to the total tally sheet. The block tally sheets were not looked at however. The chances are that they will be gone over today, or it is possible that a recount may be asked for.

The returns as usual were received in the City Clerk's office, the city clerk being surrounded by a group of veteran reporters who had been through the same operation for years. One of the corps of newspaper men

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EUGENE R. STONE,
Re-elected Mayor of Quincy.

BOYD CAMP ELECTION

Officers Selected By Spanish War Veterans For the Year

At the annual meeting of John A. Boyd camp, No. 2, U. S. W. V., held at the quarters, Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Commander, John S. Blagdon; Senior Vice Commander, Thomas F. Gould; Junior Vice Commander, Ernest U. Whipple; Chaplain, Frank A. Cannon; Officer of the Day, Henry J. Nichols; Officer of the Guard, Herman F. Uhlig; Trustee for three years, Vern G. Brooks; Delegate to the Department convention, Frank A. Gannon; Alternate to the department convetion, John F. Johnson.

FASCINATING MUSIC STUDY

The Hymn of Praise Proves Such to Choral Society

The sixth rehearsal of the Choral society was held Tuesday evening and a large number of enthusiastic singers made the work in perfecting the execution of difficult music a delight and not a task.

Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise" is is a most fascinating study, new points coming to light constantly, a work that could be studied for months and yet more to be found in it. The chorus has added another number to its program. "The march of the Toreadores" from "Carmen." This is bright snappy music, yet it is brilliant in a different sense from "Hymn of Praise."

Conductor Mc Conathy is pleased with the rehearsals and already in so short a time obtains the thrilling effects and great climax that make a concert interesting to the most varied tastes. The next rehearsal will be on Tuesday evening, Dec. 10, at New Hancock hall.

CHRISTMAS SALE

UNDER AUSPICES OF
DORCAS SOCIETY
Universalist Vestry

TUESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 10—Supper at 6.30; Entertainment at 8 by members of Dorcas Society, assisted by Violinist and Soloist.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 11—The Weymouth Dramatic Club will present a farce, entitled "Done On Both Sides."

Tickets good for either night 25 cents.

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WINCHENBAUGH SPENT $470.93

To Run in the First Norfolk Senatorial District

GAVE TO PROGRESSIVES

(Special to the Ledger.)

State House, Dec. 4. Lester P. Winchenbaugh, of Hyde Park, candidate for the state senate from the first Norfolk district spent $470.93. It was the third largest amount spent by any of the senatorial candidates all over the State, being exceeded only by Levi H. Greenwood, president of the Senate and Senator Walter H. McLane of Fall River, both running for re-election, and it is reported to have caused comment at the State House.

Mr. Winchenbaugh says that $238.93 was expended for postage and printing; $50 was contributed to the Progressive Club of Quincy; $153 to the Progressive Club of Ward 26, Boston (Hyde Park); $17 to the Canton Progressives and $12 to the Milton Bull Moose Club.

Roger Wolcott, of Milton, expended $260, which was distributed among the town committees in the district, and $75 to the Republican City Committee of Quincy.

So far, the Secretary's office reports John J. McDevitt, democrat, who was elected, has filed no statement of election expenses.

The London suffragettes are more like a crowd of unruly children than anything. They daily demonstrate their lack of intelligent appreciation of law and order and failing in that the ballot in their hands would be like an infernal machine in its danger and uncertainty.

NOTICE!

We published a notice December 3 announcing that we would give away a Souvenir Coin Free to those calling for one of our Christmas Jewelry Catalogues, Friday, December 6.

We find that we are unable according to law to have U. S. Coins, Gold Plated, and should therefore not wish to give them away as souvenirs.

$5 in Gold "Free"

We will give in place of the above $5.00 in gold, or its equivalent in Jewelry, to the person who may guess the number which will be selected, and left in sealed envelope with the Quincy Daily Ledger and the Quincy Telegram Contest open to all persons over 12 years of age. Give name of the head of the family and any number between 1 and 1912 inclusive. Only one member from any one family permitted to enter in Contest. Number will be selected by three disinterested persons.

Contest closes Saturday, December 14, at 6 P. M.

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

It was a close shave, but a miss is as good as a mile and Mayor Stone has a second trick at the Municipal helm.

The boomerang came as it always does. Some people will never learn anything of the political game.

Quincy's no-license vote was as emphatic as ever.

The same trio of cities, Brockton, Quincy and Waltham remained in the dry column of the fourteen cities which held elections yesterday.

Many Deluxe book owners better not too closely investigate their holdings if they would remain in ignorance of the way they have been buncoed.

That $250,000,000 indemnity looks good for the wounds of the Balkan allies.

The Bull Moose party has again come out with its detective story on the trial of those who would be bribers or bribed in the coming senatorial contest. It is about time that silly stuff was dropped. If there is bribery and an intention to nail it, for gracious sake do so and provide the culprit the punishment he deserves. But people are getting sick of this braying about hiring dectives to prevent something. Detectives and detectors of crime do not go around headed by a torch light procession and a brass band.

Carnegie might found a home for many deserving people with his money rather than insult the ability of a man of ability to reach the presidency of being wholly unable to provide for his family.

Those miners holidays do not appear to be so numerous as the public is lead to believe. The holidays are forced on the miners, because the operators do not require any more coal on the top, and when the miners complain of lack of work, they are told of the shortage of cars and when the public complains they are told it is owing to the miners holidays and possibly a shortage of cars.

It really does seem as if some officials talk a trifle too plenty at times.

The firemen got their day off. We thought the voters would save the question in the proper way.

Some of the would be "leading politicians," are not so sanguine of their power to look into the future and read the book of fate as they were a few days ago.

Now gentlemen, forget all differences, get together, work for the good of the community and next year get into the game and make just as gallant a fight as ever.

Another fellow with a fairy tale yards long, of untold wealth and upsetting communities, winds up by passing a hat around on Boston common and the Boston papers devote columns of space to his ravings. Such is fame or perhaps foolishness.

It is quite evident that some candidates need a still small voice at right moment to direct when the undesirable lumber in the cargo should be thrown overboard to save the ship.

It is splendid of Mr. Mellen to advocate using Boston as a port of departure. Fine. But that means business for the New Haven. What the public would like would be means of reaching Boston instead of being packed like cattle in cattle cars. Try the trip from Quincy on some of the trains if there is any doubt on the matter.

THE MAYORALTY.

With the closing of the polls yesterday came the finish of the warmest three cornered mayoralty contest in the history of the city, and one which was marked by many peculiar features. Every one predicted that the contest would be close. In fact so close did many figure the result that none would dare hazard a guess. Friends of the candidates were of course putting forth the usual claims of victory, but the majority of them down in their hearts were timid of the possibility of being called a false prophet at the last minute. One thing about it however, Mayor Stone believed that he would be elected. He was optimistic right through the campaign, but his optimism was of the type that could not lead him to believe that the contest would be so close. He looked for more of a walkover.

James M. Penniman the Democratic candidate made a splendid fight but he lacked some things necessary to a successful campaign.

John L. Miller conducted a strenuous campaign, and while his camp did not lack material, there is a possibility that it was overfreighted.

Now that the contest is over and done with, it may not be out of place to look back and see how it was figured out a few weeks ago. The Ledger while not actually predicting the election of any one, pointed out logical conclusions which pointed to the re-election of Mayor Stone. As early as November 14, the Ledger had the following on its editorial page:

The handsome endorsement which Mayor Stone received at the Republican caucuses should be gratifying to his Honor and a matter of congratulation to his friends. For some time it was felt the mayor would be nominated by his party and the chances are very much in favor of his being his own successor.

It was unfortunate of course that the tax rate should be rather high this year, during his first term of service, but this was a condition towards which the city was gradually drifting, not caused by any one administration but working up to that state, because of all administrations up to the present time. The mayor courageously took the bull by the horns and instead of endeavoring to provide some loop hole of escape from this very high rate, accepted the situation and the high tax rate followed.

That Mayor Stone has been honest in his administration of affairs, no one will contradict. That he, as other mayors and other officials have, made mistakes is equally likely, and of course they naturally get the criticism from every angle.

But the mayor's probity is unquestioned. Undoubtedly profiting by the experiences of one year, he will be able to give the city better and more efficient service if, which seems likely at this time, he is returned to office."

And in the issue of yesterday in referring to the situation, the Ledger showed wherein some person made that "possibility" a surety, but more of that anon. The Ledger extends its congratulations to Mayor Stone, and bespeaks for him the co-operation of every citizen towards a successful administration of public affairs.

BOOMERANGS.

Boomerangs are dangerous things to handle. You can never tell just where they are going to strike, unless of course skilled in their use. Boomerangs in elections have proved costly. There was a feature in the election closed which bordered closely upon that method of campaigning. It will go down into history probably as "Foy Circular No. 1," with the sequel, to be known as "Foy Circular No. 2." It is claimed by many that the No. 2 Circular saved the election to Mayor Stone. While without admitting that Mayor Stone was in any danger of defeat, for the sake of the argument we accept that presentation of the situation, and beg to differ with the astute gentlemen who with much flourish of trumpets announce that Circular No. 2 saved the day to him. Not by a long chalk. It was the persons who issued Circular No. 1, which afforded Mayor Stone such a splendid opportunity to come out with Circular No. 2, a repudiation of the first one, who deserved consideration and favor for the political blunder. So if accepted that Mayor Stone was in danger, the salvation came with the opportunity for a person credited with having attacked his administration and policies to come out at the opportune moment and deny in the most emphatic manner, that he had made such statements or that any one had power to affix his signature to such a document as Circular No. 1.

Whoever issued Circular No. 1, lacked political judgment. It was not a display of political astuteness as there are many evidences which could be pointed out of its never being accepted as either a method of securing votes to one person or driving them from another. Incidentally it might be mentioned that the Ledger force and presses were equal to the emergency of getting out the enire edition of Circular No. 2, so that they could be delivered to every voter before the opening of the polls, Tuesday morning.

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NATURALIZING HIS PEOPLE

Rev. Mr. Lillback Engaged in Great Uplift Work

The efforts of Rev. J. Lillback of the Finnish Congregational towards helping his countrymen attain citizenship will partly materialize on Thursday morning when a hearing will be granted to 20 applicants at the Naturalization Court in the Boston Federal building.

Rev. Mr. Lillback's object is to start his countrymen thinking and living in the right direction and he believes that proper citizenship shold be a forigner's ideal.

This evening at 6 o'clock Rev. Mr. Lillback will deliver another of his series of lectures on the requirements for naturaization and its benefits at the Finnish Temperance hall. First and second papers will also be completed for the consideration of the Thursday session.

Rev. Mr. Lillback, K. Tikkanen and O. E. Djarf will appear as witnesses.

—The government can't compel the building of railroads; it has met with very limited success in its efforts to make two roads compete with each other. But it can prevent any railroad from charging extortionate rates or making discriminations in its rates or affording inadequate facilities for traffic.—Philadelphia Record.

LADIES HAPPY IN FAIR RESULTS

Aid Society of Atlantic M. E. Managed Ably

The fair of the Ladies' Aid society of the Atlantic Methodist church was financially and socially a pronounced success, and the excellent attendance extremely gratifying to all concerned. Particularly pleasing was the uniform decoration scheme, a harmony in pink, white and green, which produced an artistic effect quite impossible to imagine when the decoration of each table is treated different from the others. Pink chrysanthemums were in evidence everywhere.

The various tables wer under the chairmanship of th following ladies: fancy work, Miss Mabel Burr; aprons, Mrs. Arthur Thayer; domestic, Mrs. Alonzo M. Whittum; food, Mrs. Angotti; candy, Miss Alice Beal; grab bag, Miss Mary Beal; punch, Miss Marion Green; in charge of supper, Mrs. O. M. Niles; The ice cream room was in charge of O. M. Niles.

The smallest table proved to be the most successful. It was presided over by Asenith Kilpatrick and Edna Rice, two twelve year old girls who worked enthusiastically for the fair.

The generous support afforded by R. J. Barry, Gerald Sullivan and other merchants of Quincy was greatly appreciated by the society.

The officers of the society are president, Mrs. Burr; secretary, Mrs. O. M. Niles; and treasurer, Mrs. Alonzo M. Whittum.

DISTRICT COURT.

Patrick Rigers was fined $15 and John Cleary $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued case of Meyer Sochat for breaking and entering at Quincy was called and he was sentenced to three months in the house of correction. Sentence suspended until July 9.

Salvatora Poldora was fined $5 for selling vegetables by measure instead of by weight as required by law at Quincy.

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ELECTION DAY COUPONS

Should Help Some of the Ledger Candidates

THOUSANDS WERE PRINTED

Three to four thousand "Extra" Ledgers were printed Tuesday with the City election news and candidates for the Washington trip should get busy and gather them in. They are good for 15,000 to 20,000 votes.

Fred Williams has increased his lead in the contest today, but the largest gain was made by Sturgis Hunt. Miss Morrissett has moved up from tenth place to No. 4, and Sam Shellman has passed two rivals. Several others made gains.

Among the new candidates today are William J. DeCoste of Houghs Neck and John L. Miller, the recent candidate for Mayor. Evidently someone thinks he is entitled to a consolation prize. Charles H. Finn of the Buffaloes, George Powers, a clerk at the Fore River, Cornelius M. Duggan of Atlantic also enter with 25 each. There are other new names.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Candidates should remember the offer of of the Vote Editor to give a certificate good for 100 votes to candidate who stands first in the contest at 9 A. M., Monday, Dec. 9.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 10 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	2235
Fred J. Kessler, Montclair	2015
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	750
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	130
Sam Shellman, Granite street	105
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	100
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	80
James Neary, Fore River	60
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	60
Ethel Randall, stenographer	55
Richard Larkin, High school	55
William Kelley, conductor	50
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	50
John H. Hart, timekeeper	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	45
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	40
Galen Bowditch, messenger	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	40
W. C. Luther, Fore River	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Jennie Beer, O. D. St. George	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
William Erickson, F. of A.	35
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	35
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
William Pratt, Fore River	30
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	30
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	30
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	30
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	30
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	25
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	25
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	25
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
A. McKay, Heptasophs	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	20
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	20
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
John Mahon, organist	20
Katherine C. Walsh, telephone	15
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	15
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	15
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	15
Walter Mead, High school	10
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	10
John T. Cain, K. of C.	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5

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ANXIOUS TO RETAIN SOME PATRONAGE

Democrats Oppose Confirmation of Recess Appointments

Washington, Dec. 4.—President Taft sent more than 200 recess appointments to the senate and immediately indications of a movement among some of the Democratic senators to prevent their confirmation became evident. Senator Gore, it was said, would have the active support of several colleagues in heading the movement.

The campaign is directed especially against nominations which, it is claimed, have been postponed from time to time, thus bringing the new terms close to the beginning of the Democratic administration. Democratic senators claim the president already has deprived the Democrats of the privilege of appointing 50,000 postmasters by placing them within the civil service law by a single order.

Most of the Democratic senators expressed themselves as favorable to a "discriminating obstruction," but several Progressive senators, whose assistance had been counted on, did not appear willing to co-operate, it is understood.

SEVEN YEARS FOR DAVIS

Grand Recorder of A. O. U. W. In Rhode Island Goes to Prison

Providence, Dec. 4.—J. I. Davis, grand recorder of the Ancient Order of United Workmen in this state, was sentenced to seven years in state prison by Judge Rathbun in the superior court here.

Davis had pleaded guilty. He is 66 years old. The attorney general asked for a severe sentence on account of the fact that poor people, members of the order, were the sufferers from Davis' thefts.

—Temperance reformers take courage, as signs increase that their fabors are prospering. The first tea house was opened in London just fifty years ago. Now tea-rooms are universal and have proved themselves a great factor in the direction of temperance. The cup of afternoon tea has taken the place of something much stronger, and it is no longer supposed to be the especial prerogative of woman. At the Pullman car factories milk bottles have driven out beer bottles. Two pedlers at the main gate, one of the seven entrances, writes Graham R. Taylor in the Survey, alone sell nearly half a thousand bottles each noon.—Christian Register.

GEORGE KIMBALL DEAD

Had Much to Do With Improving Boston's Transportation System

Boston, Dec. 4.—George A. Kimball, chief engineer of the Boston Elevated street railway, and to whom in no small measure does the transportation system of Boston stand as a tribute, died suddenly at his home in Arlington from heart trouble following an attack of indigestion.

Mr. Kimball was a prominent civil engineer, past president of the Boston Society of Civil Engineers, director of the American Society of Civil Engineers and member of the Institution of Civil Engineers of London.

He was born in Littleton, Mass., May 15, 1850. He is survived by a wife and four children.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

WHAT THEY ARE DOING AND SEASONS' PLANS

Junior Friday club had a pleasant meeting Monday afternoon with Miss Abigail Baxter Wood of School street. Mrs. Alfred P. Thompson was in charge of the program which dwelt with the Scottish invasions of Ireland, the sub topics being Effects, Statute of Kilkenny and War of Roses. Two members were missed, Mrs. Jesse L. Litchfield who is in Buffalo, and Mrs. L. H. Sturtevant who is in Georgia. The new members were both present.

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Wollaston Alliance is holding a two days' fair today and Thursday, with entertainments each evening.

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After much preparation the Woman's Guild of Christ church is holding its annual December fair.

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Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney gives the third lecture tomorrow in her Shakesperian course for the Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter, D. A. R.

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The Christmas meeting of Wollaston Alliance on Dec. 18 is to be in charge of Mrs. Atwood.

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Mrs. Ralph of 39 Elm avenue is to be the hostess, Monday afternoon for the December meeting of the Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter, D. A. R. Mrs. L. B. Titus will read a paper on "Reminiscences of old houses."

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The meeting of Quincy Alliance on Monday afternoon in First Church chapel will be the only one for the month and will be a Christmas meeting with a program in charge of Mrs. Frank S. Davis, Dec. 23, the Alliance will hold a Christmas party for children following the custom of previous years.

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Plays of Sophocles will be the subject for the next meeting of the Friday club on Dec. 13. Mrs. Frank A. Page of Wollaston will be the hostess and Mrs. Ernest Cockayne, the committee.

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Miss Elizabeth Cook will be chairman for the Dec. 12th meeting of the Atlantic Shakespear Society when act three of King John will be taken up for study.

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Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney of the Quincy Women's club and State Federation is a very busy woman these days having no less than a half dozen lecture courses underway among the clubs in and about Quincy.

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Junior Alliance of First church is doing a very practical work at its meetings this winter in sewing for the Visiting Nurses, who find need of the garments as soon as made. The next meeting will be Dec. 9 at half past seven in First Church chapel.

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The art conference tomorrow at the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston promises to interest many club women. It will be an all day meeting beginning at ten o'clock and the afternoon session at two. Admission will be free but members will be asked to present their visiting card with name of club.

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At the meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery Association Tuesday afternoon at the Women's clubhouse the following donations were reported as received during November: Mrs. Geo. E. Pfaffmann one dozen dish towels and kettle; First Church Sunday school basket of vegetables; Dorcas Society Universalist church odds and ends from a rummage sale; Quincy Home turkey and vegetables; Mrs. W. H. Doble two dozen oranges.

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QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

The executive board meets at the clubhouse tomorrow morning at ten o'clock for its usual monthly business session.

William H. Lewis, U. S. Assistant Attorney General over whom there has been so much controversy because he is a negro, will be the speaker at the next meeting of the club on Dec. 10. He speaks under the auspices of the Legislative committee and a social tea will follow the address.

Club members are reminded that the meeting is called at two o'clock instead of the usual hour that the proposed changes in the by-laws may be considered. There was a large attendance at the last club meeting and an interesting discussion. It will probably take several sessions to complete the by-laws ready for printing.

The arts and crafts exchange is to hold a Christmas sale at the clubhouse on the regular club day, Dec. 10. Consigned goods solicited. They must be at the club that day before two o'clock.

UNITY CIRCLE K. D.

Unity Circle of King's Daughters, held its regular meeting in Bethany vestry with a large attendance. The president, Mrs. W. G. Shaw presided, and Mrs. Victor E. Miller conducted the devotional exercises. Mrs. Frank J. Moore and Mrs. Ernest V. Fitts sang "Sweet Hour of Prayer," very impressively and with much expression, Mrs. Margaret D. Mitchell accompanying at the piano.

The leaders of the various tens gave an account of the meetings, and entertainments given to earn money for charitable work. The Music Ten is going to present a clock to the Woman's ward at the city hospital. A christmas party is being arranged for the inmates of Pond Home, which will give them a great deal of pleasure. Mrs. C. W. Guy has charge of this affair and all donations may be given to her. It is hoped everyone will respond generously.

The executive meeting will be held Saturday evening with Miss Addie E. Park, Butler road.

The meeting closed with selections on the violin by Master Theo Smith accompanied by Miss Violet Smith at the piano, performed with marked ability. Master Charles Williams read "A Smack in School" and "Which One are you going to drown?" displaying unusual talent.

ADAMS CHAPTER.

Adams Chapter D. R., was very delightfully entertained Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Osborne Rogers, 1072 Hancock street.

Miss Katheryn Hannum of Ashmont sang very sweetly two solos accompanied on the piano by Miss Marjorie Penniman of Quincy. A very interesting and instructive paper on Mt. Wollaston was read by Mrs. Herbert W. Pinkham of Wollaston which was listened to with unusual interest. Mrs. Pinkham is living in the first house built on the "Heights" so she seemed very much at home with her subject.

During the social hour the hostess served delicious refreshments assisted by her committee Mrs. George T. Magee and Mrs. E. G. Pratt.

CONSERVATION WORK.

Mrs. Emmons Crocker of Fitchburg, chairman of the conservation department of the State Federation hopes to arouse more interest in the subject among the club women. Capt. White who spoke at the conservation congress in October said in his introduction: "We have for several years been working for conservation: We have had conservation of forests, conservation of water, conservation of soils, and have only just now arrived at the point where we should have begun, at conservation of vital forces and human life."

Mrs. Crocker says that could this conservation of human life have been begun when the first settlers came to this country then there was no need of conservation of natural resources, but what a need of conservation of vital forces and human life. She believes that the foundation must be considering present conditions firmly imbedded in the conservation of natural resources or the structure of human conservation will not be stable.

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DANGERS OF COMMON COLDS.

Ever since the influenza epidemic of 1889-90 we have experienced waves of infectious catarrhal colds which have been spoken of as influenza, or grip, or simply as colds. To these infections the infant seems to be especially susceptible. When one of these colds invades a household, several of its members usually contract it. While some adults may escape, the baby or the child of runabout age is almost invariably affected. These infections spread rapidly and with great certainty through the wards of institutions caring for young children. During recent winters in one institution the sickness from this source has far exceeded that from all other infectious diseases of childhood. One of the most important results is its interference with nutrition. This is of somewhat less importance among children of the runabout age, but in any group of bottle-fed infants such infection not only prevents gain but is, as a rule, accompanied by definite loss in weight. We are too phrone to look on these colds as local affections when they are, in reality, infections.

When a group of children in a family becomes infected, we often see established a house infection with, at intervals, recurrent outbreaks, which may extend over a number of months, until the advent of warm weather or the departure of the family to the country. This experience is so general in New York as to be a matter of common report among parents. Some susceptible children are kept free only by continued residence in the country, but unfortunately suburban cotonies and country towns have their own share of infectious epidemics.

The amount of injury done young children each year by such colds can scarcely be estimated. During the prevalence of such colds, the possibilities of infection are excellent if the young child travels by train, rides in public conveyances or is taken to hotels or crowded shops.

Only recently, says Dr. Thomas S. Southworth of Boston, in a recent issue of The Journal of the American Medical Association, have we begun to appreciate the ravages of these subtle forms of infection. With such knowledge, however, goes the moral obligation to throw off our indifference, to face the question fairly, and to do all in our power to lessen the unneccessary sickness and the too frequent pneumonia which follows it.

A GROWING VILLAGE.

We wonder if Quincy people as a whole know what an attractive settlement is springing up between Wollaston and East Milton. It is called Montclair and has recently begun to grow, and grow in the right way too, for the houses are mostly of the single house, cottage or bungalow type which means that they are occupied by their owners. That means a community of homes. The three-deckers are absent. Any village started and continued under these conditions means the right environment and a working together for the benefit and improvement of all.

The new school house should prove an incentive to people to locate in Montclair. The train accommodations are much better than in many places for there is a choice of two stations, the Montclair on the Granite branch, and the Norfolk Downs on the main road.

We predict a rapid growth of the right kind for Montclair and congratulate the Improvement Association residents and real estate men on being quick to see the advantages of the place as a residential community.

SEMBRICH RECITAL.

All lovers of fine singing and perfect interpretation of beautiful songs will welcome the return of Madame Marcella Sembrich to Boston when she gives her only recital in Symphony hall, Boston on Sunday afternoon at half past three. Madame Sembrich in the years that she has given to the art has established an entirely new standard for song recitals not merely in the selection of programmes but in the singing of the songs themselves. In this respect she must be classed among the epoch-making singers of all times. Comment in New York after her recital there a few weeks ago leads one to believe that this great singer has never been in more beautiful voice than she is this year. Her programme is one which contains many delights—old classical airs, German lieder, French and American songs and finally a group of eight folk songs of seven different countries which she will sing in the languages in which they are written. The programme is as follows:

Der kuss	Beethoven
Veilchen	Mozart
M' ha preso alla sua ragna	Paradies
Lusinghe pincare	Handel
My Lovely Celia	Munro
Fingo per mio diletto	Anon
	Arr. by Viardot
Im Grunen	Franz Schubert
Klarchenlied	Franz Schubert
Musensohn	Frantz Schubert
Brautlieder, 1 and 2	Rob. Schumann
Roselein	Rob. Schumann
Komm, wir wandeln	P. Cornelius
In Lust und Schmerzen	P. Cornelius
Les Cloches	Debussy
L'oiseau bleu	Dalcroze
Ouvre tes yeax	Massenet
Before the Crucifix	Frank La Forge
Spooks	Frank La Forge
Constancy	Foote

EIGHT FOLK-SONGS:

Gai lon la	French Canada
Coolin	Ireland
Kom Kjyra	Norway
Ainte Kajmescu	Greece
Coz ja nleboraczck	Poland
Dalekaja u blyskaja	Little Russia
Maroz vize folyik	Hungary
Csillag eleg Ragzog	Hungary

PLANNING CHRISTMAS PARTY.

A special meeting of the St. Mary's Guild was held Tuesday evening and returns were made by the committee in charge showing that a large amount was netted from the whist and dancing party held at St. Joseph's hall recently.

Arrangements for a Christmas party to be held during the holidays were left to a committee consisting of Miss Catherine Shea, Miss Elizabeth Farrell, Miss Theresa Elcock, Miss Mary Ethel Burns and Miss Rena Mannox.

ANOTHER FALSE ALRAM.

The alarm from box 614 at 9.58 on Tuesday night was a false alarm.

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STONE RE-ELECTED

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had received and tabulated returns at the city clerks office of municipal elections for 22 years and two others had been tabulating for fourteen or fifteen years.

William J. Parker who for fourteen years tabulated the returns for the Associated Press was missed as he has relinquished his duties as a newspaper reporter. In his place tabulating for the Associated Press was one of the younger men in the Quincy newspaper field. The other newspaper men tabulating returns were T. J. Collins of the Globe, Walter H. Cobb of the Herald and George T. Magee of the Ledger.

Mayor Stone received the returns at his headquarters in the Hancock building where he was surrounded by a large corps of supporters. Where the other candidates for Mayor received their returns is not known. Doubtless however they were kept well informed of what was going on.

Outside of the Mayor the interest was in the election of Councilmen-at-Large where there was a bunch of fourteen seeking the five positions. As usual ex-Mayor Charles M. Bryant proved his ability as a vote gatherer for he led the van of those elected with a grand total of 2019, Councilman John R. Richards coming second with a total of 1910. Then came Councilman Edward J. Sandberg with 1889, ex-Councilman Joseph L. Whiton with 1777 and John B. Bass a new man with 1761.

For Ward Councilmen there were quite a few contests and a number of changes in the make up of next years City Council is thus assured.

In Ward One, two Republican and one Progressive candidate won out. In Ward Two, the Republicans lose two men and the Democrats gained two. In Ward Three where there was an unusual hot contest on for ward councilmen, the three regular Republican nominees won out.

In Ward Four Stephen B. Little, the Citizens candidate won out, and two Democrats were elected.



THOMAS GRIFFIN,
Councilman Ward Two.



CHARLES A. ROSS.
Councilman Ward Three.



HENRY T. BOYD.
Councilman Ward Four.

In Ward Five there was also a hot contest for Ward Councilmen but the three regular Republican nominees won out. Likewise in Ward Six the three Republican nominees also won.

The majority against License fell off somewhat this year from a year ago. Last year the majority for No was 1758 while this year the No majority was cut to 1445. Every precinct in the city with the exception of two gave a majority for No. The two to favor license were Ward 2 precinct 1 and Ward 4 precinct 2. The silent vote was 344 as against 323 last year.

The two other questions in which there was considerable interest were the question of extending Civil Service rules to the Chief of Fire Department, and the days off for the firemen. No conserted opposition was made against the latter question however, but there was quite a fight against taking the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department out of politics. Tuesday morning an unsigned circular was circulated about the several wards preporting to give the losses by fire under Chief Litchfield this year as compared with the losses under ex-Chief Williams last year. Whether the figures were correct or not, no one knew and it is doubtful if anyone stopped to look it up. The circular probably accomplished the purpose for which it was issued.



CHARLES A. ERICSON,
Councilman Ward One.

The vote on this question was 1936 yes and 2082 no, a majority of 146 against accepting the amendment and thus taking the fire department head out of politics.

The question of days off for firemen was carried by a majority of 634. This means that the firemen will receive one day off in every five and that quite an additional sum will be required next year for pay of men in the Fire Department.

The question of accepting the building act also won out by a large majority.

There was no opposition to John D. MacKay for School Committee from Ward One or William G. Curtis for School Committee from Ward Five. There was a contest however for School Committee-at-Large, but Dr. Edward H. Bushnell was re-elected by a majority of 1209.

The complete vote of the city for all candidates and questions will be found in tabulated form on Page six.

The following tables give the total vote of each precinct and the time at which the official returns were received at City Hall.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR 1913.

FOR MAYOR.
Hon. Eugene R. Stone.

SCHOOL COMMITTEEMEN.
At-Large—Edward H. Bushnell.
Ward One—John D. Mackay.
Ward Five—William G. Curtis.

COUNCILMEN AT LARGE ELECTED.

	Their Total Vote.
John B. Bass	1761
Charles M. Bryant	2019
John R. Richards	1910
Edward J. Sandberg	1889
Joseph L. Whiton	1767

WARD ONE. TOTAL VOTE 1018.
Vote for Councilmen.

	Precincts 1	2	Total
*Charles A. Ericson	266	293	559
Robert A. Hardwick	149	184	333
*Joseph W. Johnson	216	238	454
Alfred N. LaBreque	164	183	287
Thomas J. McGrath	112	210	320
Archie Thayer	53	66	119
*William Thompson	202	245	447
Blanks	266	351	617

SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN.

John D. Mackay	311	400	
Blanks	145	192	

WARD TWO. TOTAL VOTE 745
Vote for Councilmen.

	Precincts 1	2	Total
Joseph Carruthers,	80	132	212
Albert G. Coffin, Jr.	21	60	81
*Stephen L. Devaney,	91	212	303
*Frank J. Duffy,	150	215	365
John J. Feeley,	100	171	271
*Thomas Griffin,	135	191	326
William M. Prime	57	81	138
Harry G. Studley,	109	174	283
Blanks	94	162	256



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WARD THREE. TOTAL VOTE 919.
Vote for Councilmen.

	Precincts 1	2	Total
Robert B. Craig	182	117	299
*Wm. Farquharson	210	169	379
Walter G. Ferguson	127	86	213
*George Gauthier	169	139	308
August V. Johnson	107	106	213
*Charles A. Ross	213	227	440
David M. Warner	195	98	293
Blanks	319	297	616

WARD FOUR. TOTAL VOTE 829.
Vote for Councilmen.

	Precincts 1	2	Total
*Harry T. Boyd	241	206	447
*Daniel F. Corcoran	245	167	412
*Stephen B. Little	218	212	430
William C. Martell	200	163	363
Daniel F. Shea	58	116	174
Blanks	319	342	661

WARD FIVE. TOTAL VOTE 916.
Vote for Councilmen.

	Precincts 1	2	Total
Russell T. Anthony	172	263	445
*Charles W. Bailey	403	219	622
*Charles E. Barker	332	198	530
*Charles L. Gilliatt	303	333	639
Blanks	256	274	510

SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN.

William G. Curtis	411	339	
Blanks	76	90	

WARD SIX. TOTAL VOTE 615.
Vote for Councilmen.

	Precincts 1	2	Total
*Herbert G. Beeman	209	154	363
*James H. Cunningham	235	169	404
Peter F. Flynn	110	115	225
*Charles A. Hadlock	209	148	357
Blanks	257	224	481

* Elected.

Ward 1, Pre. 1	7.02	456
Ward 1, Pre. 2	7.30	592
Ward 2, Pre. 1	6.59	279
Ward 2, Pre. 2	7.15	466
Ward 3, Pre. 1	7.10	506
Ward 3, Pre. 2	7.07	413
Ward 4, Pre. 1	6.48	427
Ward 4, Pre. 2	6.47	402
Ward 5, Pre. 1	6.52	487
Ward 5, Pre. 2	6.19	429
Ward 6, Pre. 1	7.14	340
Ward 6, Pre. 2	6.26	275
		5072

GET MARRIED.

That is the only way for a girl attaining sudden fame to rid herself of attentions of matrimonal pests, in the opinion of the prettiest working girl in Spokane. Miss Evelyn Johnson, a fair-haired girl in the early twenties, was voted the most beautiful working girl in Spokane, after a spirited contest conducted by the Woman's Hotel, a charitable institution, with the assistance of the Spokane Daily Chronicle. There were some 500 entries, and before the contest of photograph was concluded, interest was at a high pitch.

When Miss Johnson was declared the most beautiful, the postman who delivered mail to the Johnson home suddenly noticed a remarkable increase in the weight of his daily burden. It was occasioned by tender missives to the fair winner. Day by day the number of letters from men in many parts of the country and of all ages and conditions grew in numbers, until the limit of patience of the much-adored damsel was reached.

Then came the announcement of her engagement. It did not end like most affairs of its kind, in the betrothal of the girl and a "tall, handsome, broad-shouldered, honest young man" with whom she became acquainted by mail. Not this time. Instead, Miss Johnson announced her coming marriage to the young man to whom she was engaged long before beauty brought her fame and a ton of mushy missives. "Of course, we intended long ago to be married," Miss Johnson explained, "but we decided to hasten the announcement to cut off that string of silly letters. And it really had the desired effect."

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GREECE WON'T SIGN PROTOCOL

Other Balkan Allies Agree With Turkey to Cease Fighting

MAY MEAN RIFT IN THE UNION

Greeks Have Insisted Upon Capitulation of Adrianople, Scutari and Janina—Greece May Be Replaced by Roumania In Balkan League—Serious Dissensions With Bulgaria

London, Dec. 4.—The protocol arranging an armistice was signed late last evening by the Turkish and Bulgarian delegates, the latter representing also Servia and Montenegro.

Prior to this there had been a long sitting of the Turkish council of ministers to consider fresh proposals submitted by the allies.

Apparently the Greek delegate did not sign the protocol. At present nothing is definitely known on this point, nor of the terms of the armistice as revised yesterday.

The refusal of Greece to sign the aristice is susceptible of different interpretations. In the first place, as a tacit armistice has been in existence for more than a week, it is not impossible that the negotiations may have served to bring about an agreement on the general principles of the peace terms, such as would promise the speedy arrangement of a peace treaty when the conference meets, as is now expected in London.

In this case the fact that Greece is standing out from the armistice protocol would not be of great importance.

In the second place the Greek abstention may mean a serious split among the allies, arising from jealousies concerning the possession of Salonica and the insistence of the Greeks on the capitulation of Adrianople, Scutari and Janina.

Other points which may influence the situation are to be found in the fact that Turkey recently sought to conclude a separate treaty of peace with Greece, that Bulgaria apparently is not unwilling to enter into an alliance with Turkey and that the allies are desirous that Turkey shall enter the Balkan customs league.

There is a rumor in Sofia that a suggestion has been made to substitute Roumania in the Balkan league. It seems clear from the report that Bulgaria will ignore the Greek offer to land an army in Gallipoli peninsula and to send her fleet to attack the Dardanelles, that the relations between Greece and Bulgaria are greatly strained and that these signs of dissension among the allies leave the situation full of dangerous possibilities.

It is reported France is trying to persuade Greece to adopt a less unyielding attitude. It is understood financial pressure and the exhaustion of their forces had much to do with the willingness of Bulgaria and Servia to conclude peace, and in this respect Greece, which secured her victories with less expense, is better able to continue hostilities.

Bulgarians Kill 250 Greeks

London, Dec. 4.—A Vienna dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says that official quarters have received information that the dissensions between the Greeks and Bulgars have become serious and that 250 Greeks were killed when 3000 of their troops attempted forcibly to occupy the town of Serres, which was already occupied by the Bulgarians.

BOY MISSING SINCE 1907

Manchester Authorities Think He May Have Been Killed by Hickey

Manchester, N. H., Dec. 4.—Since the arrest of J. F. Hickey, confessed boy strangler, the authorities of this city have come to the conclusion that Zavier Champaign of this city, who disappeared July 15, 1907, is one of his victims.

The Champaign boy, with two companions, became lost on that day in the outskirts of Manchester. The three separated to find the way home by different routes. The Champaign boy never reached his destination and never was heard of afterwards. No trace could be found of him.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Thursday cloudy with occasional rain and warmer.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	6.58
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.14
Moon rises	3.41
High water, A. M.	8.15
High water, P. M.	9.00

Days decrease 6 hours 3 minute.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	53 degrees
Dec. 4, 1911,	29 degrees
Dec. 4, 1910,	34 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRYANT TO SPEAK.

Ex Mayor Charles M. Bryan will speak at the Good Citizenship Forum of the Wollaston Unitarian church, Sunday noon, upon "A practical review of the revision of our charter for better government."

SUPPER DATE CHANGED.

Next Tuesday evening, not last night as announced in the Ledger will be the date of the cabaret supper to be cooked and served by the members of St. Chrysostoms Men's club in the parish rooms.

JOHNSON WEDS AGAIN

Lucille Cameron Becomes Bride of the Negro Pugilist

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Jack Johnson, the gigantic negro pugilist, who is shortly to be prosecuted under the Mann white slave act, took to himself his second white wife when he was married to Lucille Cameron, the girl for whose abduction he was arrested a few weeks ago.

The marriage of Johnson will not interfere with his prosecution, however, as the indictments under which he is to be tried concern his relations with a woman named Belle Schreiber.

Two months ago Johnson's first white wife committed suicide and was buried from the house which was the scene of the nuptials yesterday afternoon.

The ceremony was performed in the home of Johnson's mother by Rev. Harry D. Roberts, the negro pastor of St. Mark's Episcopal church, while armed men, hired by Johnson, guarded the doors.

JACOBSON MURDER CASE

Witnesses For State Summoned In Behalf of the Defense

Houlton, Me., Dec. 4.—A surprise was sprung in the Jacobson murder case when R. W. Shaw, representing the three defendants, summoned all twenty-five witnesses for the state.

The defendants are Rev. Charles Emelius, his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Jacobson, and his brother-in-law, Edgar Jacobson. They are charged with the murder by shooting of the clergyman's prospective father-in-law, C. A. Jacobson. The attorneys for the defense are eager to learn the nature of the government's case and have taken this unusual course.

Attorney General Pattangall declined to comment on the action, except to say the state's witnesses were not obliged to talk.

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SCHOOL MATES WERE MARRIED

Romance of Grammar Grades Culminated at the Altar

At the Wollaston Unitarian church, Tuesday evening, Miss Persis Anna Thompson was united in marriage to Edward Russell Hall, before a large number of relatives and friends. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Carl G. Horst, the double ring service being used.

The bride was given away by her brother, Charles M. Thompson of Wollaston and the best man was Lucien H. Thayer of Wollaston, Harvard '10.

Miss Ida May Nichols of Providence R. I., was the maid of honor. She wore a gown of white marquisette with yellow sash and carried a spray of yellow chrysanthemums.

The bridesmaids were Miss Margaret Hall, sister of the groom and Miss Dorothy Fay of Quincy, who wore white lace and crepe de chine, carrying yellow chrysanthemums.

The bride was attired in white satin, draped model, en train, and wore a white veil caught up with white flowers.

The bridesmaid's proceeding from the study to the rear of the church were joined by the rest of the bridal party in their march to the altar. William E. Weston of Wollaston was the organist.

The ushers were George E. Brown, Harvard '08, Louis B. Weston, Ernest W. Arnold and Dr. F. Edwin Davis, all of Wollaston.

Following the ceremony the happy couple received their friends in the rear of the church in a recess formed by palms. The church was decorated with palms, ferns and potted plants.

A large number of the young people adjourned to the house of the grooms' parents on Davis street whence the couple were to start on their wedding trip and after an informal reception the pair were given a royal send off with showers of confetti and good wishes. They will be at home to their friends after March 1st at 429 Brookline avenue, Brookline.

The groom is a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, class of 1911 and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roderick D. Hall of Davis street. He just completed work on investigations and specifications for the new Technology under the direction of a prominent engineer. He is in the employ of the Factory Mutual Fire Insurance company of Boston.

The aquaintance of the couple was formed in the lower grades of the grammar school and ripened into a strong friendship. They both attended the Massachusetts Fields school and were both members of the class of 1911, Quincy High school of which the bride was class president and the groom salutatorian.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

A competitive examination for special agent (male) in the State Bureau of Statistics, salary, $1,200 per year, will be held on Dec. 18. From the eligible list established by this examination, names will be certified to fill one vacancy, and others as they may occur. To be eligible for this position a man should have had practical experience in the collection and correlation of statistical data especially pertaining to labor problems, and he should also be capable of preparing the results of investigations in the form of written reports.

The examination will consist of a test in statistics, including the practical handling of statistics as outlined above; also of arithmetic, handwriting, accuracy, spelling, and a sworn statement of training and experience. Men desiring to take this examination may secure application blanks by applying, in person or by letter at the office of the Civil Service Commission, Room 152, State House, Boston.

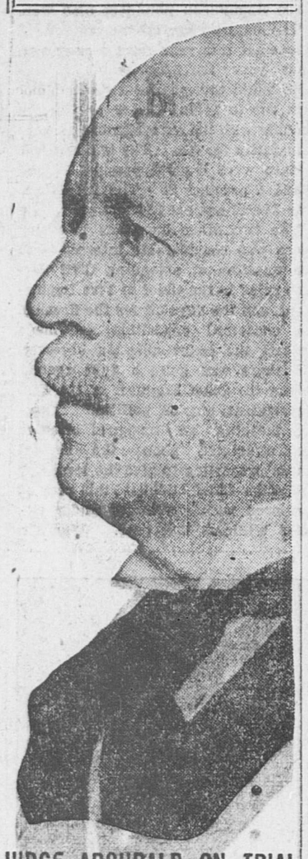
Radium Found In Austria

Berlin, Dec. 4.—A rich deposit of radium is said to have been discovered near the Salzburgerkopf in Austria. The land there has risen sevenfold in price.

☞The Ledger trip to Washington, D. C., to attend the inauguration of President-Elect Wilson will be first class in every way and include many extra features in the way of grand stand seats for the inaugural procession and tickets for the inaugural ball. While in Washington all points of interest will be visited under the direction of a conductor with headquarters at a first class hotel. The trip will be by Fall River steamer to New York and from there by parlor car, leaving Boston Friday, Feb. 28 at 3 P. M. tf

FACES IMPEACHMENT

Judge Robert W. Archbald of the Commerce Court



JUDGE ARCHBALD ON TRIAL

Counsel Admits Acts Charged, but Improper Conduct Is Denied

Washington, Dec. 4.—For the ninth time in its history, the senate convened as a high court of impeachment. It is trying Judge Robert W. Archbald of the commerce court on thirteen separate charges alleged to constitute "high crimes and misdemeanors." Counsel for the judge has admitted commission of all the acts alleged, but denied that any was improper.

The court adopted formal orders, setting the hour of meeting daily at 2 o'clock, and providing that the opening statements of the case should be made by one person on each side.

UNITED STATES STILL THIRD NAVAL POWER

France Has Become a Formidable Rival For Position

Washington, Dec. 4.—The United States remains in third place among the naval powers of the world, and as the result of the curtailment of the naval construction program at the last session of congress, France became a more formidable rival for the position which this country now holds.

A chart just issued by the office of naval intelligence of the navy department names the naval powers of the world in the following order, the position of each being based upon tonnage of warships built and building:

Great Britain, Germany, United States, France, Japan, Russia, Italy and Austria.

THE ONLY "REAL GOVERNOR"

Gilchrist of Florida the Sole Possessor of That Distinction

Richmond, Dec. 4.—Governor Gilchrist of Florida is the only "real governor" in the union. He said so himself.

"If there is any man here who is the real governor of his state, whose wife does not rule instead of he," announced Mayor Ainslee of Richmond, in welcoming delegates to the governors' conference in session here, "I call on him to stand up and be counted."

Governor Gilchrist, amid cheers and laughter, arose and was counted —alone. He is unmarried.

DIES AT AGE OF 115

Negress Mother of Twenty-Two Children and Fifty Grandchildren

Paterson, N. J., Dec. 4.—Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, mother of twenty-two children and grandmother of fifty, died in a local hospital at the age of 115 years, according to her reckoning. Two years ago her husband died at the age of 109 years.

Mrs. Thompson was a negress. All but one of her children are living.

Tender-Hearted Grand Jury

White Plains, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Instead of indicting Joseph Vandersloot, a cripple, for carrying a revolver, the grand jury took up a collection to send him to his home in Grand Rapids, Mich.

King of Belgium Ill

Brussels, Dec. 4.—King Albert of Belgium is confined to his bed with a severe attack of influenza.

TO ROUND UP REPUBLICANS

Task Set For Chairman Hilles and Secretary Reynolds

HEADQUARTERS AT CAPITAL

Efforts Will Be Made to Strengthen Regular Organization as Rapidly as Possible—Progressives Not Agreed Among Themselves Regarding Important Issues to Be Settled

Washington, Dec. 4.—The Republican national committee will open headquarters probably in Washington immediately after March 4, with Chairman Hilles and Secretary Reynolds in charge, if plans of the leaders which are under quiet discussion here are carried out.

The task of actual "reorganization of the Republican party" will not be attempted as such by the national committee until time has tested out a little more clearly the general sentiment of Republicans throughout the country. The first task will be to establish a central meeting place to which all the loyal can repair for information and advice and to strengthen the regular organization in every state as rapidly as possible.

It is noticeable at the Capitol that many of the Progressives, particularly in the senate, are becoming restless over the peculiar position they occupy with respect to the Republican party. It is the purpose of the Progressives to frame a set of bills covering the large issues and to push them regardless of the character of their support. So far, however, the Progressives are wide apart on the tariff, trust and currency issues and they may have some difficulty in reconciling their differences.

Even in the relatively minor matter of electing a president pro tem of the senate they are not agreed. Dixon of Montana and Poindexter of Washington have refused to enter any party caucus and are not counted as Republicans. But men like Cummins and Borah have begun to realize that their opposition to the election of Gallinger as president pro tem is getting them nowhere and some of the Progressives are worrying over allowing a Democrat to preside for three months over a Republican senate. Gore is moving among the Progressives to secure their vote for Senator Bacon.

Prominent Republicans are saying among themselves that already they detect in various parts of the country signs of a reaction against the emotional tide which swept the Republican party out of power. One of the most distinguished of Republican senators said:

"The real lesson of the recent election was that the people did not want Roosevelt for president again. Thousands of Republicans voted for Wilson to head off Roosevelt, and the strength of the anti-third term issue. The people are slowly coming to understand the significance of the election figures, and a slow but steady return to the Republican standard will follow.

"In many of the states the Republican leaders abandoned the presidential campaign to save their state ticket for the Republican party. Personalities governed largely in the presidential voting."

WILL NOT RUN AGAIN

Roosevelt Does Not Want Presidential Chair, According to Bird

Boston, Dec. 4.—Theodore Roosevelt will not be a candidate again for the presidency. Such was the declaration of Charles S. Bird, Progressive candidate for governor in the recent election, at a meeting and banquet of the Progressives of the Fourth senatorial district held here last night.

Bird was in conference with Roosevelt recently in New York. At this conference, according to Bird, the ex-president asserted he no longer desires to lead the party, but he wished to assure its members that he would continue to support its policies with the rank and file of the party.

SHERIFF IS HELD UP

Robbers Take His Revolver Away After Robbing Postoffice Safe

Binghampton, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Five men who blew up the postoffice safe at Newark Valley suddenly appeared in Oswego several hours later and at the point of revolvers held up Deputy Sheriff Raftis, taking his revolver. Then they disapepared toward the Pennsylvania line.

The men blew open the Newark Valley postoffice but secured little loot. They exchanged shots with citizens, but succeeded in escaping in the darkness.

Casualties In Gotham Streets

New York, Dec. 4.—Fifty-six persons were killed and 167 injured on the streets of New York during November, thirty of the dead being children, according to statistics gathered by the National Highway Protective society.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

CANDIES FOR SANTA CLAUS.

NO doubt Santa Claus feels the high cost of living and will be glad if thoughful mothers lighten his expenses by acting as first aids to his department in preparing simple candies for the Christmas stocking.

These wholesome candies will please the little ones quite as well as those bought in the shops.

Nut Sweetmeats.

Cocoanut Balls.—Take a pound of loaf sugar and boil it in a gill of water until it hardens when tested in cold water, then flavor with rose or orange flower water and stir into it sufficient grated cocoanut to make it quite thick. Shape it into balls, place these on an oiled dish and leave them till hard, when they should be quite firm outside, but soft and semifluid inside.

Marzipan.—Take a pound of sweet almonds and blanch these, adding two or three bitter almonds if liked. Pound them in a mortar till smooth, adding drop by drop a little rose or orange flower water. Then stir this mixture over a slow fire with one pound of sugar till it forms a smooth paste which will not stick to the fingers when touched. Dust a board with powdered sugar, spread the paste thinly on this and cut into any shape or size desired.

Seasonable Sweets.

Christmas Kisses.—Beat the whites of six eggs until stiff. Stir in one-half pound of powdered or confectioner's sugar. Drop this in teaspoonfuls on oiled paper and dry in a slightly warm oven for about forty minutes. Lift from the paper and stick together in pairs with a bit of white of egg.

Some of the kisses may be made by adding a little melted chocolate to the beaten egg and others by using a little melted red jelly to give them a pretty rose tint.

Ice Cream Candy.—Take eight cupfuls of sugar, two cupfuls of hot water, one teaspoonful of cream of tartar, dissolved in cold water, a lump of butter the size of an egg and two teaspoonfuls of vanilla. Put the water and sugar on the fire in a saucepan. Stir until dissolved. When it begins to boil add the cream of tartar and let it boil twenty minutes without stirring. Add the butter at the last minute. When it hardens in cold water it is done. Pour on buttered platters, sprinkle with vanilla and let it cool. Pull, drawing it out into sticks and cut with sharp scissors the desired length.

FANCY GINGERBREAD.

GINGERBREAD horses, rabbits, chickens, figures of Santa Claus, etc., may be trimmed with colored icings put on in lines to represent the features. German bakers make the most fascinating Christmas cakes of this sort. Gingerbread cakes of any kind will be appreciated by the children and if a little fruit is used in baking them may make acceptable substitutes for the Christmas fruit cake served to their elders.

Wholesome For Children.

Gingerbread is doubly good if a few spoonfuls of grated chocolate are added before baking. This makes it richer and does not affect the flavor.

Plain Gingerbread.—Take half a cupful each of sugar, sour milk and molasses, a quarter of a cupful of butter, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in the sour milk, one and a half cupfuls of flour, a pinch of salt, a teaspoonful of cinnamon, a half teaspoonful each of ginger and cloves and one egg. Mix well and bake in a moderately hot oven.

A Fruit Cake Substitute.

Fruit Gingerbread.—Take a pound of molasses and heat it with one-quarter of a pound each of butter and brown sugar. Mix with one and one-half pounds of fine oatmeal, one-half pound of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, one tablespoonful of ground ginger, one-half teaspoonful of mixed spice, one ounce of candied orange peel, cut fine, and one pound of raisins, chopped small. Pour the molasses, etc., over the dry ingredients and mix well. Pour into a buttered tin and bake.

A portion of this mixture can be made into squares or nuts and baked in a slow oven.

Eggs may be worked in as for ordinary cake if preferred.

Spiced Gingerbread.

Soft Gingerbread.—Take half a cupful of butter, a pint of molasses, a quart of flour, one cupful of milk or cold coffee, two eggs, a teaspoonful of ginger, a teaspoonful of baking powder and half a teaspoonful of cloves. Cream the butter and sugar together; then stir in the milk and molasses mixed together. Add the baking powder and spices to the flour and beat in a little at a time, adding the eggs, well beaten, last of all. Pour into a shallow pan and bake in a moderate oven for an hour. You may bake in muffin tins, filling these only half full, and baking about twenty minutes in a slow oven.

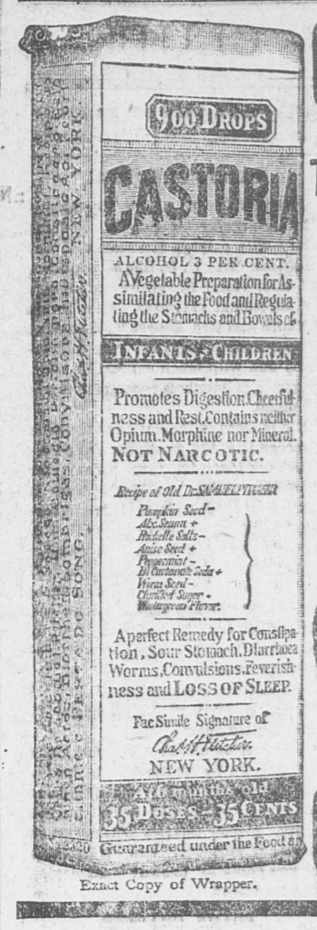
Anna Thompson.

Furness Estate of $5,000,000

London, Dec. 4.—The estate of the late Lord Furness, ship owner, was sworn to provisionally as amounting to $5,000,000 exclusive of landed properties.

Teacher Kills Self With Poison

Gray, Me., Dec. 4.—Miss Nellie Kemple, a school teacher, committed suicide by taking poison at her home here. She was 22 years old.



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TWO OFFICERS FOIL CHINESE GAMBLERS

Cut Their Way From Gas-Filled Death Traps to Safety

San Francisco, Dec. 4.—Chinese gamblers lured two police officers to imprisonment in gas-filled chambers, leaving them to be asphyxiated. Each of the men carried a small axe and chopped holes through the walls to obtain air and aid.

Corporal Goff, the first victim, was walking along when a Chinese brushed by him and whispered "fight in Siberia club."

Goff at once rushed to the club. He thrust aside the doorkeeper. As the door swung back he heard the bolt click, and simultaneously the gaslights went out. Trying the other door he found himself imprisoned in a narrow hallway seven feet long, and found that gas was rushing from jets which he could not reach.

After fifteen minutes' work with his axe he cut through the walls and was rescued. Officer Bailey was trapped similarly in another club at almost the same time.

THIRD RECEIVER NAMED

Court Acts Upon Complaints of Creditors of Butler Company

Boston, Dec. 4.—Edward B. Wilson of the dry goods house of Wilson, Larrabee & Co. was appointed a third receiver for Gilchrist's, Butler's and Everybody's department stores by Judge Colt in the United States district court.

The appointment was made in the interests of the Boston Credit Men's association and allied creditors, who complained that the original receivers, Charles F. Weed and Milroy H. Gibson, were too closely identified with the corporations involved adequately to represent the creditors. The interests behind Wilson are said to represent about $900,000 in claims.

ELECTIONS IN OREGON

Woman Candidate For Mayor of Oregon City Is Defeated

Portland, Ore., Dec. 4.—Women exercised their newly acquired right to vote in a half score Oregon cities and in all places played a conspicuous part in the result. Newport, through the women's vote, remained "dry," but at Tillamook the women lost, the "wet" ticket being successful.

Oregon City's woman candidate for mayor was overwhelmingly defeated. Three other cities held municipal elections and in every case from 30 to 40 percent of the voters were women.

Paralytic Starves to Death

Lynn, Mass., Dec. 4.—Stricken ten days ago with an affliction of the throat following a paralytic shock, J. Conway Lewis, 85 years old, died at his home in this city from starvation. He could not swallow any food.

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THE HARRIMAN MERGER CASE

Speculation as to Its Bearing on the Mellen Imbroglio

POINTS TO BE DETERMINED

Must Be Proved There Was Contract Between New Haven and Grand Trunk, Whose Object Was to Stifle Competition—Feeling That Wickersham Is Making Progress

Washington, Dec. 4.—That the decision of the supreme court in the Harriman merger case may have an important bearing upon the Grand Trunk-New Haven situation in New England is stated by Representative Murray of Massachusetts, who points out that the circuit court of Utah, which upheld the government in its brief against the railroad combine, said in effect:

"A contract to strangle a threatened competition by preventing the construction of an immediately projected line of railway, which, if constructed, would naturally and substantially compete with an existing line for interstate traffic, is one in restraint of interstate commerce and in violation of the anti-trust act of July 2, 1890."

Two facts Murray points out further are to be determined before it can be said the dictum of the supreme court in the Harriman case is applicable to the Mellen improglio. First, the entire decision must be searched in order to see if the principle above outlined is admitted. Second, it must be proved there was a written or oral contract between the New Haven and Grand Trunk, whose object was to strangle a threatened competition. Legal authority in Washington is of the opinion that the entire New Haven system may be affected by the decision, but no one cares to be quoted.

Mr. Murray has been conferring with the attorney general relative to the Grand Trunk situation. It is understood that Wickersham believes he has matters well in hand, and that at this stage of the game he does not welcome any legislative interference, friendly or otherwise. In this event it is improbable that the O'Shaughnessy resolution, introduced into the house Monday by the Rhode Island representative, will be passed.

The Democrats have their hands full with appropriation bills and party programs as it is, and are not disposed to interfere with the department of justice when they feel it is making progress in the right direction. Many of the leading members of the house have the utmost confidence in the earnestness and ability of the attorney general. Unless some shift in the situation requires it, it is not likely the present course of events will be disturbed.

Should the department of justice decide the Harriman decision will be a valuable precedent, it is likely that steps will be taken along the lines indicated.

GRAND JURY HAS MATTER

Will Seek to Determine If Railroad Pact Violates the Law

New York, Dec. 4.—The December federal grand jury, sworn in here yesterday, formally began an investigation into the traffic agreement between the New Haven and the Grand Trunk railroads with a view to determining whether it is a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. Assistant Attorney General Adkins is conducting the case for the government.

Soon after the grand jurors convened Adkins took before them a series of maps and other material bearing on the situation.

E. H. Fitzhugh, a vice president of the Grand Trunk railway, was the first witness to be called before the grand jury.

The New Haven-Grand Trunk problem is being laid before the grand jury here because the investigation by the special agents of the department of justice failed to develop the facts regarding the railroad situation in New England to the satisfaction of Attorney General Wickersham. The grand jury inquiry is expected to reveal the actual relation of the two roads.

Mrs. Bramber's Assorted Baggage

San Francisco, Dec. 4.—Included in the baggage of Mrs. N. Bramber, a widow who arrived from Atlantic City, were thirty-three dogs, one horse, sixteen trunks, five bundles of golf sticks, five boxes of canine food and photographic and tennis equipment.

Provisional Head For San Domingo

Washington, Dec. 4.—Archbishop Noel has been chosen by the Dominican congress provisional president of the republic for a term of two years and will immediately succeed President Victorio, resigned.

Dublin Babies Drink Porter

Dublin, Dec. 4.—A 2-year-old baby suffering from delirium tremens unearthed the amazing fact that many Dublin infants are given stout to drink.

WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from Page Three.)

NEW WORK FOR WOMEN.

Women have many responsibilities set before them through the agency of the General Federation of Women's clubs and the newest suggestion is that the club women of America work for the prevention of loss of property and life. It has been found out that over 50 percent of the enormous waste of property and destruction of life comes from carelessness.

Club women are asked to co-operate in seeing that fire prevention is taught in the schools and these rules originated by the Dallas Federation of Women's clubs are commended to every one. Pledges for the safety of the home:

"I will keep the supply of metal matches in metal boxes, and throughout the house they shall be confined in a proper receptacle and out of reach of children.

"I will use only safety matches as far as possible.

"I will not permit a child under 10 years of age to use matches.

"I will see that lamps are not filled by artificial light after dark. That coal oil is kept in metal cans in a safe place.

"That no oily rags are left around the premises over night outside of a good metal receptacle.

"That gas brackets have wire globes over them where there is danger of window curtains being blown into the flame.

"That the furnace or heating apparatus is seen to before retiring by a competent person.

"That all scraps or litter, excelsior and paper are removed or placed in metal receptacle before nightfall.

"That ashes are kept in metal receptacle.

"That gasolene will not be kept for use in the house, except in absolutely air-tight metal receptacles.

"That cotton batting or other flimsy decorations will not be used on Christmas trees or for other ornamentation."

A special letter to the club women of America reads as follows:

"One of the most vital subjects before the club women of the United States today is that of conservation of life and property.

"It is a fact that fire annually destroys $250,000,000 of our created resources, to which can be added millions of dollars in the burning of our forests; by the same element, also thousands of human lives are sacrificed.

"A large majority of our fires are dwelling-house or home fires, and the greater number of the maimed and killed in fires are women and children.

"These facts certainly make the correction of these conditions a woman's problem. Of dwelling-house fires throughout the United States, 50 percent are from preventable causes. In Texas the percentage is much larger; in fact, some insurance companies in this state refuse to write dwelling-house risks on that account.

"This being the case, there is something radically wrong in the home, and women being the home-maker and housekeeper, it is logical to suppose that she is the one to study the conditions and causes of fires, and do what she can to correct these conditions.

"The cost of fires each year is one-half the cost of all new buildings erected in a year. Fires in the United States cost over $500 a minute, $30,000 an hour, or $250,000,000 a year. This is an average.

"Every fire is paid by the people. Insurance to pay the losses is collected from all and paid to him who has a fire by the insurance companies; hence the man who has a fire intentionally or unintentionally takes money from the pocket of his neighbor.

"Fire insurance is added by the manufacturers and merchants to the cost of the goods and whoever buys bread, shoes, clothing, etc., pays it. The cost of the fire tax is concealed in the price of the goods.

"The annual per capita fire loss in the United States is nearly $3.00; in large European countries it is 33c. Cause; The latter have better construction, less carelessness and increased responsibility. In France, he who has a fire must pay any loss resulting from it to his neighbor.

"Let us do our part by educating the women and children of our state to the necessity of removing the causes of fire by carelessness in handling kerosene and gasolene, storing ashes, care of lamps, gas and oil stoves, proper care of and construction of chimneys and flues, burning of leaves and trash, etc.,—but above all other things let us work for the abolishment of the parlor match, and for the use of the safety match, which lights only on the box. The parlor match which lights if stepped upon, if chewed by mice, just lights anyway and anywhere, is one of the greatest fire-breeders we have.

"Let us teach fire prevention to children in the home and in the schools. Let us club women urge the celebration of a sane Fourth of July and a sane Christmas; also a celebration of fire prevention day each year in the public schools and women's clubs, and give space in our year-books for this all-important topic."

LICENSE VOTE UNCHANGED

Municipal Elections in Fourteen Cities of the Bay State

Boston, Dec. 4.—No upsets in the license vote occurred in the fourteen Massachusetts cities which held elections yesterday.

In all the cities, except Taunton, mayors were elected, one of the principal fights being in New Bedford, where Charles S. Ashley was re-elected for his sixteenth term.

The cities remaining in the no-license column were Quincy, Waltham and Brockton.

Fall River, Fitchburg, Gloucester, Haverhill, Holyoke, Marlboro, New Bedford, Northampton, Pittsfield, Springfield and Taunton went for license by practically the same majorities as last year.

Following are the mayors elected:

City	Mayor Elected.	Party.	City Govt.
Brockton,	C. M. Hockel..	D.	D.
Fall River,	J. H. Kay....	R.	R.
Fitchburg,	*F. C. Hardy..	C.	C.
Gloucester,	H. C. Foster	NP.	NP.
Haverhill,	*E. H. Moulton	NP.	NP.
Holyoke,	J. J. White.....	R.	D.
Marlboro,	*J. H. Gleason.	R.	D.
New Bedford,	*C.S.Ashley	NP.	NP.
Northampton,	W. H. Feiker	R.	R.
Pittsfield,	P. J. Moore....	D.	D.
Quincy,	*E. R. Stene....	R.	R.
Springfield,	J. A. Denison	R.	R.
Waltham,	*P. J. Duane...	D.	R.

R.—Republican. D.—Democrat. NP.—No party designation. C.—Citizens' party. *Re-elected.

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LAND COURT.

To Christie Brown of Townsend, in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth; Olin A. Holbrook, Emma C. Felt, Eric Oscar Felt, Minnie E. Lowe and Catharine Clifford, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; the International Trust Company, a duly existing corporation having its usual place of business in Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Dennis J. Bergin, Mary E. Bergin and Frank Wood, of said Boston; Martin W. Froland, of Youngstown, in the State of Ohio; John W. Matheys, of Chicago, in the State of Illinois; Paul Perley Baxter of Ansley, in the State of Nebraska; the trustees of the Bellevue Park Land Associates formerly doing business in said Quincy, or their successors or assigns, and any heirs, devisees or legal representatives of Carl C. Mortensen formerly of said Quincy, deceased; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by John M. Quale, of said Quincy, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded southerly by Broadway fifty (50) feet; easterly by Harvard Street eighty-one and 6-10 (81.6) feet; northerly by Lot No. 2 on Plan of Property belonging to the Bellevue Land Associates fifty (50) feet; and westerly by the remaining portion of Lot No. 1 on said plan by a line drawn parallel with Harvard Street and distant fifty (50) feet westerly from the westerly line thereof eighty-one and 6-10 (81.6) feet; containing 4080 square feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year nineteen hundred and twelve.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

(Seal.)

4-3t 4-11-18



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Sept. 20-6m

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Elizabeth Sanborn to the Boston Co-operative Bank dated May 1st, 1911, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Norfolk, Book 1176, Page 143, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same on Friday the 27th day of December 1912, at 3.15 o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows: a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Wollaston, being a part of Lot Thirteen in Block Five, Section Two of the Lands of the Wollaston Land Associates, as shown on a plan of said section drawn by D. Grainger and Son, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 402, and bounded: Southeasterly on Lot Twelve in said Block, forty-five feet; Southwesterly on Lot Two in said Block, one hundred fifty-one and 2-10 feet; Northwesterly on Warren Avenue, forty-five feet; and Northeasterly by the remaining portion of said Lot Thirteen, one hundred fifty-one and 2-10 feet. Containing about 6804 square feet of land.

Said premises will be sold subject to restrictions referred to in deed recorded with said Deeds, Book 857, page 509, and to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments.

For further particulars inquire of Frank M. Perry, 554 Old South Building, Boston. $200 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Balance in ten days from day of sale at 12 o'clock noon, at the said office of Frank M. Perry.

BOSTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
Present holder of said Mortgage.
GEO. T. BOSSON, Treas.
Boston, December 3d, 1912.
4-3t 4-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Frances A. McDonald late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Katharine E. Teasdale of Quincy or to some other suitable person. Your are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
3t Dec. 4-9-16

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JOHN L. MILLER, Progressive and Citizens'	182	142	28	68	193	210	58	117	276	117	110	104	1605
JAMES H. PENNIMAN, Democratic	122	156	130	138	182	90	286	172	121	89	94	72	1652
EUGENE R. STONE, Republican	146	288	113	257	129	106	79	105	82	217	130	90	1742
CALEB R. HOWARD, on Sticker,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
Blanks	6	4	8	3	2	7	4	8	4	4	6	4	60

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JOHN B. BASS, Republican	169	245	90	204	176	150	61	71	192	186	125	92	x1761
ARTHUR C. BEALE, Republican	148	168	76	109	128	100	46	64	184	192	151	141	1507
CHARLES M. BRYANT, Progressive, Republican, Ind.	199	259	64	172	204	162	109	118	231	264	123	114	x2019
CHARLES E. CHERRINGTON, Republican	133	205	77	107	145	102	45	63	190	186	205	124	1582
BENJAMIN F. EARL, Progressive	97	76	26	44	78	78	60	79	112	85	47	66	848
JAMES FORD, Democratic	82	84	92	115	145	68	237	151	41	43	78	53	1189
CHARLES L. GRISWOLD, Democratic, Progressive	182	153	67	147	100	73	110	110	49	80	42	55	1118
CHARLES W. GUY, Democratic	70	87	77	71	106	44	189	112	24	50	58	39	957
JOSEPH G. KENNEDY, Democratic	66	83	91	115	129	55	197	138	22	35	72	38	1041
ALBERT N. MURRAY, Independent	131	111	28	48	111	104	49	59	308	139	87	62	1237
JOHN R. RICHARDS, Republican	187	265	86	143	247	264	65	122	171	169	106	85	x1910
EDWARD J. SANDBERG, Republican	213	276	94	160	205	196	86	129	153	182	115	80	x1889
JAMES E. WALL, Democratic	68	111	80	89	120	42	210	134	28	37	67	50	1036
JOSEPH L. WHITON, Progressive	212	288	88	200	200	128	104	113	148	143	72	81	x1777
Blanks	373	539	365	606	447	509	567	547	557	354	352	210	5426

x—Elected.

VOTE FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE-AT-LARGE

EDWARD H. BUSHNELL, Republican	282	348	128	218	239	227	68	117	384	298	186	170	2665
M. J. L. KENNEDY, Democratic	101	144	116	163	162	76	264	184	34	56	95	61	1456
Blanks	73	100	35	85	99	110	105	101	69	75	59	54	965

VOTE ON LICENSE QUESTION

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City?"													
YES	130	228	154	169	113	144	189	184	43	86	114	87	1641
NO	304	335	104	259	320	229	203	181	431	330	208	182	3086
Blanks	22	27	21	38	73	40	35	37	9	13	18	11	344

VOTE FOR CIVIL SERVICE FOR CHIEF ENGINEER

"Shall Chapter 579, Acts of 1912, 'An Act to extend the provisions of the Civil Service Act to the Chief of the Fire Department of the City of Quincy' be accepted by this city?"													
YES	154	240	88	148	192	106	98	101	262	229	175	143	1936
NO	214	238	121	201	269	207	249	212	107	109	87	68	2082
Blanks	88	112	70	119	45	100	80	87	114	91	78	56	1038

VOTE FOR BUILDING INSPECTION

"Shall Section One, Chapter 104, Revised Laws, being 'An Act to regulate the inspection, materials, construction, alterations and use of buildings and other structures within its limits,' be accepted by this city?"													
YES	224	340	118	220	209	154	170	148	320	277	204	159	2543
NO	70	66	59	60	125	81	88	98	43	39	37	27	793
Blanks	162	184	102	186	172	178	169	156	120	113	99	74	1715

VOTE FOR FIREMEN'S VACATIONS

"Shall Chapter 546, Acts of 1912 'An Act relative to Vacations of Members of Fire Departments,' be accepted by this City?"													
YES	177	267	118	204	176	130	174	167	215	214	183	138	2163
NO	154	188	71	134	199	154	142	147	121	83	72	64	1529
Blanks	125	135	90	128	131	129	111	88	147	132	85	68	1369

YOUNGER THAN HIS STEPSON

Irving C. Chrestenson Married a Woman Twice His Age

Mrs. Minnie Florence Wright, 46 years of age and a widow for about nine years married Irving Christian Chrestenson at Weymouth, on November 27 according to a return filed with City Clerk Crane this morning by Rev. Henry C. Alvord of the Old South Congregational Church of that town, who performed the ceremony. The groom is 21 years of age, is a painter by trade and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Peterson. Mrs. Wright has one child, Warren Wright, who is married and lives in Dorchester. He is older than her second husband. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Chrestenson will be at 20 Glover place, Atlantic.

Willing to Help Him.

"Why don't you want to let me hold your hand?"

"What good would it do you to hold my hand?"

"It would make me glad and give me courage perhaps to—to say something that I—I—er" —

"There! Please hold both of my hands."—Chicago Record-Herald.

MARRIAGES

HALL—THOMPSON—In Quincy, Dec. 3, by Rev. Carl G. Horst, Mr. Edward Russell Hall to Miss Persis Anna Thompson, both of Wollaston.

CHRESTENSON—WRIGHT—In Weymouth, November 27, by Rev. Henry C. Alvord, Mr. Irving Christian Chrestenson to Mrs. Minnie Florence (Belcher) Wright, both of Quincy.

DEATHS

SLAUGHER—In North Attleboro, Dec. 3, Mrs. Mila (Martell,) wife of Mr. Frank Slaugher, formerly of West Quincy, aged 20 years.

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BRIEFS

The Norfolk county Association of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be held in Weymouth, Thursday, Dec. 5, at 10 A. M. Cars leave Quincy Square at 9.05.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Dasha, have returned from a visit to their daughter Miss Esther Dasha who is at the Baldwin School Bryn Mawr Pennsylvania. They were accompanied by their daughter Miss Irene Dasha and son Joseph Dasha.

Owing to the demand for the Ledger by Montclair residents a route has been started in that section by Charles E. Stuart of 63 Farington street, Wollaston. He is a student at the new Montclair school and a popular boy. He will be glad to leave you a Ledger every day.

The regular meeting of the Parents' and Teachers' association of Massachusetts Field school will be held Thursday evening at the school at 7.45; address by Hon. Eugene R. Stone; soloists Mrs. Samuel Joseph Ripley and Miss Gertrude Allen with Mrs. A. H. Rogers as accompanist.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Perry of Grand View avenue quietly celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Thanksgiving day. Their guests at dinner were immediate relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Perry were married in Rhode Island, but for over forty years of their married life have lived in Wollaston.

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TACK HARDWICK SUPPLANTED

His Place as College Strong Man Goes to Davis

George Allen Davis, 1913, of Lancaster, N. Y., known on the Williams college campus as the "iron man" and "champ," established a new record in a strength test taken by director Seely by totaling 1659.5, which exceeds the record of H. R. Hardwick of Quincy, Harvard's strong man, by 388.5 points. The total is also considerably higher than that of Huntington, Harvard's strong man last year, who totalled 1303.2. Davis has pitched on the Williams 'varsity for the last three years. Last season he pitched for the New York Americans.

WATER MONEY POURING IN

Comparison of the Amounts Received Past Three Years

The City Auditor in his monthly statement reports the receipts for the year to eDc. 1, to have been as follows the figures being given in comparison with the years 1910 and 1911.

WATER.	
1910	112,189.76
1911	126,546.48
1912	122,796.64
SEWER ASSESSMENTS.	
1900	14,360.43
1911	14,719.65
1912	16,506.73
TAXES	
1910	627,670.39
1911	676,989.72
1912	652,914.85
SEWER HOUSE CONNECTIONS.	
1910	6,310.61
1911	6,884.09
1912	7,479.73

BRIDE OF FEW MONTHS DEAD

Former Quincy Girl Passed Away at North Attleboro

News comes from North Attleboro of the death on Tuesday of Mrs. Mila Slaugher, aged 20 years, formerly of West Quincy. She was born in this city, her maiden name being Mila Martell, and lived here until her marriage last January. For several years she was employed at the Tubular Rivet Works. The body will be brought to Quincy for burial, services to be held Thursday afternoon.

NO $1000 BOMB FUND

Ryan Denies the Giving of Any Stipulated Amount to McNamara

Indianapolis, Dec. 4.—President Ryan of the Ironworkers union, resuming his own defense in the "dynamite conspiracy" case, said the executive board did not set aside $1000 a month for J. J. McNamara to use, with no accounting therefor.

"The giving of any stipulated amount to McNamara under such circumstances never was so much as discussed by the executive board," said Ryan.

Four Held In Murder Case

Waltham, Mass., Dec. 4.—Vincenzo Restaglio, Tomasso Tittante, Luigi Ligato and Gabriel Laporte were held for the grand jury without bail on a charge of the murder of Frank Cirillo at Watertown following a hearing before Judge Luce.

Court Denies Camorrist Appeal

Rome, Dec. 4.—The court of cassation has denied the appeal of the Camorrists, convicted of murder at Viterbo. The decision has been placed on file here. The sentences are upheld.

—Spokane dogs that are down on their luck will be tenderly nursed back to health instead of being chloroformed, directors of the Spokane Humane Society having established an emergency hospital for the care of injured canines. The first "patient" was a pointer that had been shot in the head. Dr. Frank H. Mason, manager of the society, removed the bullet and the dog was able to leave the hospital in six hours.

BIRTH OF COLONEL BOGY.

Origin of the Term That Has Become a Part of Golf.

"Who is Colonel Bogy?" That is the first question usually asked by the recruit when he steps on the golf links. Professionals and veterans never tire of explaining that he is the imaginary opponent, with the fixed score for each hole, but few can tell how the name originated.

It generally is accepted that an Englishman was first to set forth the idea. In December, 1890, the scratch score of the Coventry course was taken, being the score that a good scratch player would take to each hole of the grounds, making no mistakes, but also fluking nothing nor being fortunate with any special flashes of brilliant play.

At the time they called this "the ground score," and later several tournaments were given under the system. The name, however, followed soon, and its origin was a curious one. Dr. Thomas Browne, R. N., went out to play against a friend, Major Charles A. Wellman, and they agreed instead of playing directly against each other to play against the ground score and decide their match accordingly as each fared in this way. It so happened that about the same time the bogy song was being sung by the late E. J. Lonnen at the London Gaiety theater, and everybody else was singing it. The words of the refrain were:

Hush! Hush! Hush!
Here comes the bogy man!
So hide your head beneath the clothes.
He'll catch you if he can.

There was the idea in golf. "He'll catch you if he can!" And it flashed across the mind of Major Wellman when he was playing this game and was getting "caught" by the ground score. "Why," said he to his friend Browne, "this player of yours is a regular 'bogy' man." A considerable piece of golf history was made in that chance remark, for "bogy" was from that moment established in golf. Some time later "colonel" was added.—Exchange.

What It Cost.

In a little town in England not long ago the entire family had been at church and the young minister was coming home to dine with them. While at dinner they were discussing the new stained glass window a member had given. "It is a most beautiful piece of workmanship," said one, "and must have cost a great deal of money." "Do you have any idea how much?" "I really do not," replied the minister, "but far into the huudreds, I should imagine." "No, it didn't," said little Harold. "I know how much it was. It cost 14s. 10d." "Why, Harold, how do you know anything about it?" "Because, mamma, it says at the bottom of the window, 'Job 14, 10.'"—London Globe.

BOWLING

In the Heptasophs league match at the Coliseum alleys electric night Capt. Mullen's team won from Capt. Gibney's boys 3 to 1; Capt Dacker's boys left a goose egg for Capt. Mackays rollers and the Brownies beat the Irvings, 3 to 1.

Canty of the A team was high man with a single of 122 and a total of 295. The summary:

A.—MULLEN, CAPT.

	1	2	3	Totals
Canty	82	122	94	295
Haynes	67	82	85	234
Dinneen	73	62	95	230
Lecco	55	73	81	209
Mullen	74	90	75	249
	351	429	427	1207

D.—GIBNEY, CAPT.

Pitts	83	75	74	232
Emslie	65	71	69	205
Cunniff	85	91	76	252
Gibney	80	71	87	238
Dunn	89	95	83	267
	402	403	389	1194

C.—DACKERS, CAPT.

Austin	77	80	100	257
Conroy	72	72	86	230
*Williams	87	92	101	280
Kelley	99	104	84	287
Dackers	83	104	95	282
	418	452	466	1336

* 1 string for De Coste

F.—MacKAY. CAPT.

S. York	90	90	91	271
Barnes	53	66	61	180
Hinckley	69	74	69	212
MacKay	83	82	78	243
Kalson	82	95	87	264
	377	407	386	1170

B.—BROWN, CAPT.

S. Mac Kay	79	84	76	239
Byron	84	63	84	231
Longman	59	68	53	180
Brown	78	82	73	233
Healey	91	89	78	258
	391	386	364	1141

E.—IRVING. CAPT.

Heald	71	70	71	212
H. York	70	74	74	218
Clifford	66	85	91	242
Irving	85	69	68	222
Wilson	59	63	74	196
	351	361	378	1090

FORE RIVER LEAGUE.

With a high string of 103, Lewis topped the Fore River League bowlers and Hansen with 288 secured the high three string total.

The Shipfitters made 1258 against 1237 for the Machinist's Floor and the Hull Draftsmen rolled 1261 against 1213 for the Foundry team. The match was quiet and the scores were not enormous:

SHIPFITTERS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Hynes	80	75	93	248
Fargan	86	74	75	235
Fields	75	78	82	235
Hansen	94	97	97	288
Cob	77	85	90	252
	412	409	437	1258

MACH. FLOOR.

Akroid	84	82	96	262
William	77	81	69	227
Casey	79	90	74	243
Bergfors	81	74	95	250
McKenzie	79	84	92	255
	400	411	426	1237

HULL DRAFTSMAN.

Bolfraun	87	76	100	263
Butler	76	81	77	234
Ryan	77	105	94	276
Fromm	72	83	81	236
Olson	83	82	87	252
	395	427	439	1261

FOUNDRY.

Simmons	98	72	79	249
Baro	64	66	67	197
Johny	80	88	80	257
Lewis	83	103	82	268
Charnock	79	74	89	242
	403	404	406	1213

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Too Late For Classification.

FOR SALE— Good second-hand Democrat Wagon, 2 seated. Also light road speed wagon. Bargain for cash. Apply 40 Dewey road, East Braintree. Dec. 4-3t

CITY OF QUINCY

IN COUNCIL.

Dec. 2, 1912

ORDERED:

That a public hearing be given by the City Council to all parties interested in the matter of petitioning the Legislature of 1913 to make an appropriation for the construction of a public bath house on some portion of the Quincy Shore Reservation, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday evening Dec. 9, 1913 at 8 o'clock, P. M. and the Clerk of the Council is hereby directed to give notice of this hearing by publishing a copy of this order in the Quincy Daily Ledger.

Attest: GEORGE T. MAGEE.
Clerk of Council.
4-1t

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER

LARGEST **GUARANTEED** CIRCULATION IN THE CITY

Vol. 27 No. 284 QUINCY, MASS., THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 5, 1912 PRICE TWO CENTS

NO ONE OFFICIALLY APPEARED AT THE LATE TRAIN HEARING

William R. Thomas and Councilman Studley Presented Views Generally Endorsed

Commissioners Took Matter Under Advisement

(Special to the Ledger)

State House, December 4, 1912. Ex-Rep. William R. Thomas, and Councilman Studley representing Quincy were at the hearing for late train service before the Railroad Commissioners this afternoon, almost every suburban city for a radious of fifteen miles was represented. Mr. Thomas took occasion to tell the commissioners that Quincy was very poorly served in the matter of train service, and that a later train than 11.26 should be run for the benefit of those who wish to attend the theatre or Opera in Boston and do not wish to run for the last trains. He said it was a common matter for some Quincy patrons of the New Haven to just miss the last train, then be obliged to hurry for the Dudley Street Elevated Station in order to catch the last car. If they miss that, too, it is a case of walk from Neponset Bridge, or stay in town all night. Mr. Thomas attempted to show that New Bedford had a late train, leaving after midnight, but this was denied by A. B. Smith the counsel for the New Haven.

Councilman Studley said that he supposed that some member of the railroad commitee of the Quincy City Council would be present and represent the city officially but not seeing such members, he said that he wanted to go on record as favoring later train service to Quincy.

The railroad counsel were ready to do what was within reason to co-operate with the petitioners for later service.

The board took the matter under advisement.

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Mar. 10—Parker's Imperials

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Dec. 5 4t

CONCERT AT BRAINTREE.

The Harvard Glee, Mandolin and Banjo Clubs will give a concert at the Cochato Club, Braintree, on Monday evening, Dec. 9. A program has been arranged that will take in a variety of numbers, consisting of Hunting, Football, Ragtime selections, the final number being Fair Harvard.

☞Bertha Cushing Child, Boston's famous Contralto appears with the Temple Singers, December 9, at Music hall.

☞PRATT'S BREAD is liked by the most discriminating people. Grocers sell it.

☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

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Dec. 2-3-4-5

FINN CHURCH OUT OF DEBT

Good Work of Pastor Lillback Demonstrated

PROPERTY VALUE $28,000

The mortgage on the Finnish Congregational church was cleared last week and on Thanksgiving evening the congregation gathered at a celebration service and the mortgage was cremated. With only one bill of $150 unpaid after 2 years, the church and furnishings, valued at $28,000 are free and clear from debt.

Mayor Eugene R. Stone, in an able manner delivered an address relative to the increase in church membership, the good the congregation is doing in the vicinity under the direction of their pastor, Rev. John E. Lillback, and said that its presence was an asset to the community. His words were translated into Finnish and were well received.



REV. JOHN E. LILLBACK.
Pastor of the Finnish Cong. Church.

Rev. K. F. Henrikson a former pastor and now at Lanesville, Mass., was the principle speaker. He reviewed the history of the parish, recalling many incidents that had become but a hazy remembrance to many members.

When Rev. Mr. Lillback called for the original members only 10 stood up. At the present time there is a congregation of nearly 400.

The program for the evening was opened by congregational singing and selections by the choir, directed by M. Leppanen. A series of announcements were made by Rev. Mr. Lillback and a chorus of young ladies rendered the Sparrow Song, conducted by Miss Esther Kokkinen.

The Thanksgiving greeting, reading of the Proclamation, and prayer was by Rev. Mr. Lillback. Scriptural reading by L. Ovaska, treasurer of the church, and guitar selections by P. Talikka, a young missionary, followed.

M. Riikiniaki, chairman of the church, read from the first record book and gave an account of parish.

The Finnish Congregational church was organized Sept. 8, 1895 with 10 members by Rev. A. Groop of Fitchburg. Rev. J. K. Lindroos, shortly after his arrival from Finland, became their leader and in 1896 Karl F. Henrikson was called to Quincy after he graduated from the Theological Seminary at Chicago.

The church was commenced Feb. 1, 1898 and dedicated Jan. 25, 1899. Rev. J. E. Lillback was called from Maynard to serve as pastor to take the place of Rev. Mr. Henrikson who resigned. Rev. Mr. Lillback accepted the call and during the past five years there has been a most marvelous growth in membership, and prosperous development.

Charity, temperance and all the social questions are discussed by the members, and political matters receive their share of attention. A fertile field for naturalization has been opened up and is being rapidly cultivated by Rev. Mr. Lillback who is today assisting five countrymen to secure their certificates of citizenship.

The church is now too small for the congregation and steps will be taken in the near future to make the necessary enlargements.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

PENNIMAN TO ASK RECOUNT

To Straighten Out Mix-Up in Precinct 1, Ward 5

CRAIG ALSO IN LINE

James H. Penniman, Democratic candidate for Mayor at the recent Municipal election, stated Wednesday evening that he should ask for a recount of the votes cast for Mayor in Ward Five. Speaking of the vote in precinct one of this ward he said that most everybody understands that there was a mixup of some kind in the returns and even now the election officers can not seem to explain it. According to some of the election officers 50 votes have gone astray. Continuing Mr. Penniman said that in the interest of all persons, it should be definitely settled what the vote of this precinct really was and that the man entitled to the votes should have them placed to his credit.

As stated in Wednesdays Ledger the unofficial returns gave Mayor Stone 51 votes more than the official returns credited him with. The election officers themselves believed that some mistake had been made for the warden immediately followed the official ballot to City Hall. The error, if any however could not be found at that time.

Mr. Penniman does not intend to ask for a recount all over the city. All he desires is to clear up the question concerning Ward Five. He further said that there was no question in his own mind that he was entitled to all the votes which he had been credited with as he could personally count for the most of them outside of the regular Democratic vote.

A glance at the returns from this precinct in Ward Five will show that in only two instances do the returns prove up. There were 487 votes cast in the precinct but the totals for every office with the exception of school committee at large and school committee from the ward total 483 votes showing that there were four votes missing somewhere.

Just what is being done relative to other recounts is not known although it is understood that Councilman Craig of Ward Three who was defeated by nine votes will ask for a recount of the votes for councilmen in that ward. This is probable all the recounts that will be asked for as the vote was not close enough on any of the other candidates to warrant such a movement.

FATHER AND SON AT THE BANQUET

Mr. Gibson Will Speak On Subject Closely Allied

Plans for the Father, and Son banquet at the Y. M. C. A. are nearing completion and the expectations are that it will be a very enjoyable affair. One of the features of the evening will be bowling matches between the fathers and sons after the banquet. The speaker of the evening will be H. W. Gibson, State secretary for Boys in Massachusetts and Rhode Island. His subject will be "A Father and His Boy." The toastmaster is to be Sturgis Hunt. A committee of ladies from the Auxiliary is arranging a splendid banquet. The affair is to take place on Friday, the thirteenth which is supposed to be an unfortunate day by many, but it is the intention of the Y. M. C. A. boys to break the hoodo on this occasion.

THE RICHMONDS' BOILERS.

The steamer Laura V. Stoddard which arrived at the port of Boston this week fresh from the builder's yard at Toledo, O., brought lashed to her deck three big boilers for the Fore River Shipbuilding Co., for the tank steamer Richmond now being built by the Fore River Co.

ANNUAL SALE AND SUPPER

Of Fragment Society, Not a Fragmentary Affair

AT THE FIRST CHURCH

The annual sale and supper under the auspices of the Fragment society of the First church was held Wednesday afternoon and evening in the chapel. There was a good attendance of ladies during the late afternoon and many sales were made from the various booths where articles, suitable for Christmas gifts and other purposes were on sale.

The several booths were very attractively decorated with green crepe paper and crepe paper poinsettias, and they were presided over by members of the society. Mrs. Edward B. Marsh was in general charge and the booths were presided over and attended by the following ladies.

Mystery booth—Miss Mary Nightingale, Mrs. Ralph L. Lovell, Mrs. Alfred H. Remick, Miss Ada M. Nightingale, Miss Maria Whitney.

Grab bag—Mrs. A. Isabel Davis.

Household booth—Miss Mary Holden, Mrs. Warren Anderson Miss Belle Nightingale.

Fancy and remembrance booth—Mrs. William B. Nichols, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mrs. Frederick H. Smith, Mrs. George W. Abele, Mrs. Samuel T. MacQuarrie, Mrs. Albert H. Wright, Mrs. Brooks Keyes, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. Archer Nickerson, Miss Harriet Pierce Mrs. Harry L. Rice, Mrs. Eugene Atwood, Mrs. James H. Stetson, Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. Charles A. Price.

In the centre of the chapel was the confectionery booth where toothsome confections met with a ready sale. Mrs. Joseph C. Morse was in charge of this booth and assisting here were Mrs. Mark L. Read, Jr., Mrs. James H. Slade, Mrs. Arthur Hall, Miss Carrie Crane, Mrs. Henry W. Porter, Mrs. Helen Bass.

The ladies of the Alliance headed by the president Mrs. George G. Saville had charge of the tea room which was located on the platform, Mrs. Saville being assisted by Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Mrs. John Christensen, and Mrs. Minnie Manchester. The young lady servers were Miss Priscilla Ring, Miss Margaret Magee, Miss Dorothy Kitson, Miss Margaret Atwood and Miss Alice Parmenter.

During the afternoon the ladies in charge of the supper were busy in the kitchen and dining room below, planning to provide supper for the hungry ones that were sure to appear on the scene at 6.30. Mrs. E. Granville Pratt had charge of this part of the affair and she was assisted by the following ladies:

Mrs. Nathaniel S. Hunting, Mrs. Osborne Rogers, Mrs. George T. Magee, Mrs. Frank S. Patch Mrs. Joseph

(Continued on Page Two.)

MISS SULLIVAN WANTS $10,000 IN SUIT ACAINST McDONALD

Claims She Was Assaulted and Imprisoned By the Defendant One Day

Trouble Grew Out of Dispute Over Location of Wire Fence

Residents of the Brewer's Corner section of the city are very much interested in the suit for $10,000 brought against Michael McDonald by Ellen T. Sullivan. Dispatches from Dedham where the case is to be tried, state that the suit is brought because of an alleged assault and imprisonment of a day.

This latter part of the suit is not understood here by Mr. McDonald's lawyer, John D. Mackay, who said Wednesday night that he had not yet read the bill of particulars. The suit was filed Wednesday.

The case grows out of an alleged assault for which Miss Sullivan had Mr. McDonald arraigned in the District Court here last September. Mr. McDonald is 60 years old and lives at 320 Granite street, adjoining the premises of Miss Sullivan.

When the case was tried here it brought out the fact that there was some dispute between the two parties relative to the location of a wire fence which separated the two properties. In consequence of a dispute Miss Sullivan, it was claimed, started to chop down the wire fence and was restrained from doing so by Mr. McDonald. Miss Sullivan testified that Mr. McDonald knocked her down with such force that the ligaments of one of her knees snapped, causing her to become lame. She appeared in court with a cane and produced medical testimony.

Mr. McDonald testified that Miss Sullivan in trying to cut down the fence, trespassed on his property and that he simply took her gently by the shoulder and put her back on what he claimed was her part of the land. Mr. McDonald was fined $5 on the assault charge in the District Court and took an appeal. The case is yet to be tried in the Superior Court at Dedham.

THE COMMITTEE OFFERS REMEDY

For Relief From Present Financial Condition

TAX LIMIT RAISE TO $14

One of the matters that came up at Monday night's meeting of the City Council and which was laid on the table was the report of the Special Financial committee on the matter of petitioning the Legislature to exempt Quincy from the $12 per $1,000 valuation tax limit for a period of three years and allow the city to raise $14 per $1,000 valuation for current expenses. When the report was read Councilman Richards in his argument said that the question was an important one and that the members should have more time in which to consider it. In its report the Special Committee gave in detail its reasons for its report and as this report perhaps throws some enlightenment on the question of city finances it will be read with interest. It was as follows:

"The special committee for financial investigation to which was referred the resolution authorizing the Mayor to petition the Legislature of 1913 for the removal of the $12 limitation upon the amount that can be raised by taxation for current expenses, begs leave to make the following partial report:—

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BIG TIME FOR ODD FELLOWS

Grand Lodge Officers to Witness Rebekah Degree Work

The Grand Officers of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. and the Rebekah Assembly Officers will visit George L. Gill Rebekah lodge this evening to witness the exemplification of the Rebekah degree on several candidates. A reception and banquet will be held in Union hall at 6.30.

Sound "Him" and Find Out

How best to gratify
His masculine taste

In the gift you
intend to give to a

Man on Christmas
morning.

Practical gifts are the fashion of the day. One feminine Santa Claus has bought "him" some E. & W. Shirts at $1.50 each; a pair of Fowne's Gloves, $2; an American Knitting Co.'s Sweater at $5 (sold in Boston for $7); 3 sets of Cooper Knit Union Suits at $2; a Cheney Tie at 50c; an Umbrella at $1—And Slippers—it would hardly be Christmas unless he received a pair.

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Politics having been the head and front of everything for the past nine months it is about time to take a brief breathing spell for something else.

The Florentine who so eloquently depicts Boston as a city of flowers, as he says they were everywhere must have travelled on the subway or elevated when passing the lunch rooms and bootblacking parlors.

The Boston Budget says some day the port of Boston will rise up and bless Mr. Mellen. A good many people are doing that same now.

The critic whose first play was characterized as adequate must feel some gratification from the fact that he was in the hands of friends.

More talk of sending money into Wall street to avert a panic. Who is after interest on "easy money" now?

When the experts finish picking those "All America," and "All other" elevens, maybe there will be a few columns left for "human interest" stories in the daily papers

Educators right and left are slapping their co-workers in this great field. All of which tends to the belief that the person with a grouch or seeking notoriety are still working overtime.

And strange to say not a single one of the football stars was presented with an automobile. How very unappreciative on the part of the fans.

And next the inauguration.

And by the way there is the usual clamor for a change of the date of the presidential inauguration exercises.

What is Harvard to do with Yale now that President Eliot declares there is no such place as John has been consigning Eli to for some years past?

"Roosevelt Angry," was the headline in a paper the other day. Neither new or startling. The gentleman has demonstrated that anger is a cloak to save answering embarressing questions of former deeds.

The victims of the DeLuxe edition swindles would have found it more profitable to confine their literary pursuits to the "Six Best Sellers."

The Carnegie steel employees are on strike presumably for higher wages. Here is a chance for the Land of Skibo to dispose of some of that presidential pension fund.

Poor Columbus after discovering a new world and later suffering imprisonment must turn in his grave at the effort of a present day discoverer to rob him of the honor of his discovery.

Maybe Gov. Baldwin of Virginia advocating the return of the whipping post as punishment for some crimes, is not far out of the way in suggesting a preventative of crime.

Greece slipped out of that temporary peace pact.

Will Clark street Chicago, with the removal of overhead signs and installation brilliancy simply change its name from a dark and dervious way to a second great white way.

TACT WITH A BIG T.

There are various degrees of tact. A tactful person is the saving of many a threatened situation or bad break. He or she may fill in a gap which is becoming wider as the events progress and bring order out of chaos, good feeling out of anger and a general air of joyousness and change the entire aspect of a position from serious wreckage to the safe anchorage of harmony and good feeling. On the other hand there are others who would break up the most solemn or pleasant occasion, which ever it might happen to be and bring a general trail of disorder and bad feeling in their wake. Those people are not undesirable citizens. They really do not mean to do any real harm, but they go at things like a hungry bull at a hay stack or a red umbrella in a heedless sort of way and do not wake up to a realization of their errors, until it is too bad to remedy them and things have to work out as best they can under the circumstances. Such people are unfortunate in their inability to seize upon what is right and proper at certain times and certain occasions. There is only one thing to do in such cases and that is as far as possible forget the drawbacks and try to make them less glaring and less unpleasant for those who may not know the exact state of affairs or the frame of mind of the blunderer.

GETTING FAT.

Various systems have been tried by men and women, to reduce the high cost of living. Some people, practical people, not dreamers have entered into serious consideration of the subjects which are so momentous all bearing upon this one great problem. Freak experiments have also been made. One young man at Cornell University announces tha the has lived on 85 cents a week sinee entering college and his daily menu has been made up of skimmed milk, butter milk, stale bread, peanut butter, raisins, lentils, oatmeal and apples. Even upon those supposed modest foods, he could not have made much of a showing at each meal, and yet he says he has grown fat. He must, to use a slang phrase have "got fat" on that diet. How could he help it, but did he have strength. Another couple go out marketing for their Thanksgiving dinner and they economize, They are real saving. They secure a good dinner for five people, which when figured out would hardly make a luncheon for an averaged appetited man, and this can readily be imagined when the string bean supply is one quart and the other commodities frame up at about the same average. Yet it is this trash that is handed out each day to people as examples of saving in the cost of food stuffs.

Such trash is neither practical, beneficial or worth the time it takes to peruse it. It tells nothing. It says nothing. It is in the main a merry jingle of words by some one who has an idea they are witty and writing very clever stuff. The poor average reader is man handled into reading it by the headlines, thinking that some solution of the problem is offered and then at the close wonders which is the fitter subject for the green car, the writer or the reader. Of course the former should have the preference as being the first to manifest the systems.

Now if a few able women who have done their own marketing and cooking, supervised their homes, kept a strict accounting for several years past in fact were practical housekeepers who understood that business were to give their views the public would reap some benefit. But as for the experiences of those others, who know so little it is somewhat like the old maid, who is forever coming forward with correct methods of bringing up children.

SALE AND SUPPER

(Continued from Page One.)

Walker, Mrs. Robert R. Smith, Mrs. Horace G. Crooker, Mrs. Walter E. Piper, Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Mrs. William F. Hodgkinson and Mrs. John Christensen.

The menu for the supper included cold ham, tongue and lamb, potatoes in various styles, macaroni, several kinds of salads, rolls coffee and pies of several varieties.

The seating capacity of the dining room is about 120 and so many were present to partake of the good things that a second table was necessary, something like 200 in all participating in the supper.

The tables looked particularly attractive with numerous potted plants, which were sold later in the evening. The sale was a great success and a large sum was netted.

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WILL BE HELD UP IN SENATE

No Confirmation of Political Appointments by Taft

DEMOCRATS HAVE PRECEDENT

Cleveland's Appointments, Following Elections of Harrison and McKinley, Refused Confirmation—Selections For Life or Long Terms Also to Be Opposed—Will Act on Urgent Cases

Washington, Dec. 5.—All nominations of a political character made by President Taft during the present session of congress will be held up in the senate, as well as many nominations which may not happen to be of a political character.

The Democrats of the senate have decided upon this course, and they point as a precedent to the two Cleveland administrations, when Cleveland's appointments, following the elections of Harrison and McKinley, were practically all refused confirmation.

Nominations for United States district judgeships, collectorships, attorneyships, marshalships and postmasterships, except in a few rare cases, will be held up by the senate. Certain appointments in the diplomatic service of an urgent character may be allowed to go through.

There is no intention to block army promotions or appointments, as these are out of the political class and are almost invariably based upon seniority in the service and merit, following examinations required by law.

On the other hand, it is understood President Taft will continue to send to the senate large batches of appointments, many of them of a frankly political character, as he did Tuesday. Men who supported him during the preconvention fight and during the campaign will have their names sent in for various classes of offices. They will not be confirmed.

The Democrats have decided not to permit the filling by President Taft of federal judgeships, which are life positions, or other places where the incumbents may begin four-year terms. They feel that these places rightfully belong to the next administration.

The insurgent Republicans and Progressives are unlikely to take any hand in the matter whatever, but will stand aside and permit the Democrats to slaughter the nominations as they see fit.

BROKEN BAR TO BLAME

Chief Elwell Makes Report on Disaster on New Haven Road

Hartford, Dec. 5.—Chief Engineer Elwell of the public utilities commission, in his report of an inquiry into the wreck of the Merchants' limited express over the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad at Greens Farms on Nov. 16, attributes the cause to a broken equalizer bar on a diner, which, dragging through a switch, disarranged the points and derailed the cars following.

He finds that the rails, ties and switch fastenings at the point of wreck were in good condition.

His recommendation is that railroad companies frequently make special examination of equipment with a view of locating defects in metal parts.

HAS ADENOIDS REMOVED

Prince of Wales Shows Noticeable Improvement In Studies

London, Dec. 5.—It is learned authentically that the prince of Wales underwent a successful operation for the removal of adenoids before his recent visit to Paris, news of which hitherto was rigidly suppressed.

The unexpected and gratifying progress made by the prince both in studies and athletics at Oxford is attributed directly to the operation. Formerly there were fears that he would grow up dull in mind.

WAS NOT AN INVALID

Woman Who Had Husband Kill Her Was Only a Hypochondriac

Paris, Dec. 5.—That Mme. Beguery, whose husband shot her at her own request, was only a pronounced hypochondriac, and was not suffering from an incurable disease, was the opinion made public by medical experts appointed to examine the woman's body.

Mme. Beguery thought she had an incurable disease, and her husband killed her because she asked it. He is held for murder.

MUCH INTEREST IN THE MISSION

Now In Its Closing Session at St. John's Church

Another large congregation of men attended the men's mission at St. John's church, Wednesday evening. Rev. Fr. Condon, S. J., talked on the disadvantages accruing from drink, the difficulty of controlling the habit, and the avoidance of the environment which it created. He heartily recommended a more extensive reading of Catholic publications. Instruction on confession was given in a most complete manner by Father Condon.

Rev. Fr. Coyle, S. J., delivered a sermon on "Death." He spoke of its coming unexpectedly, of always being in the state of grace when God calls the soul before the judgement seat, and said that it was a passing from a state which we knew of to one that was now unexplored, but which our faith teaches us to believe comes after our term of service on earth.

Benediction was celebrated by Rev. John J. Coan and music was by the choir under the direction of John Mohon, organist.

DO IT EARLY.

Do your Christmas shopping early,
do it early, mother dear,
For you know you were exhausted
with the flurry yesteryear,
Please go out and get the trinkets for
the prattling little ones—
Set the engines and the candy and
the pistols and the guns;
Better start right out to-morrow
with your money and your list;
But at 10 o'clock on Christmas eve
you'll think of one you've
missed.

So your Christmas shopping early,
do it early, sister dear;
Get a card for our rich uncle that
will put him on his ear,
Get a tie that is hand painted for
your one and only beau—
He will say it is too splendid for a
man to wear, you know;
Work a pillow for the preacher, and
get something for each friend;
But you'll find you've overlooked one
when your shopping's at an end.

So your Christmas shopping early, do
it early, do you hear?
Let the higher cost of living give you
neither fret nor fear.
There are friends in other countries
who are very sure to write
Ere the first day of December heaves
serenely into sight,
So be ready to remember all the
people far away—
But you'll find you've failed to get
one for some one on Christmas
day.

Do your Christmas shopping early,
ere the drifting snows are here,
For the day before is madder than
all others of the year—
At no odds how soon you do it, when
the final days have come
You will be right in the struggle
showing how to make things
hum.
And on Christmas eve, dear sisters,
all of you, including ma,
Will exclaim: "Well, goodness gracious. We had quite forgotten
pa!"

DIES AFTER HAZING

One Student Succumbs to Stabbing and Another Is Arrested

Springfield, Mo., Dec. 5.—Bryan Crane, 16 years old, son of Dr. D. V. Crane of this city, died yesterday afternoon of two knife wounds in the abdomen inflicted Saturday, following a hazing party at Morrisville college.

Morris Copeland, a 25-year-old divinity student, is under arrest charged with the stabbing. After the hazing of Copeland, he is said to have attacked Crane.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

VOTE COUPONS COUNT FAST

Sturgis Hunt Has 1170 Without Any Certificates

OTHERS MAKE GOOD GAINS

The vote of the two leaders in the Washington contest is the same as yesterday, but Sturgis Hunt, the Y. M. C. A. boy, has added another figure to his total, having jumped from 750 to 1170.

Gains were also made by Miss Morrissett, "Ted" Keohane, Timekeeper Hart, George A. McDonnell and others.

Among the new entries today are Matthew S. Nicoll of the Makaria Fraternity, H. F. Morse, John Moir, William Wilson, Carl W. Leaf, Jesse I. Spear and H. S. Pelton.

The itinerary for the Washington trip is printed in another column.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Candidates should remember the offer of of the Vote Editor to give a certificate good for 100 votes to candidate who stands first in the contest at 9 A. M., Monday, Dec. 9.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 10 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	2235
Fred J. Kessler, Montclair	2015
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	1170
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	170
Sam Shellman, Granite street	165
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	100
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Jennie Beer, O. D. St. George	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	60
Ethel Randall, stenographer	55
Richard Larkin, High school	55
William Kelley, conductor	50
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	45
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	45
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	45
A. McKay, Heptasophs	45
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	40
Galen Bowditch, messenger	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
W. C. Luther, Fore River	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	35
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	35
M. S. Nicholl, Makaria Fraternity	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
William Erickson, F. of A.	35
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	35
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	30
William Pratt, Fore River	30
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	30
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	30
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	25
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	25
Carl W. Leaf, Water street	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	20
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
John Mahon, organist	15
Katherine C. Walsh, telephone	15
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	15
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	15
Walter Mead, High school	10
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	10
John T. Cain, K. of C.	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5

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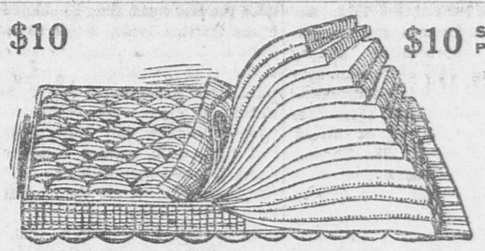
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COMMITTEE OFFERS REMEDY

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Under the law enacted in 1885 which is still in force, $12 per thousand based upon the assessed valuation of the previous year may be raised by taxation for the payment of current expenses. That Quincy has not in the past raised money enough by taxation to pay current expenses is only too evident. Various subterfuges have accordingly been resorted to, such as making the temporary loans carry the burdens of the deficiency in revenue, and also borrowing money for current expenses as illustrated by the great number of special loans authorized in recent years for what are really current expenses, particularly most of those for re-surfacing and rebuilding streets. There has also grown up the practice of knowingly making budget estimates too small in the expectation that the appropriations may be pieced out by the transfer of unexpended balances from other appropriations or by the transfer of receipts. This juggling of accounts intended to keep down the tax rate is not to the financial advantage of the city. The result has been that the city debt has been greatly increased and consequently the interest charges, until today Quincy has the unenviable reputation of expending a larger percentage of its tax levy for maturing debt and interest than any other city in the state and that of course means that Quincy expends the smallest percentage for current expenses.

How far this condition is due to failure to raise as much by taxation as we can legally under the existing law, how far to inefficiency, to lack of a proper system of accounting and to the total absence of any ordinance investing the auditor with the real powers of an auditor such as outlined in the proposed ordinance reported by your committee earlier in the year, it is difficult of course to state. There is reason to believe, however, that the $12 limitation is not adequate. It certainly is not if no change is made in present methods and practices. In pursuance of a resolve of the Legislature of 1911 the Bureau of Statistics made an exhaustive investigation relative to the indebtedness of cities and towns of the Commonwealth, and this was one of the matters considered. It was found that eighteen of the thirty-two cities had at various times since 1885 secured a partial or entire removal of this $12 limitation. The best opinion now seems to be that it is too low, but there is a wide difference of opinion as to how the law should be changed. The advisability of the removal of the $12 limitation without restriction would be questionable, as shown by actual experience prior to 1885 and the fact that the limitation was then imposed emphasizes the necessity for some restriction. The recess committee of the present Legislature has been considering the matter and will undoubtedly recommend to next year's Legislature general legislation removing the limitation but at the same time placing restrictions upon the purposes for which money may be borrowed. Such general legislation if adopted can not probably become effective for two or three years.

In view of this situation it would not seem advisable at this time to ask for an absolute or indefinite removal of the $12 limitation. Your committee believes that if this were raised to $14 for a period of three years, thereby allowing about $70,000 additional each year for current expenses based upon the present valuation the difficulty would be temporarily solved. In the meantime the Legislature will undoubtedly have worked out the changes in the law so that we may then come in under the general law and become subject to whatever restrictions may be applied to the taxing power of all cities.

Your committee therefore recommends the adoption of the accompanying substitute resolution in the confident hope and earnest belief that if an exemption is secured further necessity for special loans for what are really current expenses, such for instance as many of the orders for resurfacing and building streets, may no longer be resorted to and that we may reduce our maturing debt and interest charges to a reasonable percentage of the total tax levy."

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The various industrial evening classes that the school department has been conducting during the fall months will close their term of 20 lessons shortly before the regular Christmas vacation. Already the members of two of these classes, those in dressmaking have petitioned for an additional term to be given during the winter period which opens, Monday, Dec. 30 and without doubt similar petitions will be received from the members of other classes asking for a like extension. These petitions will be considered by the sub-committee on evening schools which will report to the school committee at its next meeting.

WIDER USE OF SCHOOL HALLS.

The acceptance by the City of the recent act of the Legislature enabling School Committees of towns and cities to let their halls for such public or educational purposes as seem best gives the school committee power to draw up suitable rules for the more extended use of these halls. At the latest meeting of the school committee the chairman was authorized to appoint a sub-committee to consider the purposes and terms in accordance with which the halls might be rented.

GAIN IN SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

The attendance figures for the month of November published a few days ago show a marked gain over the corresponding month of last year. The total enrollment has increased 211, the average number belonging has gained 180 and the average attendance is greater by 192. These gains are not including the figures fro mthe Industrial school which would add 36 more to the list. The attendance at the Industrial school grows slowly each month and boys from the school are now working in four of the industrial plants of the city and come from four other towns besides Quincy.

CODDINGTON SCHOOL.

The next meeting of the Parents-Teachers' association of the Coddington school will be held in the Assembly Hall of the school Wednesday evening, Dev. 11, at 7.45 o'clock.

A very interesting program has been arranged. Arthur C. Boyden, Principal of the Bridgewater Normal School, will speak on "Schools of Today." Music by the Quincy High School Glee Club. Soloist, Miss E. A. Perkins.

A large attendance of parents and friends is earnestly desire.

CRANCH SCHOOL.

The regrading of the school yard is now complete and the playground presents an attractive appearance. Several loads of broken stone have been placed on the playground, thoroughly rolled, and then given a coat of Tarvia and and. A ten foot granolithic walk runs parallel with the building on the south side affording a spacious walk for the pupils and a practical approach to the building for the coal teams. Close to the building running ivy has been planted and on either side of the walk are hedges of barberry while the playground is tastefully separated from the street by hedges of Norwegian pine.

The pupils of the second grade, Miss Annie R. Birnie, teacher, have established a remarkable record for attendance. For twelve successive weeks not an absent mark has been recorded.

The next meeting of the Parents' and Teachers' Association will be held on the evening, of Thursday, December the twelfth. Mrs. Clara Bancroft Beatley of Boston, Teacher and Social Worker, will speak on "Morals through Reverence."

ADAMS SCHOOL.

Rapid progress is being made on the new Adams school. The cellar and foundation are nearly completed and it is felt that the building will be ready for occupancy at the beginning of the next school year in September. An effort is being made to place in conspicuous portions of the retaining wall, which has been built to assist in grading, specimens of the different kinds of granite quarried in Quincy.

The next meeting of the Parents' and Teachers' Association will be held on the evening of Tuesday, December the tenth. Frederick M. Druckles, Field Secretary of the Federated Boys' Clubs, wil speak on "The Boy Problem—Summer and Winter."

WOLLASTON SCHOOL.

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association will be held in the school assembly hall, Monday evening, Dec. 9, at 8 o'clock. We are very glad to have as the speaker Mrs. Susan W. Fitzgerald of Boston who will speak on "What Women can do for the schools and what the schools can do for our Girls." Bass soloist, Samuel B. Bates. All are welcome.

Over $200 was cleared at the recent entertainment the operetta "Cinderella in Flowerland," given by the children of the school. The money will be used by the Art Committee in purchasing school decorations.

MASSACHUSETTS FIELDS.

Hon. Eugene R. Stone will address the Parents-Teachers' Association on Thursday evening at 7.45 o'clock. Subject "Our Schools," soloist will be Mrs. Samuel J. Ripley and Miss Gertrude Allen, accompanist will be Mrs. A. H. Rogers. All are welcome.

Pins for the class "1913" were received the past week.

The candy sale held last Wednesday at the close of school netted $26.50. A large picture of George Washington has been purchased.

WILLARD SCHOOL.

The pupils of the eighth grade are much interested in the educational exhibits of wheat and cocoa which were obtained from two well known manufacturing concerns.

The wheat was received from the Pillsbury Flour Mills in Minneapolis and consists of twelve samples showing the wheat from its earliest stages to the flour of commerce.

The cocoa and chocolate exhibit was presented by Walter Baker & Co. of Dorchester, and contains specimens of this valuable product, showing the various steps through which it passes from the bean to the manufactured cocoa and chocolate which we see and use every day.

Two dodge ball teams have been formed among the boys of the seventh grades. The captains are Herman Drohan of grade seven, one, and Russell Bradley of grade seven, two. During the past week a series of five games has been played of which grade seven, one won four, scoring 89 points to their opponents 77.

The best attendance banner for the upper grades was won by Miss Atwood's pupils, while Miss Drumm's children received the banner for best attendance in the lower grades for the month of November.

PARENTS-TEACHERS.

A large audience attended the monthly meeting of the Parents' and Teachers' Association at the Washington school, Wednesday evening. After a short business meeting Chas. H. Johnson the well known lecturer gave his stereopticon lecture on George Washington.

The pictures were interesting as well as instructive, and adequately portrayed the life of that great American statesman.

At the close of the lecture America was sung by the audience, illustrated with pictures. A rising vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Johnson and to W. F. Perry for operating the lantern.

Thirty new members were taken into the association.

CANDY AND FOOD SALE.

A successful candy and food sale was held in the Sunday School rooms of the First Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon and evening. The food table was in charge of Mrs. Alexander Clark, Mrs. William Moyle and Mrs. Neil McFadgen.

The candy table was presided over by Miss Margaret McLellan, assisted by the Misses Miriam Kemp, Winnie Collins, Mildred Moyle, Effie Johnson, Helen Morris and Annie Jenkins.

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ITINERARY OF THE TOUR

Many are not aware what an attractive prize the Daily Ledger offers in its Washington trip. Just read the itinerary below and note the many extras which are included!

As already stated, the winner can select a companion to accompany him of her. It would make a good wedding trip for newly-weds, or for a couple who never took a bridal tour. It will be a personally conducted party, so that two ladies, or two gentlemen, would find all their comforts anticipated, and something doing all the time.

Here is the itinerary in brief:

Friday, Feb. 28,—Leave Boston at 6.00 P. M. by train for Fall River, connecting with one of the magnificent steamers of the Fall River line for New York. Stateroom provided.

Saturday, Mar. 1,—Breakfast on steamer is provided, and New York is reached at 7.20 A. M. The forenoon will be devoted to sight-seeing about the city. Luncheon provided at hotel. Leave New York at 2.00 P. M. via the Royal Blue line. Seats in parlor car included. Arrive Washington at 7.00 P. M. and transfer to a first class hotel, where rooms and meals will be provided for the stay at the National Capital.

In Washington until Thursday. Under direction of the conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4, is Inauguration Day. The inauguration of a President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle.

The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol building, in front of which take place the actual Inauguration ceremonies including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the chief justice of the Supreme court.

Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy, and Militia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson and down Pennsylvania avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage.

Tuesday evening the grand Inauguration ball is held in the immense Pension building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of the building is cleared for the event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine band, and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations, and of the officers of the Army and Navy, form a brilliant spectacle.

On Wednesday, Mar. 5, a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ church where Ellsworth was killed.

Thursday, Mar. 6.—Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included, and New York is reached at 2 P. M. Leave New York at 5 P. M. on Fall River Line steamer. State rooms assigned and evening dinner served.

Friday, Mar. 7,—Arrive Fall River at 5.30 A. M., connecting with train for Boston.

A Wonderful Toy.

Perhaps the most wonderful toy in the world is owned by a Russian prince, who lavished a fortune of $60,000 on a mechanical theater. The stage is fitted up with every accessory in the shape of scenery and machinery that modern skill has devised, and the actors are figures as large as life, all dressed as sumptuously and appropriately as their living prototypes. The prince's repertoire covers almost all the most popular operas, and it is only necessary to press a button to set the whole marvelous machinery in motion. The actors make their entry on the stage and play their varied parts with appropriate gesture, while a number of phonographs supply the vocal parts in the voices of the leading operatic singers.

He trespasses against his duty who sleeps upon his watch as well as he that goes over to the enemy.—Burke.

BIG TIME FOR WEST QUINCY

Every One to Turn Out to Honor McDevitt

BANQUET AND SPEECHES

One of the biggest events of the year in West Quincy will be the reception that will be tendered to Senator elect John J. McDevitt at St. Mary's hall this evening. Great enthusiasm has been manifested through out the ward and it is expected that about 300 will be seated at the banquet table when the toastmaster and invited guests take their seats.

Gov. Foss and Lieut. Gov. elect Daniel I. Walsh, have been invited.

The speakers will be Congressman-elect Edward Gilmore, Representative-elect Michael T. Sullivan, Representative-elect John J. Gallagher of East Milton, Richard Olney, 2d, of Dedham, Miss Margaret Foley of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage League, Mayor Eugene R. Stone, James H. Penniman, councilman-elect Daniel Corcoran, and others.

An entertainment will be given between the speaking. Michael Kiley is chairman of th general committee and Richard Joyce is in charge of the reception committee. They are assisted by Daniel Corcoran, Charles M'Cue, Bartholomew Flaherity, James Donovan and Thomas Connors.

CONGENIAL CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Dorley Hostess at Impromptu Gathering

The Congenial Club met in Quincy Square on Tuesday evening and decided to go to the home of Mrs. Charlotte Dorley on River street. When they arrived, their hostess was waiting with open arms and she directed an evening of merriment. Mrs. Annie Morrison secured the highest whist score and Mrs. Dorley, the consolation award. All joined in singing popular songs many new and catchy interpolations being introduced.

Those present were Mrs. Charles Gould, Mrs. Lavina Dorley, Mrs. Elizabeth Farrell, Miss Lena Allen, Mrs. Alberta Hewson, Mrs. Susan Hewson, Miss Isabelle Birnie, Mrs. A. T. Morrison, Mrs. Isabella Souter, Mrs. Annie R. Brown.

Bird's Statement Misquoted

Boston, Dec. 5.—Charles S. Bird, Progressive candidate for governor in the recent election, in a communication to The Post today denies having said Mr Roosevelt would not run again for the presidency. He says his statement at a banquet Tuesday night was misquoted.

Uncle Joe's Campaign Expenses

Washington, Dec. 5.—A final statement of his campaign expenses was filed by "Uncle Joe" Cannon. He certified he spent $3,012.62. He was defeated.

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MILLER DEFENDS CIRCULAR NO 1

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SAYS FOY READ IT

Editor Daily Ledger:—

In your issue of the 4th inst. you print an editorial headed "Boomerangs," in which you make deductions that are not founded on facts or good judgment, and in several paragraphs you refer to the Foy letter No. 1 (you call it) as though he had never signed it. Now if you wish to parade this before the public, would it not be well to get the facts first, and not put yourself in the position of an unjust judge. You are rendering judgment without even hearing the evidence of one side. That is worse than the celebrated Dreyfus case in France a few years ago.

I would ask you if you ever investigated the genuineness of the Foy circular? If not, why not? Have you investigated whether Mr. Foy ever signed the so-called repudiation circular, or was it written and signed by the political cable from City Hall?

Here are the facts of the circular. It was written by a gentleman who has as high a sense of right and wrong in a political contest as any one that plays the game, and very much finer than some of those who run Mayor Stone's headquarters. It was the purpose to have a few sign it. It was sent to Mr. Foy, who was found at home. He read it over carefully, taking fully ten minutes for the purpose, then he signed it, with his name, street, and number, and there never was the slightest change made afterwards. It was then taken to others and was signed, but they did not put on the street and number. When it was taken to the printer he said those names are no good, as the street and number does not appear, but he further added, "It is all right, for the law says "one or more," and you have the one all right," yet it was supposed the other names would appear as on the original, but when the circular appeared it had only the name of Mr. Foy, which of course appeared to put the whole responsibility on him.

Late Monday afternoon Mr. Foy came to my office and asked why the other names did not appear. He said he had read it, but did not study it as closely as he should, because there was one or two things he was not personally cognizant of, but as Mr. Foy is a man whom we all respect in Ward 3, of strick integrity, it will require bonafide evidence before the people of Ward 3 will believe he ever signed the so called repudiation circular, and in view of the absolute facts it would put him in a worse position.

Mr. Editor, if you expect to fight a political battle without using what ammunition the political opponents have been making, is about like two armies going into battle, and being instructed not to hurt each other.

Mr. Editor, there is no doubt whatever that the so called repudiation was intended to call public attention from the real issues. It did not refute any of the facts. Do you claim it is not a fact that the mayor held up the contract for the Adams school until the city lost $3160? Is it not a fact that a certain attorney was paid $320 out of the city treasury to look up sixteen land titles on Hancock street, which was the duty of the City Solicitor?

Now, if you believe in the lily white politics, what can you say to this, coming from Mayor Stone's headquarters, calling up different parties on our side, giving an assumed name and trying to get information. I was called up myself by the same politician mentioned in the Foy circular as "scavenger." Here is the way it was done.

Hello, this is Councilman Barker of Ward 5. I want some information about that circular also the repudiation circular. When the information did not suit him he went off into a tirade of oaths unprintable. A few minutes later he called another party, under an assumed name. Then I was called again, this time by one purporting to be a voter of Ward 6. By this time we got busy to locate the calls, which we did in Mayor Stone's headquarters, and found the mayor present, and had a conversation with him.

Is that the lily white brand? Is it the proper thing to do, Mr. Editor, for the heads of departments to be at the polling places passing out literature for Mayor Stone, when the citizens are paying them a salary to attend to the public business at City Hall.

Now, Mr. Editor, there is nothing in Mayor Stone's victory to call for your special felicitations , for his majority of 2100 in 1911 drops to a minority of 1600 so he only represents one third of the votes cast, and all this after every possible wire was pulled in his favor. Look at the Progressive caucus, that they tried to pull over to him, and when they failed in their purpose some three or four of the leaders deliberately came over to his support and worked in every way they could, providing always they could retain the votes of the Progressive party for themselves. No, Mr. Editor, you can't afford to appear so biased against the great majority of the voters.

John L. Miller.

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SCHOOL DAYS WERE REVIVED

By Grown-ups Who Rather Enjoyed the Novelty

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Miss Louise Thatcher was the teacher. All sorts of stunts were gone through with from the welcoming song to th "goodbyes" of the teacher."

Various finger plays and baby songs were indulged in and the faithfulness with which these were carried out together with the incongruous costumes of the grown-ups made the scene a ludicrous one. Refreshments were enjoyed in a social hour that followed. A flashlight of the performers was taken.

PROPOSED TOURNAMENTS.

A meeting was held at the rooms of the Quincy Council K. of C. Wednesday evening to make plans for the proposed whist, checker and pool tournament between Weymouth, Braintree, Ave Maria and Quincy Councils. Definite plans will be announced on Dec. 10 following a meeting at the Quincy rooms.

THREE-DECKER TENEMENTS.

Milton one of the most beautiful suburbs of Boston is not going to wait until there are a lot of three-decker tenements within its borders before it acts but is to get right down to work now and solve the problem of how to deal with them. A special committee is preparing town building laws and the town will take action at the annual meeting in March.

In connection with the three-decker problem the committee is satisfied of the real danger in that direction and will make some recommendation in its report as to how best to meet it. Whether it will favor the adoption by the town of the so-called tenement house act passed by the last Legislature, or a less drastic but equally efficacious method, the committee is not yet ready to say.

This tenement house act is designed primarily to prevent the building of three-deckers in towns which do not want them, and it has already been adopted by at least four towns in the immediate vicinity of Boston These are Winthrop, Watertown, Stoneham and Belmont. The law prohibits the erection in towns which accept it of tenements more than two and one-half stories in height, to be occupied by more than two families unless the structure is fireproof. This provision as to fireproofing would of itself prevent the construction of the three-decker as it is now built. The tenement house law also contains many other provisions as to sanitation, size of rooms, windows, stairs and exits and other details intended to bring about cleanliness, comfort and safety.

—The scheme to have the children of the New York public schools keep their hands and faces clean by furnishing them with soap and towels is likely to fall through on account of the cost of it. According to the education board, soap is cheap enough but the laundry bills alone for the towels would be $217,000 a year and the cost of the towels from $70,000 to $700,000 according to the kind furnished. Why not give 'em newspapers to wipe their hands and faces on?—Taunton Herald.



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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Generally fair and cooler with brisk winds Friday and Saturday.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	6.59
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.13
Moon rises	4.54
High water, A. M.	9.15
High water, P. M.	9.45

Days decrease 6 hours 4 minute.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	48 degrees
Dec. 5, 1911,	30 degrees
Dec. 5, 1910,	23 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

Barrington—Through Greece and Dalmatia. Impressions jotted down during a swift six weeks' trip from Bologna to Greece and Dalmatia and back to Venice. The author's artist eye is ever alert for beauty of form and color and her well stored mind finds many opportunities for literary allusions and quotations; but she loses little of the significance of the country passed through, and the intending of returned traveler, if educated, will find a great deal to enjoy in her company.

Longford—Japan of the Japanese. Concise but comprehensive survey of Japan's history and present social, economic, artistic, industrial and political condition. Interesting chapters analyze the language and describe literature, the drama the army and the navy, the press, etc. The effortless, entertaining style recalls the author's "Story of old Japan."

Munroe——Government of American cities. Outlines the growth of American cities, explains the present-day powers and duties of the city as a municipal corporation and describes the different organs of municipal government in order to make clear the relations which these bear to one another. The book deals with government rather than with administration, with framework rather than with functioning mechanism of the municipal organization.

Train—Courts, criminals and the Camorra. A vigorous, spirited discussion in the light of seven years' experience as assistant district attorney of New York, of various questions such as the pleasant fiction of the presumption of innocence, sensationalism and jury trials, motives for murder and the recent trial of the Camorrists in Italy, of which the author was a spectator. His point of view is decidedly independent but he is armed with statistics and facts to support his contentions. Based on articles in Mc Clure's magazine.

Literary Coincidence.

Resemblance does not always mean plagiarism. There was no plagiarism certainly in Newman's line, "The night is dark, and I am far from home," though it has been pointed out that it almost exactly reproduces a line in a play printed in 1599. This play is "Two Angry Women of Abington," by Henry Porter, and the original line runs, "'Tis late and dark, and I am far from home."

The Ledger trip to Washington, D. C, to attend the inauguration of President-Elect Wilson will be first class in every way and include many extra features in the way of grand stand seats for the inaugural procession and tickets for the inaugural ball. While in Washington all points of interest will be visited under the direction of a conductor with headquarters at a first class hotel. The trip will be by Fall River steamer to New York and from there by parlor car, leaving Boston Friday, Feb. 28 at 6 P. M. tf

MRS. ROBERT GOELET

Was One of America's Famous Society Matrons



Photo by American Press Association.

DEATH OF MRS. GOELET

Famous Society Matron Passes Away In Her Paris Home

Paris, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Robert Goelet, the New York society leader, died in her Paris home from heart disease. She was 58 years old and the widow of Robert Goelet, who died in Naples in April, 1899.

Mrs. Goelet was one of America's most famous society matrons. She numbered among her guests at various times Emperor William and the late Edward VII. She was Miss Harriet L. Warren, daughter of George H. Warren of New York. She married Goelet in 1879. They had two children, Robert and Beatrice. Beatrice died in 1902, when 17 years old.

The Goelet fortune is one of the largest of those founded on New York real estate. Mrs. Goelet, under her husband's will, had an annuity of $200,000, and she also received the share of the estate that would have gone to her daughter.

TEST CASE AGAINST CAPTAIN OF LINER

Incomplete Equipment of Wireless Is Charged

Boston, Dec. 5.—Shortly after the Allan line steamer Numidian arrived from Glasgow and Moville yesterday with 208 passengers and a general cargo, Captain Hall was arrested, charged with violating the recent act of congress relating to wireless equipment on transatlantic steamers.

It is understood the government intends to make a test case out of the Numidian captain's arrest, as the charge is inserted in the complaint against Hall that there was no efficient communication between the navigating bridge and the radio room, where the wireless operator has his equipment. Many of the steamers have messenger boys for this purpose. The government contends this is not an efficient means of communication and maintains that electric communication was intended by the act.

When arraigned before Commissioner Hayes, Hall was allowed to go on his personal recognizance, pending further instructions by the government.

GOING BACK TO LAW

Report That Knox Will Resume His Practice In Smoky City

Pittsburg, Dec. 5.—Friends of Secretary of State Knox hear he is preparing to return here to resume the practice of law. Hugh Knox, son of the secretary, has engaged an apartment in the Hotel Schenley, where Secretary Knox has maintained his voting residence.

A report is that Secretary Knox will become a partner of Willis F. McCook, personal counsel of Henry C. Frick in this city.

Mrs. Reggie Vanderbilt Ill

New York, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt is ill at the Vanderbilt hotel and her condition is serious enough to require the services of two physicians and two trained nurses. It is said her condition is improving.

Frear to Govern Hawaii

Washington, Dec. 5.—President Taft has reappointed Walter F. Frear Governor of Hawaii, and reappointed Ernest A. Mott-Smith secretary of Hawaii.

Americans Safe In Typhoon Zone

Washington, Dec. 5.—No Americans were killed or injured in the Philippine typhoon, Nov. 25.

PEACE ENVOYS MEET DEC. 13

Greece Will Take Part In Negotiations In London

TANGLE AMONG THE POWERS

Becoming Even More Accentuated as Days Pass—Russian Newspapers Resent German "Rattling of the Sword"—Any Untoward Act on Part of Austria or Servia Would Set Other In Motion

London, Dec. 5.—Peace negotiations will begin in London Friday, Dec. 13. This was made possible by the armistice signed Tuesday night between Turkey and Bulgaria, Servia and Montenegro. Greece did not sign the armistice, but it is officially stated in Sofia that she will take part in the peace negotiations. Thus for the time being, at least, cannon and rifle have been silenced on the Balkan battlefields, or at least they will be as soon as word of the truce can reach the more isolated combatants.

The tangle among the great powers, however, persists and becomes even more accentuated as the days pass without the discovery of a means of unravelling it. Russia has retorted to what it terms the "rattling of the sword" by the German imperial chancellor by saying that a repetition of the methods resorted to at the period when the occupation by Austro-Hungary of Bosnia and Herzegovina caused a crisis will not now be permitted.

The prominence given by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg to the idea of war was resented by the newspapers of St. Petersburg. The general trend of their comment is voiced by The Novoe Veremya, which says: "History is repeating itself, but it is not so easy now to force Russian diplomacy into a faint-hearted retreat. Such intimidation will frighten nobody."

The immediate withdrawal of the vast Russian deposits in the German banks is advocated by many of the Russian journals.

The war parties, both in Russia and Austria-Hungary, seem to hold the public platform for the moment against the peaceably disposed ministers of those countries. Any untoward incident or provocative act on the part of Austria or Servia would in a moment set the other in motion, and this probably would loosen forces in Russia which the government of the Russian emperor would find itself unable to resist.

Should Greece persist in her refusal to adhere to the armistice it would necessarily throw Bulgaria more closely into the embrace of Servia and give fresh encouragement to the Servian resistance to the European powers, who are practically unanimous in condemning the Servian demands.

If Austria-Hungary should attempt, as has been suggested, to employ Roumania to keep Bulgaria quiet in the event of an Austro-Servian war, such action would only enlarge the area of conflict and precipitate a general catastrophe.

Any intervention by Roumania would, it is argued, inevitably compel Russia to take drastic action on behalf of the Slavs in the Balkans.

The czar's demands immediate treatment, and efforts to bring about an ambassadorial conference as quickly as possible have been renewed, as it is thought this is the only means of bringing the necessary pressure into play to extinguish the incendiary tendencies of the extremists in the various countries concerned in the dispute.

Servia yesterday issued a decree calling up for service all the men in the country capable of bearing arms, according to a news agency dispatch from Sofia, which states that the information was obtained from an authoritative source.

COLONEL GRACIE DEAD

Was One of Last Passengers to Escape From Sinking Titanic

New York, Dec. 5.—Colonel Archibald Gracie of Washington, one of the last passengers to leave the sinking Titanic, died here in a private hospital. Gracie went down with the vessel, but on coming to the surface found a life-raft on which he afterward helped others.

The father of Archibald Gracie was a brigadier general in the Confederate service.

Since the sinking of the Titanic Gracie has published a book under the title "The Truth About Chicamauga."

Says the Lady Proposed

New York, Dec. 5.—Answering Miss Mary McIntyre's suit for breach of promise, William Hughes, wealthy manufacturer, says she proposed and he merely acquiesced.

No Sale of Michigan Central

New York, Dec. 5.—President Brown of the New York Central denies reports that the Michigan Central has been or will be sold to the Canadian Pacific.

ARCHBALD HIS PARTNER

Judge's Friend of Thirty Years Admits Culm Bank Deal

Washington, Dec. 5.—Admissions that Judge Archbald of the court of commerce had been interested with him in a deal for the "Katydid culm dump" near Scranton, Pa., and would have profited from the sale of the property, were drawn from Edward J. Williams of Dunmore, Pa., before the senate court of impeachment, which is trying the jurist for alleged misconduct.

Williams was the first witness summoned in the impeachment of Archbald. Standing at the clerk's elevated desk in the senate, and facing Archbald, who had been his friend, he said, for thirty years, the aged Welchman became a silent witness for part of the time to a duel between the house managers and Archbald's lawyers.

SICKLES KEEPS WAR RELICS

Warrior and His Wife Have at Last Become Reconciled

New York, Dec. 5.—General Daniel E. Sickles will be able to keep all of his cherished war relics and mementoes. He and his wife, from whom he has been estranged for years, have made up, it is announced.

Mrs. Sickles has paid $3500 as earnest payment that she will settle all the existing judgments against the warrior. The general refused to admit this is so, but a friend says he sent for Mrs. Sickles and their son, Stanton, and as soon as they met they kissed and effected the looked-for reconciliation.

The sale of the Sickles relics, scheduled for yesterday, has been postponed by the sheriff to Dec. 12, and in the meanwhile it is expected the judgment will be returned satisfied.

"ON ADVICE OF COUNSEL"

Ryan Resisted Removal of Evidence Wanted at Los Angeles

Indianapolis, Dec. 5.—Frank M. Ryan, indicted president of the Iron Workers union, testified at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial that, after the arrests of the McNamaras, he, on advice of counsel, resisted the removal of evidence wanted at Los Angeles, where the McNamaras were charged with murder and dynamiting.

The papers referred to were hundreds of letters and records afterward procured by the government in connection with the indictment of the forty-one men now on trial. The witness named as the attorney who took charge of the union's affairs Leo M. Rappaport.

MAC VEAGH URGES CURRENCY REFORM

Declares Present System Responsible For Many Disasters

Washington, Dec. 5.—Strongly urging radical reform of the "unreasoned and unscientific" banking and currency system of the United States, Franklin MacVeagh, secretary of the treasury, freely warns congress, in his annual report, that the federal government, as long as the present scheme exists, will be exclusively responsible for the commercial, industrial and social disasters which flow from panics and attack, directly or indirectly, every home in the nation.

The present system promotes and developes panics, and legislation is urgent, declares MacVeagh, in outlining his idea of the necessary general provisions of an adequate relief measure. Aside from affording flexible and elastic currency and reserves, such a revision, he says, should bring the banks into organized co-operation and provide for a central agency through which they could work together, free of political or trust control.

According to the estimates of the treasury department, the secretary foresees a deficit of $22,556,023, exclusive of Panama canal expenditures, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914. Including the canal exenses, the deficit is estimated at $52,730,455.

ELEVEN DEAD IN WRECK

Rear-End Collision of Passenger Trains In the Buckeye State

Zanesville, O., Dec. 5.—Eleven dead, one probably fatally injured and four others seriously injured, is the wreck score, as a result of a rear-end collision near Dresden between two passenger trains, in which the rear coach of one was telescoped.

Henry Balbian, who died in a local hospital, was one of the best known woolen mill men in the country.

Gets Extra Fine For "Thank You"

New York, Dec. 5.—When August Miller, chauffeur, said "Thank you" to Magistrate Krotel for fining him $10 for permitting his auto to smoke, the judge fined him another $5.

Queer High School Stunt

Stamford, Conn., Dec. 5.—Enraged because their president was kidnapped, seniors of Stamford high school caught twenty-one juniors and shaved their heads.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

THE CHRISTMAS PLUM PUDDING.

THE Christmas plum pudding may be prepared as much as two months in advance. It is better for being allowed to ripen. By making it thus the labors of holiday week may be much lightened.

A Delectable Pudding.

Plum Pudding.—A reliable recipe for a plum pudding is this: Take three-quarters of a pound of suet, chopped very fine. While chopping mix with it a tablespoonful of flour, three-quarters of a pound each of seeded raisins, currants, sugar and fresh breadcrumbs, the grated skin of one lemon, one-quarter of a pound of candied orange peel and citron, cut into thin shavings; one-half teaspoonful each of ground cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg and allspice.

Mix the dry materials together and then add six eggs, one at a time, and one-half cupful of brandy. Add another egg if too stiff and more breadcrumbs if too soft.

Wet a strong cloth in cold water, wring it dry, butter it and dredge it with flour. Turn the mixture into the center and draw the cloth together over the top, leaving room for the pudding to swell a little, and tie firmly.

Put it into a pot of boiling water, having it completely covered. Cover the pot and boil for five hours.

After it is removed from the water let it rest in the bag ten minutes to harden a little. Then cut the string and turn it carefully into a dish.

Before serving pour a little brandy over the pudding and touch a match to it just before carrying to the table. Serve with a brandy or vanilla sauce.

Delicious Sauces.

Brandy Sauce.—To make the brandy sauce put into a saucepan two cupfuls of water with one cupful of sugar. When the sugar is dissolved and the water boils add slowly a heaping tablespoonful of cornstarch, diluted with a little cold water. Stir until the cornstarch is clear, then remove from the fire and add two tablespoonfuls of brandy. Serve hot.

Vanilla Sauce.—Another sauce suitable for plum pudding is as follows: Take one-half cupful of butter, one cupful of powdered sugar, one teaspoonful of vanilla, one-quarter cupful of boiling water, two tablespoonfuls of sherry, the white of one egg. Cream the butter and sugar, add the vanilla and wine and beat them well. Just before serving stir in the boiling water, add the whipped white of one egg and beat until frothy.

THE JUICY RABBIT.

HERE are some suggestions for cooking rabbits. They are now in season and their preparation often taxes the resources of the housewife.

When rabbits are abundant and cheap, as at present, it is desirable to know how to serve them in a number of different ways.

Attractive Dishes.

Rabbits En Casserole.—Clean and cut up the rabbit, then place the pieces in a long casserole dish, surround with sliced onions and potatoes, place a bay leaf with the vegetables, season with salt and pepper, moisten with melted butter and place in the oven for a half hour or more.

Fricasseed Rabbits.—After cleaning cut into joints. Fry these in fresh beef drippings, turning constantly, so that they do not brown. Take out each joint as soon as it is cooked on the outside and keep hot. Pour a pint of milk into the stewpan, thicken it with flour, season with a blade of mace, pepper and salt and let it boil. Replace the rabbit in the pan and, if you have it, add a little lean ham and simmer slowly for about two hours.

To serve, set the meat on a hot entree dish and strain the sauce over it. Garnish with curls of fried bacon and croutons of bread.

Tender Young Rabbits.

Stewed Rabbits.—Tender young rabbits are best for this dish. Cut them into joints. Take one pint and a half of milk, one blade of mace, one dessertspoonful of flour, a little salt and cayenne. Mix the flour very smoothly with four tablespoonfuls of the milk and when this is well blended add the remainder. Put the rabbit into a stewpan with the milk and other ingredients and simmer gently until quite tender. Stir the contents from time to time to keep the milk smooth and prevent it from burning.

Roast Rabbits.—After the rabbits have been cleaned fill the inside with stuffing made of breadcrumbs and butter; season with pepper, salt and a little sweet marjoram, rubbed fine; put it in a good oven and while roasting baste it with plenty of butter and dredge it occasionally with flour. Thirty-five minutes' roasting will be sufficient.

Boil the liver with a dozen sprigs of parsley, when quite tender chop up fine and add them to melted butter as a sauce.

PRIME ROAST TURKEY.

SELECT a turkey with firm flesh and plump without any excess. After dressing wash thoroughly in cold water and wipe dry. Then fill with stuffing and place in a very hot oven to sear the skin so the juices will not escape. Then regulate the heat, keeping it at a moderate temperature, allowing twenty minutes to a pound, besides the first half hour for the heating.

How to Cook.

Roast Turkey.—Rub the skin of the turkey with one-third of a cupful of butter. Dredge lightly with flour. Place the fowl on its breast in a large pan. If the breast is turned to the bottom of the pan instead of being dry and tasteless the meat will be richly flavored and juicy. Place the turkey in a hot oven and when the flour begins to brown reduce the heat. Add two cups of boiling water. Baste every fifteen minutes during the cooking, using one-half cup of butter melted in one-half cup of hot water. It will take about three hours to roast. The last half hour turn the turkey on its back to brown the breast.

When done garnish with balls of dressing and bright red cranberries.

Nice Gravy.

Giblet Gravy.—Cook giblets tender in one quart of water, boiling away until only one pint remains. Pour fat from the pan, add to the liquid, put in enough flour to absorb the fat and add the giblet liquor, salt, pepper and chopped giblets. Stir until it thickens.

Sage Dressing.—Take half a loaf of dry bread, a small piece of finely grated corn bread and a piece of butter the size of an egg. Make a stiff batter, using a cup of broth, one teaspoonful of salt, pepper and sage. Put in the turkey and bake until brown.

Savory Dressings.

Oyster Dressing.—Pour boiling water over a loaf of bread, crumbed fine; drain and cover, add one-half pound butter, teaspoon of salt and pepper and the liquor from a quart of oysters. Bring to a boil, skim and pour over breadcrumbs, add two eggs and the oysters. When the turkey is half done stuff and return to oven.

Chestnut Dressing.—Take two pounds of chestnut meats and cook with the giblets until tender. Mash all but a dozen nuts and mix with six cups of breadcrumbs. Add three cups of hot sweet milk in which one cup of butter has been melted. Then add two beaten eggs. Season with salt, pepper and sage. Stuff the turkey with this. Make some of the stuffing into balls, with the extra chestnuts in the center. Put in a pan and bake a light brown.

Anna Thompson.

Bride Kills Her Defamer

Logansport, Ind., Dec. 5.—Elizabeth Lang, a bride of one day, shot and killed Mrs. Mary Copple, who at the wedding supper is alleged to have told other guests that the groom had selected an ugly and worthless woman for a life partner.

Whole Japanese Cabinet Out

Tokio, Dec. 5.—Premier Saionji and the other members of the Japanese cabinet resigned as a result of the crisis brought about by the difficulty of finding a successor as war minister to Lieutenant General Uyehera.

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ALL ABOARD FOR WASHINGTON

A FIREBRAND

How It Was Thrown Between Two Girls

By EMMA ALDRICH

Muldridge was one of those men who are so dead set in their ways that they are liable to overreach themselves. He was so anxious to get rich that he wouldn't marry lest the expense of a family would prevent his accomplishing his object. When he had accumulated a fortune he found himself without a chick or a child in the world to pass it on to. Then it was a splendid property, consisting of houses and lands. He couldn't enjoy it himself. He was too old. If he had a son he might be interested during his last days teaching the boy how to take care of it and at his death see it pass into the possession of his own flesh and blood.

But, not having a son or a child at all, he set himself to make such provision as would insure the passage of his estate to one of his nieces. If he had had a nephew he would have left it to him. But he hadn't a nephew, and of his two nieces, one, the daughter of his sister Anna, was but twelve; the other, the daughter of his sister Elizabeth, thirteen. Had he not been so wrapped up in his fortune as a whole and desirous of having it go as a whole to a descendant he would have left half of it to one niece and half to the other. But his object was to provide for it remaining undivided rather than to make any person or persons happy. Indeed, he didn't wish to make any one happy. It was his delight to make persons miserable. Not exactly that either; he loved to set them at odds. He would sell the same thing to or buy it from two different persons, then set them to quarreling over which should have the preference, while he locked on without taking any part in the wrangling.

Like most persons who wish to indirectly retain the management of their property after death, Muldridge made a will with that intent. He left his estate in the hands of a trustee till his niece, Alice Mortimer, and her younger cousin, Sadie Brown, should have passed twenty years of age. On the latter's twentieth birthday at 12 o'clock noon the trustee was to announce in presence of both girls that the one first married should inherit the whole of his estate. His main object was to do all he could toward having a posthumous grandnephew, and he further tied up the estate so that it should go to the first son born to the niece who should win it.

And so it came about that Misses Alice Mortimer and Sadie Brown grew up neither of them knowing that when Sadie should reach her twentieth birthday they would be called upon to hurry for a husband or lose a fortune. It may be supposed that had they been informed of the terms of their uncle's will each would have provided a man for the occasion. But it is questionable if this is so. Miss Mortimer was an incorrigible flirt, and it is doubtful if even the contingent possession of wealth would enable her to make up her mind between several men she had dangling about her. Miss Brown was a demure little body, and since it would be necessary for her to intimate to some man that she would like him to marry her it is quite likely that she would lose the inheritance.

Muldridge died a year before this birthday of Sadie Brown on which hung half a million dollars. His trustee, John Andrews, who by the terms of the will was to be well paid out of the estate for keeping the secret, succeeded admirably in holding his tongue and a few days before Miss Brown's birthday notified the parties interested that a bequest of their uncle, Martin Muldridge, in which they were concerned would be made known to them. They were to come to the trustee's office half an hour before noon that there might be no slip in compliance with the law.

The cousins had not been near neighbors and scarcely knew each other. Both arrived at the trustee's office promptly at 11:30 o'clock and greeted each other in a friendly manner. Indeed, they had reason to be pleased with the situation, as they supposed it to be, for it was to be inferred that each was to come in for a nice share of Uncle Martin's estate. They sat chatting till the clocks began to strike 12, when the trustee entered from his private office with the Muldridge will in his hand and, untying the red tape about it, read them the document. When he had finished he said to them:

"Young ladies, you have heard the provisions of the will. If either of you marries it will be to your interest to request the clergyman who marries you to carefully note the hour, minute and second and make affidavit to that effect before a notary or such person as is authorized to take acknowledgments."

The two girls sat gaping at the trustee for a few moments; then Miss Mortimer began to quiver with excitement, while her cousin took on a bewildered look. It was an abominable situation for any man to bring about between two estimable girls, and no one but a crochety old skinflint would have thought of such a thing.

Up jumps Miss Mortimer and leaves the room, bent on finding one of her lovers, marrying him and appropriating the inheritance. Miss Brown seemed dazed and remained in her chair, apparently not understanding just what had happened or, if she did, not knowing what in the world to do about it. Neither of the girls was fitted to make a good showing in such a race. Miss Mortimer having so many men she could marry that it would be next to impossible to decide between them and Miss Brown being so retiring that she was incapable by nature of asking a man to marry her.

Miss Mortimer had very little doubt that she could easily win. There was Tom Scovill, who had been begging her to marry him for months. There was Bob Hackstaff, whom she wanted but had not been able to get because he preferred Julia Green. Ned Tucker had been buzzing about her lately, and she thought it would be no trouble to bring him to the point. Indeed, it was not likely but that she could induce almost any of them to marry her, especially if she told them that by doing so he would get a fortune. But there were obstacles in the way of quick work. In the first place, the only one of the lot she wanted was Bob Hackstaff. But Bob, in addition to preferring Julia Green, was an independent sort of a fellow, and she had heard him say that the last thing he would do would be to tie himself up to some woman's fortune, to have it continually thrown in his face.

"I wonder," mused Miss Mortimer, "if there will be time for me to see Bob and find out how he would feel about it. I'm afraid there won't be. That little cousin of mine may be too retiring to hunt up a husband, but that kind of a girl is easily hunted, and as soon as it gets out that if she marries before me she'll get a fortune there'll be a dozen men offering to marry her. Every one of them will swear he has loved her since she was a baby, and she'll believe every word of it."

Then she thought of the half million that might be hers and what she might do with it—how live, how dress and the admiration it would bring to her. No, she wouldn't send for Bob. It would be a loss of valuable time to no purpose. Why, just think of it—every ten minutes might be worth a hundred thousand dollars! While she was deliberating her cousin might be picked up by some designing man.

A pile of money is always an object of attack. Old Muldridge, with all his shrewdness and foresight, though he could keep secret the conditions of the inheritance from his nieces till the proper moment, could not keep it from all men. The trustee had it and acted upon it. He didn't want the inheritance for himself. Indeed, he couldn't have it, for he was married already. He didn't want it for his son, for he had no son. But when he saw little Miss Brown sitting in his office without any sign to be up and stirring to secure a fortune he bethought himself how he could help her and a nice young fellow who was his clerk.

Henry Forsythe was hunting over some lawbooks when his employer entered and said to him:

"Henry, there's a girl in the other room who, if she can be married at once, will win a fortune. Have you got a sweetheart?"

"No, Mr. Andrews; I haven't."

"Well, come in there and I'll introduce you."

Forsythe was presented in due form, but since time was precious Mr. Andrews thought proper to state to the parties concerned what it was in their power to do—what it might be their interest to do. Then, shutting the door, he left them together. But, taking time by the forelock, he sent out for a clergyman, and there was a notary in the office.

Half an hour passed, and, hearing no word from the couple in the other room, he called out: "Time is precious. Half a million at stake."

Ten minutes more elapsed, when Mr. Andrews put his head out of the window and saw a carriage dash up and stop at the door below. Out jumped Miss Mortimer and a young man. The elevator was at the top of the building at the moment, and some time must pass before the couple could come up. Throwing open the door where he had shut up Forsythe and Miss Brown, he surprised Forsythe imprinting a kiss on Miss Brown's lips.

"Time's up!" cried the trustee. "Come here, Mr. Parson. Hurry up. Marry these two at once!"

When Miss Mortimer and Mr. Thomas Scovill, whom she had decided as the only person she might marry in a hurry, reached Mr. Andrews' office, they found him just coming from an adjoining room and announced that they were ready to be married.

"There's a clergyman here," replied the lawyer, "who has just performed the marriage ceremony in the case of your cousin. I dare say he'll be happy to marry you as well."

"My cousin married!" exclaimed Miss Mortimer.

"Just married."

She sank in a chair and covered her face with her hands.

"Sweetheart," said the would be groom, "we can be happy without this fortune. I'll"—

"Get out!"

If the shade of old Muldridge looked down on this scene which he had contrived it must have been with supreme happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Forsythe, notwithstanding their hurried courtship, lived happily together, spending a good deal of the income on the poor, which Muldridge would have deprecated. But they had a son to inherit the property which the old rascal had provided for.

As for Miss Mortimer, Mr. Scovill never spoke to her again, though she apologized for her heartless conduct toward him when she heard that she had been forestalled. She is still unmarried and bids fair to be an old maid.

SINEWS OF WAR OF DEMOCRATS

Final Statement of Receipts and Expenditures Is Filed

CAMPAIGN COST $1,159,446

Heaviest Contributor Was Crane, Who Gave $40,000 Toward the Total of $1,110,952—Dodge and Ridder Close Seconds—Others Who Helped Elect Wilson and Marshall

Washington, Dec. 5.—It cost the Democratic national committee $1,159,446 to carry the election for Wilson and Marshall, according to its final statement of contributions and expenses filed with the house. Charles R. Crane of Chicago was the heaviest contributor with $40,000, closely pressed by Cleveland H. Dodge of New York, $35,000, and Herman Ridder of New York, $30,073.

The total of $1,110,952 contributions received by the committee came from 89,854 separate contributors, of which all but 1625 were in amounts less than $100.

William J. Bryan gave $1000, as did David R. Francis, former secretary of the interior; Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston, Senators Newlands of Nevada and O'Gorman of New York, also gave $1000 each. Senator Watson of West Virginia contributed $7500, and Governor Foss of Massachusetts, former Senator Clark of Montana and Roger Sullivan of Chicago gave $5000 each. George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, gave $1000. B. F. Yoakum, New York, gave $2500, and former Mayor Phelan of San Francisco, $2000.

John B. Payne of Chicago put $15,000 into the committee's chests; Judge Gerard, New York, $13,000; Jacob H. Schiff and B. M. Baruch of New York, $12,500 each.

The $10,000 contributors were Charles S. Guggenheimer, Samuel Untermyer, James Speyer, Jacob Ruppert, Henry Goldman, Henry Morgenthau, all of New York; F. C. Penfield, Cincinnati; Thomas D. Jones, David B. Jones, B. M. Winston, all of Chicago, and Hugh C. Wallace, Tacoma, Wash.

W. R. Craig, New York, gave $9000; W. R. Rust, Tacoma, Wash., $7000; G. F. S. Peabody of Chicago, $6450, and J. C. C. Mayo of Kentucky and W. C. Beer of Yonkers, N. Y., $6000 each.

The $5000 contributors, besides those already mentioned above, were Rolla Wells, St. Louis; F. B. Lynch, St. Paul; W. A. Gaston and H. P. Nawn, Boston; J. M. Camden, Versailles, Ky.; Charles Smith, Kenasha, Wis., and C. A. Spreckels, S. Harris, E. A. S. White, John DeSaules, Nathan Strauss and John D. Ryan, all of New York.

Representative Scully of New Jersey, Ralph Pulitzer of New York, Charles W. McAlpine of New York and J. J. Storrow of Boston gave $2000 each; R. H. VanSant, Kentucky, $1500; Walter A. Milstead, Manila, $1400.

THE GRAND TRUNK DEAL

Intimation That Criminal and Civil Suits May Be Instituted

New York, Dec. 5.—It was intimated in the federal building here that both criminal and civil actions may be brought as the result of the investigations which the December federal grand jury is now making into the traffic arrangements between the New Haven road and the Grand Trunk.

The hearings have not gone far enough yet, however, for it to be definitely known in what legal steps the grand jury's search for evidence will terminate.

The hearings so far have been in the nature of John Doe proceedings, it is understood, and are primarily for investigation purposes.

IS ON HONEYMOON

Jack Johnson Cannot Cross State Line With His New Bride

Chicago, Dec. 5.—"Jack" Johnson and his second white wife have left Chicago for a short honeymoon trip. They were not to go out of the state, according to Johnson's agreement with the bondsmen who secured his release pending Mann act prosecutions.

Johnson's presents to Lucille Cameron, the bride, included a $2500 diamond ring of six karats and a racing motor.

Hyde's Sentence Postponed

New York, Dec. 5.—Justice Goff postponed for one week the sentencing of Charles H. Hyde, formerly city chamberlain, convicted of bribery, in order to give the grand jury an opportunity to investigate charges of favoritism in the prisoner's case in the Tombs.

Lawyer Divorced From Doctor

St. Louis, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Annabelle Arnold, one of St. Louis' few women attorneys, will abandon matrimony for the practice of her profession. A divorce was granted to her from Dr. Walter E. Arnold.

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ALLEGED JACOBSON NOTE

May Lead to Battle of Handwriting Experts In Murder Trial

Houlton, Me., Dec. 5.—The trial of Rev. Charles N. Emelius, Mary Jacobson, his mother-in-law, and Edgar Jacobson, all of New Sweden, who are under indictment charged with the murder of C. A. Jacobson, late of New Sweden, opened in the superior court here today.

It promises to become a battle of handwriting experts. A note found pinned to a fishing rod beside the body of C. A. Jacobson, when it was found in June, 1911, which was written in Swedish, read, when translated into English:

"This here is what is the best for you all, for me to get out of the way, as it is your place. I have it now for a while, but I am only in the way. I have thought to go away, but then you will get no insurance money. Nobody cares when I depart, nobody greets me when I return. I want to be hidden and forgotten, and as all is yours I have nothing more to say, only forgive your

"C. A. Jacobson.

"P. S.—I am not drunk nor crazy. A well conceived plan."

FLOOD PREVENTION FIRST

Taft Thinks It Most Important In Mississippi River Project

Washington, Dec. 5.—"I am retiring from public life and I can tell the truth," shouted President Taft to the assembled delegates to the national river and harbor congress, and then the president proceeded to enunciate a radical doctrine for waterway improvements.

The president bluntly cautioned the congress that it should not put forth a plea for improvement of the Mississippi river on the ground of aiding navigation, but should ask for its $50,000,000 a year because the safety of a large area, large enough to come within the scope of national legislation, was imperilled by the floods. The president said he would refuse to support any other plan.

BOMBS FOR COMMONERS

Said to Have Been Decided Upon by Militant Suffragettes

London, Dec. 5.—The militant suffragettes decided at a recent meeting to resort to the use of explosives in the event of the government refusing to incorporate women's suffrage in the forthcoming franchise bill, according to a statement issued by a news agency.

Volunteers are to be called for to use bombs, both inside and outside the house of commons.

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ASKS DIVORCE AND ALIMONY OF $50,000

Countess Charges Husband With Cruelty and Desertion

New Haven, Dec. 5.—Suit for divorce was formally brought here against General George H. Ford, one of the most prominent and most widely known business and society men of Connecticut. His wife, who was formerly Countess Ruth L. Laurantus of Austria, alleges cruelty and desertion, and her counsel states that other charges may be added to the complaint.

The couple were married in Switzerland in 1901, traveled in Europe several months and have since made their home at the New Haven town house of Ford.

She claims her husband's estate totals more than $150,000 in value and she asks that $50,000 alimony be awarded her.

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RIVERSIDE CLUB HELD A SOCIAL

Music and Literature Proved Entertaining

The monthly social of the Women's Riverside Club took place in the clubhouse Wednesday afternoon. A program was given and well received by a large number who attended. The opening number was a piano solo by George O'Donnell. D. M. Baker gave a baritone solo and responded to an encore.

A paper on "The life and letters of Charles Lamb" was read by Mrs. Winnie Watts of Winthrop. The paper was mostly biographical and contained several references to his works. The treatment was comprehensive and greatly enjoyed by the members.

R. D. Green rendered a tenor solo and Mr. O'Donnell closed the program by another piano solo. Refreshments were served at the adjournment.

The afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Annie F. Harmon, who was assisted by Mrs. E. R. Stone, Mrs. T. L. Williams, Mrs. Thompson B. Crane and Mrs. E. R. Blanchard.

Bethany circle will hold its annual donation party for the Quincy Day Nursery next Wednesday, December 11, in Bethany chapel from 3 to 5 P. M.

IF DREAMS COME TRUE

People May See the Bicycle Railroad Shortly

(Special to the Ledger)

State House, December 4, 1912.—E. Moody Boynton's bicycle railway, or as it is officially known, the Boston, Quincy and Fall River railway, will be in operation within a few years, or at least Mr. Boynton says that for the first time in six years he has definite hopes that this coming legislature will see fit to grant his petition and make it possible for the construction of the bicycle railway to begin at once.

It is Mr. Boynton's purpose to have a bill passed for the B. Q. and F. R. to be financed by the State to the amount of $5,000,000 the State to have a lien on the property and at liberty at any time to take possession of any or all of the bicycle railway.

BRIEFS

James Sweeney, Ralph Elcock and Leo Kenney were the winners at the weekly whist party of the Ave Maria Council held in their club rooms on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Huston of Revere road announce the engagement of their daughter Olive Louise to Mr. Joseph Gilman Jacobs of Wollaston.

Nine tables were in play Wednesday evening at weekly whist tournament at the rooms of the Granite City club. The best scores were made by Harry Fanacke and Horace F. Spear. The entertainment committee served the usual lunch after the play.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hillman Eggleton of Seattle, Washington spent Thanksgiving week on the ranch of Mrs. Eggleton's uncle Mr. John J. Flowers at Clippen, Washington.. Mr. Flowers is a brother of Mrs. Isabell Y. Cameron of Quincy street and was a resident of Quincy some twenty-five years ago.

—With half a million dollar appropriation in prospect for a new City hall and park improvement, and asking congress for $100,000 for a federal building, Malden is a little ambitious.—Salem News.

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ENOUGH LAWS NOT ENFORCED

Local Health Man Set Ball Rolling in Boston

AT TUBERCULOSIS HEARING

Chairman W. H. Teasdale of the Board of Health attended the public hearing before the State Board of Health at the State House Wednesday for the purpose of getting information as to new laws if any that are necessary to prevent the spread of tuberculosis. The hearing was not apparently developing anything startling when Chairman Teasdale arose and addressing the Board said that he thought there was law enough now. The trouble was that the present laws were not properly inforced. In some places the Boards of Health tried to live strictly up to the law but in many of the other places the Boards of Health were too lax.

This started to ball rolling and several followed along the same line. One man stated that a patient that came to this city from another city and complained because he was not allowed to do certain things which he said were allowed in the city he had come from.

It was said at the hearing that the Boards of Health had now got the disease where they could handle it and that the present problem was to prevent its spread and the start of the disease. That the way to prevent the start was by a stricted school inspection and by the eliminating of the stable nuisance where it was claimed that in summer time the flies were the cause of much tuberculosis.

ALL WORKING FOR THE ORGAN FUND

Oyster Supper Started the Move at Park and Downs Church

Escalloped oysters were the main feature at a largely attended supper of the Women's Guild in the vestry of the Park and Downs church, Wednesday evening. This started the campaign to raise $900 to meet a large donation by Andrew Carnegie for a church organ. A large clock which already shows $145 has been put up in vestry.

The next event is the sale of handkerchiefs and cooked food at the store of A. E. Walker, Newport avenue, Wollaston, Tuesday.

The officers of the Guild are Mrs. Charles F. Bryant, president; Miss Catherine Robinson, vice-president; Mrs. Harry Dunmore, recording secretary; Mrs. Helen Boynton, corresponding secretary and Mrs. Fred Robinson, treasurer.

The supper committee consisted of Mrs. Alonzo V. Bissett, Mrs. Frank Knowlton, Miss H. C. Gram, Mrs. W. K. Brown, Mrs. L. I. Mosman, Miss Fannie Fraser, Miss Marion Brown, Mrs. Henry Letson, Mrs. Artemus Dingwell and Mrs. Lyons.

—None too early to be thinking about and planning for Christmas! Everybody knows of the personal comfort and greater satisfaction that comes to the early Christmas shopper, but what a small proportion of all Christmas shoppers, alas, profit by this knowledge. The humanitarian side of the early Christmas shopping plan should appeal to every one. The strain on the salesgirls, the delivery men and horses, and all else connected with the retail shops in the holiday season is nothing short of cruel. We hope that every reader of the Journal will do their Christmas shopping very early this year. From every point of view, egoistic or altruistic, it is the right thing to do—Revere Journal.

DEATHS

SLAUGHER—In North Attleboro, Dec. 3, Mila, beloved wife of Frank Slaugher, age 21 years.
Funeral from her brother's residence, Mr. Napoleon Martell, 45 Hall place, Dec. 6, at 8.30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. 5-1t

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FAIR OPENED AUSPICIOUSLY

Many Pretty Features at Alliance Enterprise

FINE ENTERTAINMENT

A large number attended the opening of the fair of the Wollaston Unitarian church Alliance, at the vestry Wednesday afternoon and evening and the patronage at the various attractive booths was quite liberal.

As one entered, the first feature was Councilman Barker and Jesse I. Litchfield as Tony and Guiseppe bootblacks. In Italian costume and style they imparted a glowing lustre to the footwear of those present for a nominal fee and 'kept the change.'

At one side of the room was a dainty Japanese tea house, the material loaned by a Boston Japanese goods merchant, tea was served and articles of Japanese manufacture on sale by ladies in the dainty costume of that land.

Situated in one corner was a novel grab. This consisted of a large warehouse from which a train of cars, bearing the grab, came out upon payment of the requisite fee. The magic goose and the mystery box were other features here.

At a pair of accurate scales two keen witted young men, Axel Nelson and Harold Green came remarkably near guessing the weight of those who submitted themselves.

The stock met with ready sale and the booths displaying them were most artistic. Among them were, the delicatessen, candy, household, handkerchiefs, neckwear, toys, children's clothing, bags, ice cream, etc.

A pleasing entertainment under the direction of Mrs. William E. Rowe was given both afternoon and evening. In the afternoon a series of afncy dances were given by Ramah Baker and Florence Crowell, including the sailor's hornpipe by the former and the American beauty waltz by the latter, Mildred Hanson was the accompanist.

The evening entertainment opened with a fancy dance by Miss Edith Pratt of Braintree followed by a flower dance by six diminutive young ladies. This was very pretty and closed with a song "Pretty little flowers" by Doris Turner in the costume of a flower girl. Those taking part were Verna Carr, Mildred Geddes, Judith Page, Sidney Simmons and Hope Robinson.

Miss Ruth Jones gave a very pretty fancy dance. A stereopticon entertainment which included a lecture on Mexico by Frederick H. Bishop was the next feature. Between the pictures, artistic advertisements of local dealers from the brush of Miss Ednah Sanborn were cast on the screen.

The minuet wac danced with grace and courtliness. The ladies in dainty Colonial costume with full skirts and powdered tresses, the gentlemen brave in knickerbockers frills and white wigs, the group made a picture not soon to be forgotten.

Those taking part were Stanley Cummings, Horton Page, Ned Taylor, Gordon Rowe, Louise Emery, Helen Richards, Dorothy Stevens and Helen Moulton.

The lighting was by Roy C. Baker. Mrs. A. R. Moulton was the accompanist. The fair will continue this afternoon and evening.

The committees in charge were:—Delicatessen—Mrs. A. C. Armstrong, Mrs. C. H. Brigham, Mrs. Edmund S. Taylor, Miss Maria Weston, Mrs. George R. Thompson, Miss Gertrude Lacey, Miss Ninon Lacey, Mrs. Mortimer Harris, Mrs. Charles E. Monroe, Mrs. Charles T. Baker, Mrs. Chas. M. Bryant.

The first of the five big events in the Quincy Y. M. C. A. Lyceum Course will be the Famous Temple Singers, Monday evening, December 9, Music hall.



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THE EARTH CRUST

Its Density, Its Thickness and the Pressure It Exerts.

A BAR TO WORLD EXPLOSION.

The Reasons Why This Old Planet of Ours, With All Its Pentup Fiery, Volcanic or Gaseous Forces at Work, Could Never Be Blown to Fragments.

Some writers have accounted for the asteroids on the theory that they are the fragments of a world that from some unknown cause has been exploded in its orbit. Similarly, many have thought that perhaps at some distant time, when the seas shall have been drunk up into the cracked and thickened crust of the age shrunken earth and the volcanoes—those vents of the fiery interior—shall have become choked and extinct, the pentup gases generated from the descending moisture by the still great internal heat may actually explode the old earth like a veritable bombshell.

But that can never happen.

In 1883 Krakatoa, a sleepy old volcano on a small island in the strait of Sunda, between Java and Sumatra, began to show marked signs of uneasiness. Round the volcano the quaking earth opened enormous fissures in the bottom of the sea, down which rushed Niagaras of water. Then the fissures closed and confined the engulfed flood in the hot subterranean depths. The water was quickly converted into steam, the steam into dissociated gases, without room for expansion. It exerted a pressure equal to that of the strongest dynamite.

The great chimney of Krakatoa, sealed since the memory of man, barred the normal path of escape. Higher and higher mounted the pressure under the huge mass of the volcano; then, of a sudden, came a blast that actually shook the earth. Never before in historic time had there been such a shock. The whole top of the old mountain was blown into the sky. The recoil was distinctly felt clear through the terrestrial ball.

This great cataclysm has been cited as an indication of the power of the pentup forces that may some day disrupt the earth itself. Let us examine the underlying principles that must guide us in passing judgment on the correctness of this theory.

An explosive compound is a combustible combined mechanically or chemically either with oxygen or with an oxidizing substance that will burn without the help of atmospheric oxygen.

Among the most powerful high explosives are nitrogelatin and picric acid, each of which has a density more than one and a half times that of water. The products of their combustion are nearly all gaseous, whereas the products of the combustion of ordinary black gunpowder are less than half gaseous. The larger part is the solid matter that makes the smoke.

The energy that a high explosive can exert depends on the volume of the gases liberated and the temperature to which the heat of the explosion can raise them.

The exact temperature of the gases liberated by a high explosive at the instant of detonation is not absolutely known, but may be approximately learned through chemical experiment. Nor is the amount of pressure known with absolute certainty. It is probable, however, that nitroglycerin, nitrogelatin and picric acid, when detonated in a confined space, exert a pressure somewhere between 300,000 and 500,000 pounds to the square inch.

If we assume that the earth crust has a density five times that of water and that its average thickness is fifty miles, then it follows that it exerts a pressure of more than 500,000 pounds to the square inch; if the crust is a hundred miles thick, then the pressure is more than a million pounds to the square inch—a pressure certainly greater than the expansive force exerted by the most powerful high explosive. Plainly, no quantity of high explosive detonated under the crust of the earth would be able to lift it, and consequently we know that no world of the size of the earth can ever explode from its own pentup internal forces.

If, then, no high explosive force is sufficient to blow up a world the size of the earth, how can worlds explode? There is only one way in which the heavenly bodies can become possessed of sufficient energy actually to blow up, and that is by collision.

The stars are flying about in space with velocities that range all the way from five miles a second to 500 miles a second.

If two celestial orbs, traveling each at a velocity of 200 miles a second, met in a head-on collision they would be fused and gasified by the impact, and the heat generated would be sufficient to break up the matter of both into its ultimate elements and to expand it into nebulous haze. This is the way in which science says that new suns, new nebulae and new stars are born.—Hudson Maxim in Youth's Companion.

Sorry He Spoke.

He—I'd like to know what enjoyment you can find in going from store to store looking at things you haven't the least idea of buying. She—I know I can't buy them, but there is a sort of melancholy pleasure in thinking that I could have bought them if I had married George Seads when I had the chance instead of taking you.

Recollection is the only paradise from which we cannot be turned out.—Richter.

SOCCER PLAYERS TO EAT.

There is to be a soccer supper at the Y. M. C. A. this evening for about 25 of the grammar school players. The Harvard soccer captain is to be present and also one of the Fore River players who will tell about the game in England. The boys will have a chance to go in swimming before supper.

MATINEE WHIST.

Eleven tables were in play at the weekly whist party at Protection hall, conducted by Maple Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor. High scores were made by Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, Mrs. A. Boutilier, Mrs. Mary Thomas, D. E. Henry, Mrs. Grace Hollingshead, Mrs. Mary Davidson and Miss Alice Caldwell.

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9 31	a	9 47	12 15	ihgfedcba	12 42 r
10 23	ac	10 40	12 45	Exp	1 01
11 05	Exp	11 22	1 30	ihgfedcba	1 57 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 43	2 15	hgfedcba	2 42 r
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Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.25 A. M. 12.25, 1 35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.20, 11.20 P. M, **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

LEAGUE FORMED FOR PRACTICE

Government Draftsmen Have Fun on the Alleys

A league has been formed for practice purposes by the Government Draftsmen team of the Fore River bowling league and in their first roll off at the Coliseum alleys on Wednesday evening the results were as follows:

	1	2	3	Totals
TEAM NO. 2				
Cantwell	68	73	90	231
Kelley	79	81	83	243
	147	154	173	474
TEAM NO. 3.				
Brickley	69	61	60	190
O'Neill	75	81	85	241
	144	142	145	431
TEAM NO. 1				
Wallace	64	74	76	217
Melendy	80	86	88	254
	147	160	164	471
TEAM NO. 4.				
Summers	88	80	76	244
Green	68	79	76	223
	156	159	152	467

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Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return, leave Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.93 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER

LARGEST **GUARANTEED** CIRCULATION IN THE CITY

Vol. 27 No. 285 QUINCY, MASS., FRIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 6, 1912 PRICE TWO CENTS

WEST QUINCY DOES HONOR TO HER FAVORITE SON DUKE McDEVITT

Banquet Tendered Him By 200 Loyal Supporters Who Loudly Sound His Praise

Favors Tax On Bachelors. Woman Suffrage Bill to the People

John J. McDevitt, senator-elect from this district, who successfully waged one of the liveliest of campaigns, was tendered a banquet and reception at St. Mary's hall, Thursday evening by 200 members of the McDevitt Club.

Ex-councilman Charles J. McGilvray was toastmaster and seated on his right was "Duke" McDevitt, and his father, Edward McDevitt. Mayor Eugene R. Stone was on his left and others seated at the head table were Hon. Michael T. Sullman, representative-elect councilman Harry T. Boyd, Charles C. McCule, Richard Joyce, Timothy J. Collins, Walter H. Cobb, Alfred N. LaBrecque and James E. Burke.

Among those present were councilmen elect Daniel Corcoran of ward four, and Thomas Griffin of ward two, Joseph H. McPherson, school committeeman from ward four, and the following ex-councilmen:— John D. Smith, Edward P. Histon and William A. Carey. All wards were represented and guests were present from Weymouth, Braintree, Randolph, Canton, Milton and Holbrook.

The speakers were Mayor Stone,



SEN. ELECT JOHN J. McDEVITT.

Hon. Michael T. Sullivan, John D. Smith, John J. McDevitt. An entertainment was given by Joseph Ecker of Dorchester who gave three baritone solos, comic recitations by Thomas Connors, fancy dancing by Thomas Joyce and piano selections by John Mahon.

As "Duke" arose to speak he was presented with a large bouquet of roses, chrysanthemums, carnations, asters and ferns from James H. Penniman in recognition of his sincere friendship and also of the fine ward four vote in the city election.

Toastmaster McGilvray in opening the post prandial exercises bade the guests welcome in behalf of the McDevitt club. He said he was proud to honor the first Democratic senator in 20 years and that the gathering was a distinct tribute to the esteem and sterling worth in which the senator-elect is held. He introduced Mayor Stone as the opening speaker.

The mayor, who had been loudly applauded when he entered was again cheered to the echo as he arose to



MAYOR EUGENE R. STONE.
One of the Speakers.

speak. He said it was a pleasure to meet West Quincy people whether they voted for him or not.

He said he met "John" in a small Cape Cod hotel 12 years ago. "It is something to land where he has and it must have taken a persistent effort and I know he is going to give a good account of himself," was one of the mayor's complimentary expressions.

He said he was a Republican, but that he felt certain of the support of Senator McDevitt and Representative-elect Sullivan as he felt that since the Democracy had to win they chose their two best men in this section.

Michael T. Sullivan congratulated the Senator-elect on his victory. He



CHARLES J. McGILVRAY,
Toastmaster.

extended his respects to Mayor Stone and said that he fought hard to win and I was one of those who fought hard to beat him. "I will back him in everything if I believe he is right and Senator McDevitt will be by my side and I by his." He further said that talk regarding a revision of the city charter was current, that it was a delicate thing and needed deep investigation. "If I can be shown the merits of a change," he said,, "I will vote for one, but I do not heartily endorse the sentiment for nine councilmen as I believe in a full ward representation That is my present feeling, but if it can be satisfactorily explained I would favor a change." In closing he said those present loved McDevitt and had gathered to express that sentiment and all know he will make good.

I asked the vote of the people and pledged my support to Foss and I will carry the intention out unless I cannot agree with him. I desire to pay him my respects and know that he will be able to say at the expiration of this term "I have made good."

John D. Smith, the next speaker, in a short speech, congratulated Hon. John J. McDevitt on his victory and charged him to go to Beacon Hill, to represent his ward, his city, his district and his state in a creditable manner and achieve the realization of an

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To Serve Our Public in the Best Way Possible

is the ideal which we have always before us. That we have in some measure succeeded in inspiring confidence in our merchandise, our prices and our methods is shown by the splendid business with which we were favored on the day preceding Thanksgiving. Notwithstanding the unusual demands made upon us we were able to meet the conditions with comparative ease because of our thorough preparations. We fully appreciate your kindness and we will not relax our efforts to serve you acceptably.

Saturday at Our Fruit and Vegetable Department

Our usual comprehensive assortment will enable you to make selections that will please and satisfy. On Saturday last this department was visited by hundreds, plainly showing that our methods of displaying the items offered and of caring for the needs of our patrons are appreciated.

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Baldwin Apples, peck 25c

Grape Fruit, ea. 5c White Cape Turnips, pk. 25c
Sweet Florida Oranges, doz. 23c
Shell Barks, 3 lbs 25c Choice Cal. Prunes, 2 lbs 25c
Choice Evaporated Peaches, lb. 10c
Nabiscos, 3 pkgs 25c Hatchet Spinach, can, 15c
Choice Evaporated Apricots, lb. 15c
Black Raspberries, can, 15c Rival Corn, 2 cans 25c
Kirkman's White Soap, 7 bars 25c
Kirkman's Soap Powder, large size 15c
Campbell's Tomato Soup, 3 cans 25c

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Dec. 6-7

FOUR BRANCHES OF ODD FELLOWS

Figure in Impressive Visitation to Rebekahs

BANQUET AND DEGREE WORK

Four branches of the Odd Fellows figured in the official visitation to the George L. Gill Rebekah lodge at their rooms Thursday evening. The Grand Lodge, Patriarchs Miltant, Grand Encampment and Rebekahs were represented.

The officials were Grand Master, John W. Roberts of Springfield, Grand Representative George L. Roberts of Somerville, Grand Instructor William M. Webber of Boston, from the Grand Lodge.

The Patriarchs Militant were represented by Brigadier General Zenas W. Lewis of Brockton, Commander of Massachusetts and Sam Wood, Jr., of Quincy, Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment, was also present.

The Rebekah officers present were President Mrs. Grace N. Reeves of Somerville; Vice-President Mrs. F. A. Kaulback of Malden; Secretary, Mrs. Sarah A. Barry of Cambridge; Treasurer, Miss May Gaynor of Boston; Inside Guardian, Mrs. Effie Lewis of Brockton; Special Deputy, Miss Rilla M. Downs and suite of Brockton.

The Deputies present from other lodges were Mrs. Annie M. Sawyer of Boston, Miss Grace Mitchell of East Weymouth, Mrs. Theresa Wurst of Jamaica Plain, Mrs. Alice J. Glover of Duxbury and Mrs. Lillian M. Baker of Quincy.

The degree team of the lodge, under the direction of Degree Master George C. Ela exemplified the Rebekah degree on two candidates.

A supper was served at Union hall at 6.30 under the direction of the entertainment committee of the lodge.

Representatives from other lodges were present Brockton, Somerville, Cambridge, Randolph and Weymouth.

ENGLISH TEA OF WOMAN'S GUILD

Proved Drawing Card as Aftermath to Fair

An English Tea party and Christmas sale was held Thursday afternoon and evening by the Woman's Guild of St. Chrysostom's church in the parish rooms which looked very inviting set with tea tables covered with snowy white linen and dainty china with attractive waitresses to serve. Mrs. Alice J. Bainbridge was in charge assisted by the Misses Clean, Mrs. Howard D. Fowler, Mrs. Daniel C. Miller, Mrs. Arthur Stanley, Mrs. George J. Poch, Mrs. William D. Sanford, Mrs. John E. Walter and Miss Gertrude Thorn. The menu of tea, dainty sandwiches and toothsome cake proved most appetizing and throughout the evening coffee was served for the benefit of the men. At the baby booth and household table the articles left over from the fair were marked at prices which quickly sold them. Mrs. Frank E. Cleveland, Mrs. Percy L. Davidson and Mrs. Horace W. Richmond were at the baby booth.

Mrs. William H. Spooner and Mrs. Henry J. Landry sold household and miscellaneous articles.

Mrs. George M. Campbell had the candy table where home-made confections met with a ready sale.

The profits are for the parish house fund, which has been the aim and object of all the different parish societies for some time, in order that the sum of $3,000 which is nearly attained may be reached before January first.

☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

GASOLINE PRICE TO BE PROBED

Board of Trade Committee to Look Into the Matter

OF SLIDING SCALE

Important matters were discussed at the Board of Trade meeting on Wednesday evening and Charles C. Hearn, president announced that he would not be a candidate for re-election.

Mr. Hearn, at the earnest solicitation of his friends, accepted the presidency of the board at the beginning of the year and has devoted his energies toward making the influence of the board felt in the city. His loyal efforts have accomplished a great deal, with the assistance of the members, and it was the sense of the meeting that Mr. Hearn could look back after his retirement on one of the best years the organization has ever experienced.

The committee on railroads were

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AFTER RECOUNTS THICK AND FAST

Ward Two and Three Council Vote Questioned

ALL OF MAYORALTY

Petitions for recounts have begun to be filed with the clerk of the Board of Registrars. The first to be received this morning was from Councilman Harry G. Studley, who asks for a recount of the votes for councilmen in Ward Two. Councilman Studley was defeated for re-election by Councilman Stephen L. Devaney by 20 votes.

Up to noon several petitions had been received for the recount of the Mayoralty vote in several of the wards. Petitions asking for the recount of the vote for Mayor are in circulation in every ward and will be filed before night.

It is also said that a petition will be filed in the interest of Councilman Robert B. Craig, asking for a recount of the votes for Councilmen in Ward Three before night. City Clerk Crane said this morning that the recount would be held Monday, beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning and that it was expected that the recount of the votes for Mayor would be completed by 1 o'clock.

QUINCY W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. met in Protection hall, Thursday afternoon, the president, Mrs. James Matheson, presiding. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were approved and among the business discussed, was the placing of temperance literature in the public library. Books mentioned were "The King and his Castle" and "The Queen's Highway" as especially interesting for children. Mrs. Matheson gave an interesting talk on cigarette smoking. The meeting adjourned until the first Thursday in January.

NOVEL SOCIAL PLANNED.

The annual social of the East Norfolk Christian Endeavor Union will be held in Bethany church, Monday evening, Dec. 9 at 7.45 o'clock. The committee in charge headed by Miss Agnes A. Fisher, chairman, has planned a fine program. The event is not to be the usual cut and dry social but is a "Trip through the Mountains." The committee is planning for 250 people. The contest for the Union banner promises to be keen at this meeting. The Atlantic Memorial society is striving hard to retain it but there are several dark horses among the twelve contestants.

FOY'S LAST WORD ON FAMOUS CIRCULARS BEARING HIS NAME

Did Not Examine Paper Long or Carefully Enough to Discover Offensive Statements

Disown's Reference to Mr. Penniman Who Is Entitled to Highest Respect

Robert E. Roy, who has sprung into such prominence within the past few days as the author of the now famous "Foy Circulars," has just one more word to say on the subject. This he says is the last and ends the controversy so far as he is concerned. He admits signing a paper handed to him by Mr. Miller's son. But his reading of it was so casual he says, that he did not discover the offensive statements, if it really contained them at the time. When he saw the printed circular he objected to it. Mr. Foy disowns the reference to Mr. Penniman, whom he regards as a "worthy gentleman and entitled to the highest respect."

Mr. Foy's letter is as follows:

Editor Daily Ledger:

Kindly allow me space in which to state the material facts regarding the so-called Foy circulars. This will be my last word concerning the disagreeable affair.

When Mr. Miller's son called at my house with the draft of his circular, he inquired how I stood on his father's candidacy and I told him I was in favor of it. Thereupon he handed me the paper and asked me if I would sign it with three other men whom he named, all of them being well-known citizens. I looked casually through the paper, whether for one minute or five I cannot now positively state,—nor is that important,—but not long enough or carefully enough to discover the offensive statements, if it really contained them at that time. I signed the paper and that was the last I heard or saw of it until the printed circular was placed in my hands late Monday afternoon by one of my employees.

I then called on Mr. Miller for explanations, and he told me that the circular had been prepared by his "campaign committee" and the signatures of the other citizens had been stricken off by the printer for the reason that the addresses did not appear.

Now, Mr. Editor, the repudiation circular was mine and bore my signature, as an inspection of the original copy which I sent you from my office and you, of course have in your possession, will show. My purpose in making that repuditation was not to divert public attention from the real issues, as Mr. Miller intimates, but to set myself right with gentlemen to whom I had unintentionally done an injustice.

I wish at this time to disown the reference made to Mr. Penniman, as I always regarded him a worthy gentleman and entitled to the highest respect.

I have given you the real facts, Mr. Editor, and this ends the controversy so far as I am concerned.

Robert E. Foy,
Dec. 5, 13 Eliot St.

DEDICATION MAY BE JULY 4

Of the Squantum Woman's Club Proposed Home

OTHER HAPPENINGS

A regular meeting of the Squantum Women's club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Hagan, Bayside Road.

Much of the time at the present meeting is used in discussing ways and means of obtaining a Club House. The finance committee made a very favorable report and if plans work out all right the club house should be dedicated by July 4th.

After the business meeting adjourned a social hour was enjoyed by those present. Mrs. S. H. Adams played cornet selections accompanied by Mrs. Charles Bostick at the piano. Mrs. William Reed, president, related very interesting true stories.

Among those present were: Mrs. J. R. Nelson, Mrs. Joseph Uppling, Mrs. Rogers Mason, Mrs. James Foster, Mrs. James Hagan, Mrs. Gustav Wunderlich, Mrs. Hiram Morse, Mrs. Arthur Brigham, Mrs. Charles Bostwick, Mrs. William A. Reed, Mrs. Herbert A. Smith, Mrs. Helen McGowan, Mrs. John Holmes, Mrs. John Mardon and Mrs. S. H. Adams.

CHRISTMAS PARTY.

Mrs. James Foster is to give the use of her home for a Christmas party and tree for the children in Squantum. It is to be held under the auspices of the Squantum Women's club and Saturday afternoon December 28th is the date decided on.

A paper is to be placed in the Post Office so the children who want to attend may write their name and address to give some idea on how many to prepare for.

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

One cent postage it is intimated is among the things which the new administration will advocate. Welcome the day.

An armistice is permitted but revictualling the beleagured cities. That may be war, but it is by no means Christian like and a far step backwards in this age. If the negotiations are of long duration many innocent lives may be sacrificed to this rule of war.

Rockefeller jumping a contract claim has been ordered to vacate the premises. The thought of humans coming to live to close to his estate started the oil king. And yet he is a teacher in a Sunday school and his alleged christian sayings are heralded far and wide.

Hickey now that he is in his sober senses is trying the insane dodge. If successful he will be fighting for a pardon in a few years.

After over 100 years duelling has been revived in New York. No blood was spilled however.

A dozen New York papers describing a prize fight, gave as many different versions of the outcome. So much dependence can be placed in this expert opinion by expert writers.

President Taft before the Waterways congress exclaimed, "You can believe me I am going out of office." Which leads one to wonder if all the seekers for office tell the plain unvarnished truth.

Johnson has wed the Cameron girl and a Texan writes if the people of Chicago have forgotten the use of rope. Which is sheer nonsense on the part of some hot head who sees a chance to jump into the lime light. If the deluded creature after the fate of her predecessor and the style of person presented persists in her course she should be permitted to have her own sweet will. Her's will be the measure of woe in short order.

One educator rises to remark that the efficient teacher has not yet arrived which only shows how little he knows on the subject. And if his ability as an educator is no keener than his vision and observation he should be requested to throw up his job.

The London suffragettes have decided to try concentration of thought on the stubborn Mr. Asquith. It is quieter and more desirable from a public point of view than breaking windows and making nuisances of themselves generally.

The Russell case still drags along its weary way. Has any figurer come forward with a table as to the actual cost of this legal battle?

The buble in City Square has entered upon its annual vacation.

Dr. Mary Walker and Jane Addams now have the centre of the stage. They are well qualified to furnish an amusing debate.

Mrs. Longstreet is getting a great deal of sympathy because of the thought that she may lose her post office job. Few people are probably aware that the postmistress is not the old and broken mate of the gallant confederate soldier, but his second better half whom he wedded when she was 22 and he 76.

A railroad wreck with a toll of eight dead gets a quarter of a column in the daily news of the day, but the daily grind of columns about the "All-America" eleven goes on forever.

Congressman Levy has a $30,000 fur coat. It may be a gift from J. P. M. Here is a chance for some one to get at the congressman.

MILITARY DRILL IN SCHOOLS.

Edwin D. Mead of Boston takes the ground that there is no need or justification of military drill in the high schools of Boston or any other educational institution. Some months ago, referring to the subject the Ledger took the same position credited to Mr. Mead. Quincy is one of the few cities of the Commonwealth, which does not include this department in its daily routine. There is no objection to the boys getting all the healthy exercise they can, and it it afforded them by base ball, football, running, athletic meets and the like with which the present day school life is filled. And then Quincy has in advance of many places taken up the industrial department which is of far greater advantage to the boys and girls than any military training can produce for them.

It would be all very well, if the drilling, for the sake of setting the boys up was conducted in as simple a manner as the promoters at first planned, but so rapid have been the strides in this department, that it has outdistanced those who would place a restricting influence upon its results.

In many places the military drill has led to no end of trouble. In the appointment of officers, which is done by the school board, partiality has been charged where undoubtedly none was intended. This has formed a feature of criticism wholly distasteful to the members of the school boards.

The drilling calls for uniforms and equipment, all of which cost money. The uniforms of the officers, with side arms and the like are by no means slight burdens on the part of the parents. Some of the officers are adorned with an amount of gold lace that would make even a Russian commander blush with envy and feel that his country was unappreciative in the matter of adornment permission. The boy, or if there be more than one in the family of parents in moderate circumstances, finds this demand upon them rather a burden, and to the poor boy, however worthy the holding of an officer's commission is prohibited.

In some schools the military fad is carried even beyond the boys. The girls have their companies, battalions and regiments, with military gowns, gold braid adornment and even side arms.

How much of all this fol de rol did the men and women of the present generation have in their school days? How much educational advantage such as is afforded the youth of the present day did many of them enjoy? It is no stretching of the truth to say they had very little.

In some cases if they were permitted to attend school a few months in winter, and then trudge a couple of miles to and from the seat of learning they considered they were accorded special privileges. What a difference between that early day and the present period. The youth of the present day has much to be thankful for in the variety and educational facilities afforded in their school days. Many of the luxuries which they enjoy could easily be curtailed and yet do no injury to the boy and girl and the military drill is one the least essential to the school period happiness.

ANOTHER BOOMERANG.

The Ledger has neither regrets or apologies to offer to any one, for the editorial in Wednesday's issue, headed Boomerang. It established one thing however apparently to the satisfaction of the public in general, and that is the author of the now famous So-called "Foy Circular, No. 1. If there is further need to refer to those famous epistles, to distinguish them they shall be so designated, No. 1 and No. 2, so that there will be no misunderstanding as to which one is meant.

The whole trend and purpose of the editorial above referred to appears to have been lost sight of by some people. That is not strange considering some of the things which led up to it.

The sweetly, gently chastened barb, with feathery touch as light as that of eider down, however penetrated and punctured and aroused tumultuous vehemence in the quarry.

The celebrated Dreyfus case of France was at one time transferred to Devil's island. Comparison with the supposed case at issue leads only to one conclusion. Sherman has stated that war was a well known place of

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traditional abode which dovetails into the location above mentioned.

It is a far cry to compare the former with anything existing locally and to put the latter on the plane of some political movements, is even a far greater stretch of the imagination.

The idea of the Ledger is to foster and stimulate a high and healthy regard and thought for matters pertaining to the prosperity of the City of Quincy. It has had little to do with the personal political squabbles which are annually occurring and will no doubt continue for years to come. Its mission is not to foster the political ambitions of persons or individuals.

The people have had ample opportunity to judge of the Ledger's fairness in the municipal campaign. The independent stand taken was commended on all sides. In the state and national contest, all the candidates were accorded the same consideration and courtesy. At the close of that latter campaign, candidates of all the parties either called in person, or wrote to the Ledger thanking and commending for the fair spirit manifested.

DOCK SITE TO BE CONSIDERED

Question of a Dock Not Under Consideration

The hearing before the special Council and citizens committee next Thursday evening to select a site for a public dock in Quincy should bring out a good attendance of citizens. The question is not if a public dock is advisable but the question of a site for the dock is to be discussed.

Vacations In German Banks.

As an inducement for its clerks to take their vacations in the winter instead of during the usual vacation season the Imperial Bank of Germany is offering its clerks extra time off if they take their outings between Sept. 15 and May 1. The bank finds it necessary to employ hundreds of extra clerks in the summer months to take the places of those who are on vacation and believes that if the outings are spread over the whole year business will be less handicapped.—Argonaut



NOTICE!

We published a notice December 3 announcing that we would give away a Souvenir Coin Free to those calling for one of our Christmas Jewelry Catalogues, Friday, December 6.

We find that we are unable according to law, to have U. S. Coins, Gold Plated, and should therefore not wish to give them away as souvenirs.

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WATERFRONT DEVELOPMENT

Had a Bright Future According to Mayor Stone

AT TEACHERS' SESSION

A large number was present at the regular meeting of the Parents and Teachers association of the Massachusetts Fields school, Thursday evening, to hear the address of Mayor Eugene R. Stone. He declared that he believed the city of Quincy to be the greatest in the world and the people in it the best. He looked for a bright future in the development of its waterfront and was proud of its fine schools.

At the present time Quincy had but one wooden school building. While school buildings were a great expense it was money well spent.

He urged the buying of playgrounds for the development of the children. There should be a playground in each district. He was sorry the city was not able to buy the land near the Massachusetts Fields for which the association had petitioned. He hoped it might be done in the near future.

The city should provide plenty of land in locating new school buildings. There was a grand opportunity for the district to grow around the new Adams school. He was glad to see the city had seen fit to provide assembly halls in the new school buildings. In the future no school would be built without one.

He urged the co-operation of the parents and teachers and declared the associations throughout the city were doing a grand work.

Vocal solos by Mrs. S. J. Ripley and piano solos by Miss Gertrude Allen were enjoyed. Mrs. A. H. Rogers was the accompanist. David H. Goodspeed reported for the art committee and stated that a candy sale had recently been held with the proceeds of which a large picture of Washington was to be purchased.

THE HENLEY.

The Henley turned over to the Government Thursday was launched at the Fore River April 3, 1912 her sponsor being Miss Constance Henley Kane a neice of Lieut. Col. Theodore Porter Kane, U. S. M. C. at the Charlestown navy yard. The Henley was required to make a speed of 29 1-2 knots but on her trial trips she made a speed of 30.4. During her trial trips she had some trouble with one of her turbines and she had to return to Quincy where the turbine had to be opened to locate the trouble.

She is equipped with reciprocating engines for slow speed and turbine engines for high speed, and when the turbine was opened it was found that a small brass bolt had got into the buckets. Since that time she has been repaired and in her trial trips she exceeded the contract requirements in every particular.

The ceremony of turning her over to the government is simply a formal one. Arriving at the Charlestown navy yard she was turned over to the Commandant who gave his receipt for the vessel, and the ceremony was over.

After leaving the Fore River yard Thursday she was given a run to Cape Ann. Thence to a point off Provincetown and back to the Charlestown navy yard. During this ran she maintained an average speed of 30 knots although her contract only calls for 29 1-2 knots. On one of her summer trips she developed a speed of 31 1-2 knots.

The Henley is 293 feet long, 24 1-2 feet beam and of 750 tons. It was late in the afternoon when she was delivered to the commandment at the navy yard. She will go into commission today at 3 o'clock.

YOU need the Ledger every day.

WILLIAMS INCREASES LEAD

Heptasophs and the L. L. O. L. Getting Busy

SAM PROUT MOVES UP

The publication of the itinerary for the Washington trip has caused greater activity in the Daily Ledger contest, and several of the candidates have moved up in the list. Fred D. Williams, however, has increased his lead and Sturgis Hunt has made his usual large gain. A. MacKay, the Heptasoph bowler, caused the surprise of the day by jumping from No. 22 to No. 4, while Annie Lamont moved up from No. 13 to No. 6. Sam Prout, who made a flying start and was leader the first day, evidently has some reserve votes for he has moved up today from No. 20 to No. 10. Others make gains and there are new candidates. Hereafter the polls will close daily at 9 A. M.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Candidates should remember the offer of of the Vote Editor to give a certificate good for 100 votes to candidate who stands first in the contest at 9 A. M., Monday, Dec. 9.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk,	2535
Fred J. Kessler, Montclair	2015
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	1320
A. MacKay, Heptasophs	210
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	170
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	160
Sam Shellman, Granite street	105
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	100
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	85
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
William Pratt, Fore River	80
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Galen Bowditch, messenger	70
Katherine C. Walsh, telephone	65
Jennie Beer, O. D. St. George	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Ethel Randall, stenographer	55
Richard Larkin, High school	55
William Kelley, conductor	50
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	45
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	45
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	45
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
W. C. Luther, Fore River	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	40
M. S. Nicholl, Makaria Fraternity	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
William Erickson, F. of A.	35
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	30
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	30
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	30
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	20
Carl W. Leaf, Water street	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	20
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	20
John Mahon, organist	20
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	20
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	20
Walter Mead, High school	20
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	20
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	20
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	20
John T. Cain, K. of C.	20
E. Alstein, draftsman	20
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	20
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	20
John Evans, Progressive	20
Joseph Barber, Quincy High	15
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	15
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	15
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	15

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BOARD OF TRDAE

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authorized to apply for such additional service as they could secure and inquire relative to a set of plans for the abolition of grade crossings which were supposed to have been made a year ago.

On motion of Peter T. Fallon it was voted to have Secretary John O. Hall confer with Mayor Stone and the County Commissioners in relation to presenting a bill to the legislature calling for the construction of a bridge over Neponset river at Granits bridge, connecting Norfolk and Suffolk counties.

It was the sense of the speaker that about the time the bridge would be built the proposed Meeting House hill subway extension will be completed and there will be an opportunity to construct the so-called missing link in railroad extension between East Milton and Dorchester.

It was voted to have the officers, and as many other members as may see fit attend the public hearing given by the city council on Dec. 9, relative to the proposed bath house at Wollaston beach.

A nominating committee was appointed as follows: A. L. Whiton, John R. Richards, A. Milne, Jr., J. W. Pratt, Peter T. Fallon.

A committee consisting of William T. Shea, Walter E. Pinel and John R. Richards were appointed to investigate the alleged discrimination in the price of gasoline. It was stated that some were able to purchase at a less price by contracting with the oil companies, but that everyone who was a consumer could not secure a contract.

It was brought out in the talk that followed that some people paid only 10 1-2 cents while the average consumer was paying 16 cents per gallon. The committee was requested to make the report as soon as possible.

At the present time the Texas, Gulf and Standard companies are selling gasoline in Quincy, and it was the opinion of Ex-mayor Shea that an effort to secure a general reduction in price would result to an increase to those who are now probably favored.

At the request of the Ward Four Improvement Association, Peter T. Fallon introduced under new business a resolution calling for but one fare from Quincy Centre to Milton village. A lively discussion followed and it was passed. It was also voted to advise the officials of the road of this action and allow Superintendents Conway and Gammon to appear before the board in reference to the matter.

LUMBERMEN HAMPERED

Unfavorable Conditions and Lack of Men in Maine Woods

Banger, Me., Dec. 6.—Unfavorable conditions in the woods and a scarcity of men for the lumber camps are seriously hampering lumbermen in getting out the winter's cut of timber in northern Maine.

The snow came so early that the ground was not frozen and for this reason many of the wood roads are reported to be almost impassable. In some places where plans had been made to operate on low lands or in swampy country, lumbermen report they have been obliged to abandon the work entirely.

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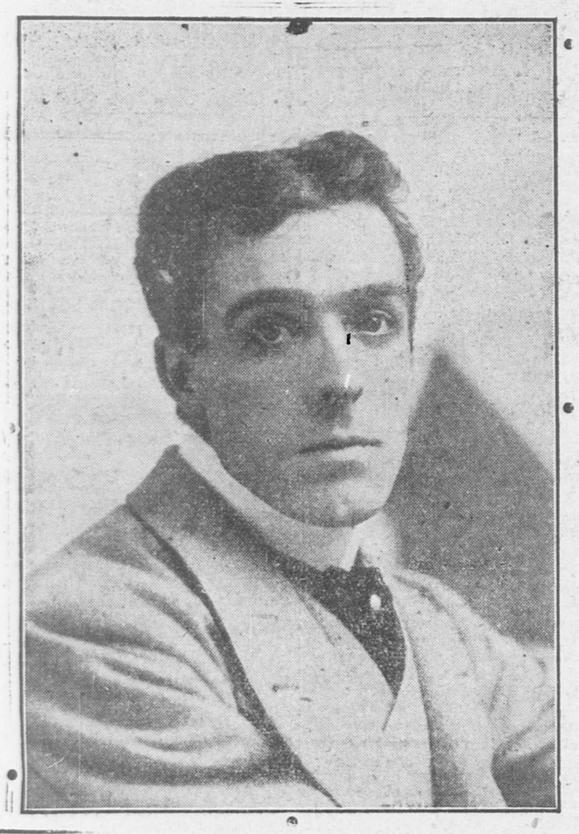
AMUSEMENTS

DOINGS ON THE STAGE IN

BOSTON AND VICINITY

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

William Faversham's spectacular production of Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar," with an all star cast, is announced as the the attraction at Majestic Theatre for two weeks, beginning December 9. Not during the present generation has there been gathered together such a remarkable permanent organization for the presentation of any Shakesperian or classical offering. Mr. Faversham is universally recognized as the foremost actor manager upon the American



WILLIAM FAVERSHAM.
At the Majestic Theatre.

stage, and his sterling impersonations in "The Squaw Man," "Herod," "The World and his Wife," and "The Faun" have won for him a wide and loyal following. His production of "Julius Caesar," in which he plays Antony, is the first of a series of Shakespearian presentations planned by Mr. Faversham. The Brutus of the cast is Tyron Power, whose memorable interpretations in "The Servant in the House," in which he created the part of the Drainman, in "Mary of Magdala," and in "Thais," stamped him as one of the most powerful actors upon the American stage. Frank Keenan, whose inimitable Sheriff in "The Girl of the Golden West" and Gen. Warren in "The Warrens of Virginia" brought him lasting fame is Cassius, a role which suits his talents superbly. Fuller Mellish, one of the most versatile actors upon the English speaking stage, who won immense plaudits by his acting in the all-star revival of "Oliver Twist" last season, acts Caesar. Julie Opp, who in private life is Mrs. Faversham, and who has created in the leading female roles in all her husband's recent successes, appears as Portia in "Julius Caesar."

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" will bring her message of cheer and sunshine to the citizens of Boston, where she will be seen at the Hollis Street Theatre, Dec. 9 for a two weeks engagement with matinees, Wednesday and Saturday. The dramatization of the book, which had perhaps the greatest sale of the last decade, for everyone loves Rebecca and wants to know all about her, was made by Kate Douglas Wiggin, author of the book, and Charlotte Thompson, who has several stage successes to her credit. The plot revolves around Rebecca's life at the home of the Sawyer aunts, Miranda and Jane, who take the girl because there are so many children at her home (her mother is a sister of the delectable old maids) who are horrified at the pranks and life of the young girl who has come into their home. But Rebecca's loving and lovable nature asserts its power even over the hardened characters of her kinswomen, and when the last curtain falls she has not only conquered their liking but has made herself the center of the world for them. The incident of the soap selling, in which Rebecca was aided and abetted by her chum, Emma Jane Perkins, and the object of which was to buy a piano lamp for the destitute Simpson family, when bread and bacon and baked beans would have been infinitely more appropriate, brings the element of love into Rebecca's life and with the close of the play comes the intimation of wedding bells for her and "Mr. Alddin."

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" is headed by winsome Edith Taliaferro and she is surrounded by the original cast. This will be the farewell visit of "Rebecca" to Boston; the thousands who have seen this delightful play will want to see it again and for those who have never witnessed the performance this will be the last opportunity.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE.

Perhaps the most notable capture made by Mr. B. F. Keith for his vaudeville circuit this season was the engagement of Lulu Glaser, the famous legitimate comedienne and musical comedy star for his theatres. Miss Glaser comes to B. F. Keith's Theatre this week in a one-act playlet with music written especially for her and entitled "First Love." For years Miss Glasor has delighted audiences all over America, as the star of such big hits as "Sweet Ann Page;" "Dolly Varden;" "Mlle. Mischief;" "The Girl and The Kaiser;" "Little Miss Madcap;" and "Miss Dudelsack." In "First Love" Miss Glaser is supported by Thomas D. Richards and Lester Browne. "First Love" is the work of Raymond W. Peck, Melville Alexander, and Anatol Friedland. This trio have supplied Miss Glaser with one of the best vehicles she has ever had, and all who go to Keith's to see this popular comedienne can rest assured of an entertaining twenty minutes. Miss Glaser will be but one star feature of a great show. Maude Lambert and Ernest Ball, the prima donna and song writer, will introduce a number of their latest successes; while Joe Jackson, the European vagabond who is without question the funniest pantomimist ever brought to this country, will be on hand with some new foolishness. The Three Lyres is a clever troupe of musical comedians; Wilfred Clarke & Co., will present an uproariously funny farce comedy; Ward and Weber are two clever dancers and singers; the Three Josetty's are Eureopean acrobats with something new and novel.

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE.

Owing to the sensational success which attended Mary Garden's first American appearance in the title part in Puccini's "La Tosca" she will repeat the performance on the evening of Wednesday, Dec. 11, at the Boston Opera House. No other American operatic singer has achieved as many notable impersonations as has Miss Garden, and with memories of her Louise, her Thais and her Melisande, —characterizations so totally different that they had but one quality in common,—her illuminating art—the Boston critics were moved to say that never be fore had she reached the heights revealed in her Tosca. Her art met a supreme test when she first sang the part at the Opera Comique in Paris last September, for the Parisians surely were familiar with every acting phase of the character, for it has long been a favorite in the Bernhardt repertory. In addition prima donna after prima donna had sung it in its operatic form and at last it would have seemed that the possibilities for originality and creation were remote. It remained for Miss Garden, to introduce much that was new and wonderfully effective and to the surprise of many she virtually created a new Tosca. Even those who had been backward in praising her in the past had to admit at last that no one beside Mme. Bernhardt had ever built up the tremendous climaxes reached by Miss Garden in that gripping third act.

And as they were forced at last to admit her wondrous histrionic ability, so were her reviewers compelled to say that she could sing. Never before has the same degree of feeling been imparted to the "Vissi d'Arte" aria as when Miss Garden sang it on Monday and never since she has been singing in this country has she been in such excellent voice as she is this season.

So great was the enthusiasm of the audience after the second act, the artists were called before the curtain no less than a dozen times. Histrionically and vocally Mr. Marcoux's Scarpia was a fit companion figure for the Tosca of the evening. His acting was superbly realistic and yet always within the character.

The week will open with "La Boheme" in which Lucrezia will sing for the third time here a role for which she is ideally suited vocally and physically.

Saturday afternoon Mme Dereyne will essay the part of Cio-Cio San in "Madama Butterfly" for the first time and John McCormack will make his initial appearance for the season as Lieut. Pinkerton. Miss Swartz will be the Suzuki and Giovanni Polese, the Sharpless.

At the evening performance the 14th when popular prices will prevail. Evelyn Scotney, the young soprano whose wonderful range and glorious voice created a furore last year, will be heard in "Lucia di Lammermoor." Rodolfo Fornari will be the Enrico and Umberto Sacchetti the Edgardo.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

At the Castle Square next week John Craig is reviving the famous old classic drama, "Damon and Pythias." Since it was produced in London by the great English actor Macready it has been a favorite with many famous players, but it has not been seen in Boston for about twenty years. Its plot tells of the great friendship between two men of Syracuse in ancient times Pythias consented to be imprisoned in Damon's stead while the latter went to say farewell to his wife after being condemned to death by the tyrant Diomysius. Pythias himself to be executed should Damon not return by the exact hour set. What happens the play discloses, and it is safe to say that it is filled with a series of stirring situations, and that it continues the curiosity of the audience to the very end.

In his production of "Damon and Pythias," Mr. Craig will provide effective scenery and an efficient cast. He himself will appear as Damon, while Pythias will be played by Wilson Melrose, and Celanthe by Mary Young. Great interest has been aroused in this revival among the Knights of Pythias all over New England, and large parties of them will be present at each performance.

For his annual Christmas holiday musical production, Mr. Craig has selected "The Gingerbread Man," a piece that is sure to amuse theatregoers of all ages. Its music is tuneful and catchy, its characters are Santa Claus, Simple Simon, Margery Daw and other favorites, and its dialogue is bright and witty. It will be given for the first time at the Castle Square on Monday December 22rd.

HEARKEN TO THIS YOU NOISY KIDS

Woman Cannot Read Her Paper Because of Your Racket

Editor Quincy Ledger:

I would like to ask through your columns what can be done to put a stop to noisy children congregating under the arc lights, nights, and making such a noise, that people cannot read their papers. Sometimes as many as twenty, (who do not live here at all), collect under the light near my home and are in for a regular racket. If you tell them to go where they live, they only laugh at you. Where are the mothers of these children? Why don't they keep them in front of their own houses?

One who is bothered.

—Why criticise the charges for second class mail matter when the rubbish sent out during the last fiscal year under the franking privilege, by politicians, would have yielded the government $20,000,000 if proper postage had been paid? Here is a real abuse that should be remedied without delay.—Banker and Tradesman.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

The Evening Guild of the Episcopal church will run a cake and Christmas article sale on Tuesday afternoon, in charge of Mrs. John Kendrick.

Judge and Mrs. Haddon of Cleveland, Ohio, were the guests of his daughter, Mrs. Percy Sheldon over Thanksgiving.

What was supposed to have been a fire in the Snow bungalow on Plymouth street on Sunday afternoon proved to be a plaster drier freely smoking.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sheldon have returned from New York where they spent a month.

Miss E. Frazier will hold a dancing party at Ellsworth hall on Thursday.

In observance of Thanksgiving Day, the Thursday Evening Club rooms were closed.

James Lord of Mechanic street, one of the oldest East Milton residents, is not improving from his present illness.

The Thursday Evening club will hold a whist party in their rooms in Ellsworth Block on December 12.

The Cunningham Gym basket ball team plays the Boston Y. M. C. A. at the gym on Saturday evening.

Quarterbackk Bishop who so valiantly fought for a Cunningham victory against the Quincy A. A. on November 31, left a sick bed, against the wish of his parents to play and was confined to his bed with a serious illness up to Wednesday. The gym rooters are loud in their praises for their 17 year old quarterback.

Captain Everett Stanley of the Milton high school quintet called for candidates and held first practice on Wednesday. The lineup will be practically the same as last year. Carson and O'Hearn are booked for forwards, Leary for centre and Carter and Stanley as backs. Fifteen men reported to the captain. Headmaster Curtis has arranged games with Quincy, Reading, Thayer Academy, Weymouth and Newton. The first game will be on Jan. 2 with Thayer Academy.

A minstrel show will be staged by the gym football team in the near future. Daniel Sullivan, left end on the team was an actor in the preparations of photo play, having appeared in Indian films for the Nestor, Vitagraph, Biograph and Bison Co's.

The feeling that two veterans who were discharged from the town work some time ago should be protected by the pension act and which resulted in the circulation of a petition for a special town meeting to take action on the matter exploded when the board of selectmen refused to call the meeting on the grounds that the men have been on the payroll during the past five years and that they were practically incapacitated all that period.

Commencing December 11, there will be dancing every two weeks in the Cunningham gym. A man and woman will be the committee in charge, and will be chosen by a post card canvas.

There is a great opposition in Milton against three flat apartments and a movement has been started to amend the building laws so that it will be too expensive to erect them.

Gerald Poole has been re-elected captain of the Milton High school football team. Sweaters will be awarded to those who have not already been given one and the school letter will be awarded to Margeson, Gustafson, Poole, Cross, Chandler, Babcock, Thayer, McQuirk, Carter, O'Hearn, Adams, Carson, Leary.

The date of the Freshman-Sophomore reception has not been disclosed but it is rumored that a play will be presented by the members of the class at the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Barry who lived on Adams street have moved to Montclair where they will reside.

Daniel Leary has been appointed foreman of the Metropolitan Park district.

SQUANTUM ACTIVITIES

Work is being pushed on the attractive new bungalow of John R. Nelson, Bellevue Road.

Mrs. Louise Holt of New York is visiting relatives in Squantum.

The many friends of Mrs. Perley Bostwick, Brunswick street will be pleased to know that she is improving from her recent illness.

Cards have been received from Miss Annie Morrill who with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Morrill are spending the holidays in New York.

SLIGHT MIX IN FIGURES.

Through a misunderstanding it was reported Thursday that the value of the Finnish Congregational church was $28,000, instead of $8,000.

CHRIST CHURCH WOMAN'S GUILD

Open Fair With Supper and Entertainment

The annual fair of the Women's Giuld of the Christ church opened Wednesday afternoon and continued in the evening, and was repeated Thursday afternoon and evening.

The chapel was decorated with Christmas red and green. Large poinsettias were placed about the chapel and evergreen and red berries were caught up in the decorations. There was a large attendance of children Thursday.

The entertainment Wednesday afternoon consisted of a drill by the Soldier Boys, Graham Jones and William Turtle. Miss Agnes McCarthy recited poems and Miss Ruth Jones gave a pretty dance.

Joan of Arc, a short play, was given by Miss Amy Torrey, Miss Anna McLeon and Miss Esther Philips. Miss Mary Turtle and Miss Esther Gordon were Falling Leaves and entertained for a brief period.

A drill, Yachting Girls, was well carried out by Miss Ruth Jones, Miss Anna McLeon and Miss Margaret Hogan. Miss Anna McLeon gave the Fourth of July dance and an Indian War Dance was given by Miss Amy Torrey and Miss Dorothy Parker. A drill by the Decoration Day girls was by Miss Ruth Jones and Miss Ruth Philips

The evening was divided up into four seasons and Miss Louise Moyle, reader; Miss A. Walker, soloist; Miss Ruth Jones as General Rain and Miss Esther Phillips as Garden Flowers, took part.

The Thanksgiving Snow Flakes were Miss Abbie Curtis, Miss Jessie Turtle and Miss Dorothy Smith. Christmas was represented by Miss Mary Turtle and Miss Amy Torrey, Miss Anna McLeon and Miss Violet Smith again appeared in the Shakesperian half hour.

Edwin Poffley gave readings and a short skit, entitled "Rom-he-owed and Jule-she-ate," was given by Robert King and S. Prout. A violin solo was rendered by J. Chaplain.

In the historical half hour there was a recitation by Miss Agnes McCarthy, a solo by R. W. Barnaby and a soldiers drill by Graham Jones and William Turtle. Joan of Arc was repeated, and war songs were sung by J. Chaplain. A reading by Mr. Poffley closed this portion of the bill.

In the Harlequin half hour there was a reading by Miss Cora Barnicoat, and Miss Moyle, a monologue by Wheland Barnaby and a short sketch by S. Prout.

A supper was served by the following committee: Mrs. William Torrey, Mrs. Effie Tutton, Mrs. George Pawsey, Mrs. William Sylvester and Mrs. C. M. Chase.

The tables and committees were as follows:

Picture Gallery—Mr. Archibald Mcleod, chairman, and the Laymen's Club.

Household Table—Mrs. Emery, chairman: Mrs. Oxford, Mrs. Macleod, Mrs. McConnell, Mrs. Deacon, Mrs. Higgins.

Fancy Table—Mrs. Brewer, chairman; Mrs. H. E. Ricker, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Howes, Mrs. G. H. Brown, Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mrs. Pattee, Mrs. C. T. Hardwick, Mrs. Tylee, Mrs. Fox, Miss Putnam, Miss Wilde, Mrs. Otho Hayward, Mrs. Herbert Lawton, Mrs. Rountree, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Frederick Barnicoat, Mrs. F. Wrigley.

Stocks and Belts—Mrs. W. L. Thomas, chairman; Mrs. Crowley, Mrs. Sylvester, Mrs. Bolster, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Newcomb, Mrs. Jas. Malcolm, Miss Jennie Doble.

Junior Baskets—Miss Ruth Jones, chairman and the Junior Auxiliary.

Handkerchiefs—Mrs. S. C. Hardwick, Chairman; Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Elmer Ricker, Mrs. Ela, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Carl Derby, Mrs. Robert Hardwick.

Reapers table—Mrs. F. W. Austin, chairman; Mrs. C. H. Wilson, Mrs. Hector, Mrs. Jenness, Miss Pollock, Miss Brown, Miss Dunbar and Miss Cannon.

Children's table—Mrs. C. L. Griswold, chairman, Miss Thompson, Mrs. Sylvester, Miss Thomas and Mrs. Haslett.

Candy—Mrs. W. E. Burke, chairman; Mrs. Breslyn, Mrs. Tylee, Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Lund.

Tea Room and Ice Cream Parlor—Mrs. W. F. Torrey, chairman; Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Tutton, Mrs. Chase, Mrs. Sylvester, Mrs. Hewson, Mrs. Crowley, Mrs. Pawsey, Mrs. MacLeod, Miss Margaret Torrey and the Misses Torrey.

Pop Corn corner—Miss Cora Barnicoat, chairman, assisted by the members of the St. Margaret's Guild.

The fair was in charge of Mrs. C. L. Griswold, Mrs. Agnes Emery, Mrs. Francis Brewer, Mrs. W. L. Thomas, Mrs. S. C. Hardwick, Mrs. W. E. Burke and Miss Cora Barnicoat.



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HONOR McDEVITT

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ambition which many have but never realize.

Senator-elect McDevitt was next introduced. The applause was deafening and did not subside for some little time. It broke out again as he was presented with Mr. Penniman's bouquet. He was able to quiet his supporters and said that it could always



COUNCILMAN HARRY T. BOYD,
A Guest.

be said of West Quincy that it was loyal to its sons. He compared himself to the bouquet saying that without the nourishments it could not have grown and without the votes he could not have won.

The senator said "As long as our hearts are true and we mean to do right, whether our opponents differ in political faith of our politics change we should always be friends. I was behind Mr. Penniman and tried to help him win. Mayor Stone however was the fortunate one. Last year he was handicapped by a political combine and I hope he makes good this year. I do not say he did not make good last year, but it was a hard year, and I hope the ward four councilmen will back him up to the very end if he



THOMAS GRIFFIN,
Councilmen Elect.

is right and give him a chance to make good. If there are any measures Mayor Stone wants me to introduce, whether I agree with their support or not, I will do as he requests and then fight for them if they are to benefit the city.

I want to thank my friends all over the district and assure them I am going to make good. I have travelled through 36 states in and in Southern Canada and have seen legislation work out. I have picked up pointers which would be of benefit to the Old Bay State. I favor a state highway over Granite Bridge, a five cent fare from Milton to Quincy Square and I believe that railroads should give an adequate returns for what is granted them in privileges. If some of the western members do not give me material assistance in honest measures they will lose their last train many nights.

On two measures I will now commit myself, that is to tax bachelors and let the woman suffrage bill go to the people. I favor attaching the referendum to all bills. I am interested in West Quincy and want to see it progress. We come from the greatest ward in the state and while on Beacon Hill I am ready to see you and my house is always open to you and your friends. If I can do you a favor, whether you voted for me or not, and if it is in reason, don't hesitate to ask me. Give me your bills and I will present them. While everyone can make friends, my wish is to hold them and I am only too glad to do a favor, even if I have to make enemies in doing it.

The festivities were shortly afterwards brought to a close.

WANT DAMAGES OF $25,000

For Injuries Caused by August Railway Wreck

MRS. KILRAIN ENTERED SUIT

Mrs. Elizabeth F. Kilrain mother of Mrs. John T. Reynolds of Furnace Brook parkway has entered suit against the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad for personal injuries received in the accident to the Granite branch train near the Crescent avenue station Aug. 8. Mrs. Kilrain who had been on a visit to her daughter, took the train from West Quincy for home. The train jumped the rail near the Crescent avenue station and eight persons lost their lives and many were severely injured. Several of the fatalities were to residents of Quincy.

In her suit Mrs. Kilrain alleges that her injuries were such that she has been permanently incapacitated from earning her living, and that she has suffered great mental anguish. She also states that she lost valuable jewelry, clothing and money by the wreck, for which she seeks to recover as well as for her injuries.

John J. Kilrain husband also filed a suit for "consequential" damages in the sum of $25,000.

DISTRICT COURT.

Edward Curley was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Jack Lee was arraigned for alleged violation of the liquor law at Holbrook. Case continued under $200 bonds until Dec. 13.

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John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—Capt. Fosdick's.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Generally fair and colder on Saturday. Sunday fair with seasonable temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.00
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.12
Moon sets	6.06
High water, A. M.	10.00
High water, P. M.	10.45

Days decrease 6 hours 5 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	62 degrees
Dec. 6, 1911,	46 degrees
Dec. 6, 1910,	21 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

The City Council committee on Finance meets this evening.

The rain predicted for late Thursday came all right although it was after midnight before it started.

The quarterly convention of the Norfolk County G. A. R. association was held Thursday at East Weymouth Several from Quincy are attending.

Stockholders and friends are invited to visit the shoe factory of the H. M. Hansen Co., Baxter street, Sunday afternoon between 12 and 4. A special car will be run from Brockton. A committee of three hope to interest more Quincy people in this new enterprise.

The opening attraction of the Quincy Lyceum course Monday evening is to be an exposition of worship music by the famous Temple Singers, assisted by Mrs. Bertha Cushing Child. The concert will be varied including both operetic and worship music, with the usual pleasing contributions by Mrs. Child as a finishing touch.

THREE DAY'S SALE.

A three days sale was opened Thursday by the Ladies Aid society of the Wollaston Methodist church in the store of A. E. Walker, Beale street and Newport avenue. The store was prettily decorated and a large array of useful and fancy articles were on sale. Included in the display were many donations from Boston and local dealers. Mrs. George Crothers is president of the society.

MAKARIAS ELECT OFFICERS.

Makaria Fraternity elected the following officers on Tuesday evening: President, Albert G. Coffin, Jr., vice-president, Walter Piper, Jr., treasurer, Charles W. Ganzel; financial secretary Edward Jenkins; recording secretary, Harold Richards; baseball manager, George McKenzie and basketball manager Mathew Nichol.

HEARD BRAINTREE ALARM.

The alarm from Box 147 Braintree at 5.42 Thursday night was so plainly heard in Quincy that many thought the fire to be in Quincy. The fire was in a house occupied by an Italian family in Braintree.

WOMEN AND GIRLS.

The regular meeting of the Teachers and Parents Association of the Wollaston school will be held in the assembly hall of the school, Monday evening. Mrs. Susan W. Fitzgerald, will deliver the addres on "what woman can do for the schools and what the schools can do for the Girls."

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ASSURANCE OF AMPLE BACKING

Trip to North Pole Planned by New England Aero Club

ITS SUCCESS IS PREDICTED

Suggestion Made Half In Joke Meets With Instant Favor—Experimental Camp on Maine Coast In Readiness For Departure Early Next Spring—How Journey Will Be Made

Boston, Dec. 6.—An aeroplane expedition will be sent across the North Pole and into northern Siberia, if plans now under way are successful.

Alexander V. Wilson, one of the pioneer aeroplane builders in the country, discussed plans for the trip yesterday with Captain Bartlett, Peary's polar companion, and with members of the New England Aero club. It is declared financial backing is assured and the project will be carried out.

Within a few weeks it is planned to start a long series of experiments in Bar Harbor and up the Maine coast, for the purpose of choosing the best types of aeroplane, engine and equipment.

The idea was first conceived at the dinner of the Aero Club of New England last Saturday, at which Bartlett was the speaker. The suggestion was made half in a joke during the discussion from the floor.

It is planned to take two types of machine along, one light and speedy, for scouting purposes, and the other type heavy, for the transportation of supplies and men. A vessel will take the party and the aeroplanes north as far as possible and go into winter quarters at approximately the same place as the Roosevelt's quarters in Peary's expedition. In forcing the boat north through the ice floes the small scout aeroplane will be valuable in discovering open water and navigable passage through the ice.

In the early spring the aeroplane party will start out. First the scout will push ahead for fifty miles or so, return to the ship and report on weather and landing conditions. Then the first heavy aeroplane will carry its load to the point reached by the scout, unload and make a camp.

The other machines will follow in order, while the scout and the first transportation machine are already on their way to the next stopping place. With normal weather conditions it should be possible, Wilson believes, to cover several hundred miles a day.

During this time another expedition will be traveling to a designated point in the far north of Siberia, and will camp there to await the aeroplane squadron. If any unforeseen circumstances arise, it will be possible for the flying squadron to turn back after it reaches the pole and reach the ship in a few days.

An aeroplane, it is pointed out, can surmount in a few hours an obstacle, such as a mountain range or a stretch of open water, which might block a sledding party for weeks. Under the best conditions, it can cover 400 miles in a day.

"I have no doubt whatever that the plan will succeed," said Bartlett. "The weather conditions are ideal for aeroplaning. There are none of the sudden squalls which are so much feared by aviators, and during the summer cold is not too severe. The only question is that of raising the money."

PAIGE HEADS CREDITORS

Slipper Company of Which Hosford Is Treasurer Is In Bankruptcy

Boston, Dec. 6.—The Donovan Slipper company of Everett was petitioned into bankruptcy in the United States district court by creditors, headed by Frank E. Paige, who caused the treasurer of the company, Edward H. Hosford, to be arrested recently on a charge of larceny of $25,000.

Paige bases his claim against the company on the money he says he loaned the treasurer. Associated with Paige in the bankruptcy proceedings are Lucius Beebe & Sons of Boston and Blank Bros. of Everett.

WAS A WONDERFUL MAN

Mickey Smith Lived 116 Years and Enjoyed His Long Life

Dublin, Dec. 6.—Anatomists are interested in the case of Mickey Smith, who died in the poorhouse at Dunshaughlin at the age of 116 years.

Mickey knew nothing of hygiene or eugenics. He smoked constantly, drank heavily and was three times married, surviving all his wives. He slept much in the open and was not incapacitated for work until three years ago.

Infant Loaded Down With Names

Vienna, Dec. 6.—The infant son of Archduke Charles Francis Joseph was given seventeen names, beginning with Charles Francis Joseph Otto. His father is next heir to the throne after Franz Ferdinand.

MRS. DANIEL E. SICKLES

Civil War Veteran's Wife Liquidates His Heavy Debts



SETTLES NOTE FOR $2500

Mrs. Sickles Comes to General's Rescue and Stops Sheriff's Sale

New York, Dec. 6.—What friends say is probably the last chapter in the story of the marital troubles of General Daniel E. Sickels and his wife, was written when Mrs. Sickles liquidated a promissory note for $5200, thereby preventing the sale of the general's war relics in his home, 23 Fifth avenue.

John Delehanty, representing the Bank of the Metropolis, which held the note, sent word to Sheriff Harburger that Mrs. Sickles had settled the claim. The sheriff's sale had been called to satisfy the note.

OLD CURIOSITY SHOP IN STEER'S STOMACH

Butcher Receives a Surprise While Dressing the Animal

Moorehead, W. Va., Dec. 6.—William A. Allen of this city was dressing a steer and when he opened the stomach of the animal he was surprised to see a small vial containing a substance that had once been pills, but had been dissolved by the heat.

In rapid order the amazed butcher brought to light two keys, a penny, a collar button, an iron washer, an empty cartridge, sixteen nails, a broken piece from a set of false teeth, a penknife, two small stones, three marbles, a piece of comb, a small iron image of a bird, an iron nipple, a spoon, two screws and other pieces of scrap iron.

KEPT GUARD OVER VAULTS

Witness Says He Was Ignorant of Explosives In Union Headquarters

Indianapolis, Dec. 6.—Scenes about the ironworkers' national headquarters when John J. McNamara was arrested six months after the Los Angeles Times explosion were described by Henry W. Legleitner, a defendant, at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial.

Legleitner said he and other members of the union's executive board were in session when the detectives entered. On instructions from President Ryan, he went to guard some vaults, to prevent detectives from procuring papers until the union's attorney arrived, but he denied knowledge that any explosives were in the vaults from which nitro-glycerin, dynamite and infernal machines later were taken.

RECOMMENDS MERCY

Idaho's First Jury of Women Convicts One of Their Own Sex

Twin Falls, Ida., Dec. 6.—The first jury of women in Idaho found one of their own sex guilty of threatening a man with a revolver, but recommended her to the mercy of the court.

The defendant, Mrs. Edward Butts, was on trial in the probate court, charged with drawing a weapon upon Arthur Requa. The hearing was adjourned while the jurors prepared the mid-day meal for their families, and when the evidence was in they reached their verdict in less than one hour.

Castro Heading For Paris

Southampton, Eng., Dec. 6.—Appearing ill, and refusing to leave his cabin, Cipriano Castro, formerly president of Venezuela, arrived in this port on board the steamship Windhuk, from Teneriffe. He proceeded with the ship to Antwerp, whence he will continue to Paris.

Boston Gets Army Shoe Contract

Washington, Dec. 6.—Joseph M. Herman & Co. of Boston have been awarded first contract on the new army shoe. The contract is 40,000 to 60,000 pairs, amounting to $165,000.

Harvey "Mentioned" For Ambassador

London, Dec. 6.—The name of George Harvey is added to the long list of those mentioned as likely to succeed Whitelaw Reid as ambassador to Great Britain.

GOVERNORS TO GIVE OPINIONS

Congress Will Endeavor to Solve Grand Trunk Puzzle

SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF SEVEN

Provision In O'Shanghnessy Resolution May Be Changed, Placing Investigation of New England Railroad Situation Before Judiciary Committee, Which Has Wide Power

Washington, Dec. 6.—Hearings on the O'Shaughnessy resolution calling for a special committee to investigate the Grand Trunk-New Haven situation may begin by the house committee on rules on Tuesday next. Representative Henry, chairman of the committee, says the matter has not yet been decided. If it is determined to begin at that date, it is believed Governors Foss and Pothier will come to be heard. It is known they have been telegraphed for.

The resolution introduced by the Rhode Island congressman provides for the appointment of a committee of seven to investigate.. It is pointed out here that this appointment might be a serious mistake, inasmuch as the powers of a special committee are not as great as those of one of the standing committees of the house. A special committee cannot recommend legislation but must refer its suggestion to a regular committee.

It is possible the regular committee would not feel it proper to act in so important a matter as the New England railroad situation without making the investigation afresh. Therefore it is believed by some that the investigation should be by the committee on the judiciary, which is already empowered to take up the anti-trust question and has been provided with $25,000 for that purpose.

This committee now has its hands full with the Archbald trial, but within a month it will be free to go ahead with the Grand Trunk matter. This view of the situation will be presented to the rules committee when it holds the hearing on the resolution.

Benton Gives His Testimony

New York, Dec. 6.—John E. Benton, clerk of the public service commission of the state of New Hampshire, which is now investigating the Grand Trunk-New Haven deal, came to this city from Concord to tell the federal grand jury what he knows of the traffic conditions in his state.

His testimony is said to have had a decided bearing on the investigation into the New York, New Haven and Hartford-Grand Trunk deal, which is alleged by the government to be an instrument in restraint of trade and interstate commerce.

MAKES CHARGE OF FRAUD

Miss Morse Sues New Haven Road In Steamship Deal

Newark, N. J., Dec. 6.—Manipulation of the affairs of the Metropolitan Steamship company of New Jersey in the interests of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company, and in fraud of the steamship company's stockholders, is the burden of a bill of complaint filed in the New Jersey court of chancery.

The complainant is Jennie Morse, a sister of Charles W. Morse of Bath, Me., the financier. Miss Morse is suing as the holder of 137 shares of stock of the Metropolitan Steamship company of New Jersey. The Pacific Navigation company is named in the bill as a party defendant.

The bill charges, among other things, that the New Haven, in furtherance of a scheme for the elimination of competition, caused the steamships Yale and Harvard, run by the Metropolitan company between New York and Boston, to be leased to the Pacific Navigation company for service on the Pacific coast. The bill, in effect, asks the court to stretch its long arm across the continent and compel their return.

ROBBERS GET $1400

Hold Up Saloonkeeper a Few Doors From Police Station

Kansas City, Dec. 6.—Three men with drawn pistols entered the saloon of Robert P. Smith, a few doors from the central police station here, and after forcing Smith to give them $1400 from the cash register, escaped.

Smith was alone in the saloon at the time. He formerly was a police lieutenant.

Sugar Trust Case Quashed

New York, Dec. 6.—Judge Hough, in the United States district court, quashed the indictment returned by the federal grand jury against the American Sugar Refining company, J. E. Parsons, W. B. Thomas and other officials of the company which charged conspiracy in restraint of trade.

Fifteen Lives Lost With Vessel

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 6.—The Honduran schooner Cartagena has gone down with the loss of fifteen persons on board.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

THE YULETIDE GOOSE.

THE Christmas goose is preferred to the Christmas turkey in some households.

For roasting a goose should be scarcely past the gosling period, not more than a year old at the most. Its wings should be supple and tender at the pinions, its breastbone soft and pliable, its feet smooth and yellow and its fat white and soft.

Before drawing singe the fowl; then give it a thorough bath with soapsuds and a soft scrubbing brush. The skin is so oily cold water would make no impression.

Rinse thoroughly in clear cold water; then dry and draw. Wash the inside quickly with clear water to which a little baking soda has been added; then rinse and wipe.

Various Dressings.

The Germans like a stuffing made of equal parts of breadcrumbs, chopped apples, seeded raisins and boiled onions well seasoned with salt, pepper and butter.

Americans, as a rule, prefer a potato stuffing made of mashed potato highly seasoned with onion, salt, pepper and a little butter and sage. The yolks of two eggs allowed to each pint of potato makes the dressing richer.

Saving the Fat.

Before trussing the goose remove all the extra fat. This should be saved and fried out later for that remedy for croup, "goose grease." It is of no value, however, in cooking and if left in the bird gives a coarse, rank flavor.

Season the goose on the inside with salt and pepper; then stuff and truss it into shape like a turkey. Put the fowl on its back on a rack in a dripping pan and cover the breast with several thin slices of fat salt pork. This keeps the skin moist, and no basting is required for the first hour.

When the Fowl Is Done.

At the end of an hour take the pan from the oven, pour off all the fat that has fried out, remove the pork and dredge the goose with flour.

Return to the oven and as soon as the flour has browned pour in enough hot water to cover the bottom of the pan. Baste frequently, dredging with flour between the bastings and cook until the goose is tender in the joints and nicely browned. The roasting will take two or three hours and should not be hurried.

How to Serve.

When done take up on a hot platter, skim the fat off the pan and stir in a tablespoonful of flour. As soon as frothy pour on a cupful of boiling water and stir until thickened and smooth. Season with salt and pepper. Strain and serve as gravy with the goose.

CHRISTMAS CRULLERS.

THE children like these crisp and delicious cakes, which can be made in a variety of forms.

If you have a jigging iron you can make beautiful little lattice effects, first cutting your dough into small squares and then making slits with your iron. By pushing one or two of the strips in one direction and one or two in another you can make extremely pretty cakes.

Then make rounds with a hole in the middle and fry the "nuts," which come from the hole.

A Model Recipe.

Paragon Crullers.—Take half a pound of butter and cream it with three-quarters of a pound of powdered sugar. Stir into this six eggs, beaten light, the whites and yolks separately, a teaspoonful of mixed cinnamon and nutmeg and enough flour to make a rather stiff dough. Roll thin, cut into shapes and fry to golden yellow.

Have the fat deep enough and at the stage where a cake dropped into it will turn the right color in less than a minute.

Take the crullers from the fat with a wire spoon and put them to drain on a soft paper laid in a colander.

Sprinkle with powdered sugar.

The Children's Delight.

Plain Crullers.—Take one egg, one cup of sugar, one cup of sour milk, butter the size of an egg, one-half teaspoonful of soda and about three and one-half cups of flour. The softer the consistency of the dough the better, and as soon as they come out of the fat they should be sugared.

New England Crullers.—Mix together one large cup of sugar, two eggs, four cups of flour, butter the size of an egg, one cup of milk, a pinch of salt and one heaping teaspoon of baking powder. Roll out and cut. Fry in hot lard.

French Crullers.—Take two cupfuls of milk and boil with a quarter of a pound of butter. While the milk is boiling put in two cupfuls of flour, stirring the mixture until it loosens itself from the sides of the dish. Then turn the paste on a plate and when it is nearly cold mix with it the yolks of eight eggs, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and at the last the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs. Put the paste into a pastry bag and force directly into the fat. Fry the cakes a light brown and dust with powdered sugar.

ECONOMICAL FRUIT CAKES.

IF you wish to reduce the cost of the Christmas feast without modifying its completeness substitute for the ordinarily rich and costly fruit cake one simpler in composition. The recipes given here are designed for the purpose of providing cakes that are delicious, yet comparatively inexpensive.

A Handsome Cake.

White Fruit Cake.—Stir together one cupful of sugar and half a cupful of butter. Beat until very light the whites of four eggs and mix with the sugar and butter; then add one cupful of stoned and chopped raisins and half a cupful of citron cut in small shavings and rolled in flour. Stir two teaspoonfuls of baking powder through two cupfuls of flour. After adding to the mixture one cupful of sweet milk stir in the flour and bake in moderate oven.

Fruit Cake Without Eggs.—Take two cupfuls of sugar, two cupfuls of buttermilk, one pound of seedless raisins chopped fine, four cupfuls of flour, one-half cupful of butter, one tablespoonful of soda dissolved in a little hot water and spices to taste. A cupful of rich preserves of pears or strawberry jam adds to the fruit taste liked by many. Bake in a slow oven.

Simple Recipes.

Coffee Fruit Cake.—Take a cupful each of molasses, brown sugar, butter, raisins, currants and cold coffee, together with one egg, one teaspoonful each of soda, cloves, cinnamon and allspice and four cupfuls of flour. Mix and bake one hour in a slow oven.

Frugal Fruit Cake.—Take one-third cupful of butter, one cupful of brown sugar, two cupfuls of whole wheat flour, one cupful of seeded raisins, one cupful sour milk, one teaspoonful each of powdered cinnamon, cloves, allspice and one-half teaspoonful of soda. Cream the butter and add sugar, then beat until creamy. Add the spices to the flour. Take one-half the flour and the raisins washed and dried. Mix well. Then add milk, in which the soda has been beaten, and the remaining flour. Bake in a moderate oven until a broom straw put in the cake will come out dry.

If sweet milk is used take a little less and substitute one tablespoonful of baking powder for the soda, sifted in the flour.

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EXPELLED FROM YALE

Punishment of Three Rioters Who Created Serious Disturbance

New Haven, Dec. 6.—Charles Forman, William Ernst and Joseph Zimmerman, the three members of the junior class of the Sheffield Scientific school, Yale, who wrecked a trolley car, beat up the crew and mixed it up with a couple of autoists in Norwalk, were notified of their dismissal from college by Director Chittenden of the scientific school.

It is the first time so large a number of men have been dismissed from Yale for a disturbance.

Run Down by Bloodhounds

Trenton, Dec. 6.—Tracked by bloodhounds, a negro supposed to be the man who murderously attacked Miss Luelle Marshall, was caught near the scene of the crime and lodged in jail. Miss Marshall is dying from a fractured skull.

Gold Discovered In Panama

Panama, Dec. 6.—Rich alluvial deposits of gold have been discovered near Empire. They are believed to be an old Spanish mine. Rich quartz

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HEARING NEXT WEEK

Another important hearing to be held is that of next Monday evening at the Council meeting on the question of petitioning the legislature to build a public bath house along the Quincy Shore reservation. At first one would naturally think that everybody would be in favor of a public bath house along this shore front but the fact is that there is considerable opposition. The opposition comes from people who own private bath houses and from people who live in the immediate vicinity. Their reason for objecting is largely because they believe that a public bath house would attract too large and miscellaneous a crowd, and they perfer that it should be more exclusive.

CONTEMPTIBLE ACTS OF CRUELTY

Pet Cats and Dogs Being Poisoned by Wholesale

POLICE AFTER MISCREANT

Complaint is being made by several residents of the Russell park and Edgemere road that some one is administering poison to pet cats and dogs in that neighborhood. During the past few days several of these pets have given up their lives as the result of poison. The affiair has been reported to the police and an investigation is being made to learn if possible who is responsible for the acts.

ALLIANCE FAIR.

A most successful fair and entertainment held by the Alliance of the Wollaston Unitarian church, closed Thursday. The minuet repeated was the notable feature and received a large amount of applause. During the supper hour box lunches were on sale at the delicatessen department of the fair. The attendants at the several booths were as follows:

Candy—Miss Helen T. Foster, Mrs. A. R. Moulton, Mrs. R. L. Turner, Mrs. A. H. Richards, Miss Florence Hall, Miss Jennie W. Foster, Mrs. Benjamin Sargent, Mrs. Walter M. Baker.

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A Compliment.

"What did he say when you told him he was the worst liar you ever knew?"

"He merely remarked that he had been flattered before."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

THREE PLEAD NOT GUILTY

Defense In Jacobson Case May Be That Farmer Committed Suicide

Houlton, Me., Dec. 6.—The claim that Augustus Jacobson committed suicide is expected to figure prominently in the defense of Rev. Charles N. Emelias and Mrs. Jacobson and her son, Edgar Jacobson, whose trial for the alleged murder of Augustus Jacobson began here in the Aroostook supreme court.

The death of Jacobson, who was a farmer of New Sweden, occurred in that town on June 12, 1911. Upon a doctor's certificate that it was a case of suicide, the body was buried. Later the county attorney had the body exhumed, an inquest was held and afterward indictments were returned.

"Not guilty" was the plea of the three respondents when the indictments alleging that they murdered Jacobson were read.

CANADA'S GENEROSITY

Will Give Three Dreadnoughts to Aid Defense of British Empire

Ottawa, Dec. 6.—Canada proposes to add three of the most powerful battleships afloat, at a cost of $35,000,000, to the naval defense of the British empire.

These vessels are to be built in Great Britain, and will form part of the British fleet, but they can be recalled to form part of a Canadian navy should such a step be necessary.

This policy was announced in the house of commons by Premier Borden in a long and carefully prepared address in which he reviewed the status of naval affairs in the world and told of the burden which had been thrown on the mother country through the aggressive naval policy of Germany in particular.

PROVING ADEQUACY AS CIVIL STATUTE

What Wickersham Thinks of Sherman Anti Trust Law

Washington, Dec. 6.—The Sherman anti-trust law is proving its adequacy as a civil statute and there is no necessity for the much-discussed proposed amendment particularizing unlawful practices in restraint of trade, according to Attorney General Wickersham in his annual report to congress.

On the other hand, however, the attorney general does not pass judgment upon the efficiency of the anti-trust act as a criminal status. He says:

"The experience of the last year in endeavoring to enforce criminal liability under the Sherman law has not been encouraging."

The attorney general defends the commerce court, the abolition of which was attempted at the last session of congress, and gives high praise to federal courts in general.

DID NOT "LOOSEN UP"

Johnson Paid Parson $5 For Tying the Matrimonial Knot

Chicago, Dec. 6.—Rev. William Balay, 81 years old, evangelist and member of the Olivet Baptist church, who presided over the nuptials of Jack Johnson and Lucille Cameron, declares the roll of bills handed to him with a flourish by the bridegroom contained—not $100, as was rumored at the banquet that followed—but the customary $5.

"I read about the hundred in a morning paper and went and looked at the five again, but it looked just the same," said Balay.

WORK OF ELECTRIC NEEDLE

College Student Who Was Badly Scarred Is Given a New Face

Philadelphia, Dec. 6.—Hammond Smith, a Dickinson college freshman who was hazed with lunar caustic that seared the letters "Fresh" across his forehead forever, it was feared, has returned to his home in Williamsport with a perfectly new face.

This was done by the use of the electric needle attached to the high frequency coil. The old, scarred skin was burnt off and the healthy underskin driven into a new growth on the surface by the powerful, violet rays of the static machine.

Wants Inland Maine Course

Washington, Dec. 6.—Congressman Peters introduced a bill providing for a survey for constructing a continuous waterway from Boston, inland, wherever practicable, to some suitable point on the coast of Maine.

Gum Chewers Annoy Him

New York, Dec. 6.—After ten days in this city, Rattlesnake Bill Wallace said: "I'm going home to Albuquerque because I'm tired seeing New Yorkers wag their jaws on a piece of chewing gum."

Woman Wins Suit Against Aviator

London, Dec. 6.—England's first personal injury suit against an aviator resulted in R. J. Isaackson having to pay $870 to Miss Edith Pimpett for hurts caused by his aeroplane last August.

FRANCE LAYS DOWN POLICY

Will Stand by Her Allies in the Balkan Settlement

GIVES WARNING TO POWERS

Premier Outlines Nation's Attitude In Carefully Prepared Statement—Greek Gunboats Shell Avlona, Despite Protest by Provisional President of Albania

London, Dec. 6.—Evidently the Balkan situation is far from being cleared up. Early in the week, when matters appeared to be quieting down, the German chancellor hurled a bomb into the powder magazine when he offensively threatened Russia with the sword if she interfered with Austria's announced purpose to rob Servia of the fruits of war.

Now, when it is announced that both Austria and Servia have about decided to entrust the settlement of their differences to the powers, and the Turco-Balkan peace conference is about to begin, the French premier throws out a statement similar to that of the German chancellor's, saying in effect that France will stand by her allies in this Balkan mixup.

Premier Poincaire told the committee on foreign affairs of the chamber of deputies: "We stand by our allies and our friendships." The premier was laying down the policy to be pursued by France in the Balkan settlement.

France's position in the present tense European situation was summed up by Poincaire in a few words. He said France's program is:

First—Continuity in our foriegn policies and consequently the practical and persevering operation of our alliances and friendships.

Second—Sincere and continued efforts to secure the peace of Europe.

Third—Above all, the firm and calm resolution to secure respect for our rights and maintain our national dignity free from all possible attack.

The French premier's address had not only been carefully prepared, but had been submitted previously to a special session of the cabinet, as it was realized that a speech similar to those delivered by the British premier and the German imperial chancellor was awaited with anxiety in every capital of Europe. As the most important negotiations are now being pursued, Poincaire pointed out that he was not free to speak without restriction.

He wanted to affirm, however, that France, in the settlement of the present European question, wished that her alliances and friendships should find new proof in their force and in their efficacy. France, the premier said, always consulted England and Russia in advance before acting and always acted with them, and he added:

"We shall continue to act with them in close accord and with confidence."

Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign minister, declared yesterday afternoon that although the proposed ambassadorial conference in London was making progress toward realization, it had not yet been definitely decided by all the European powers whether the moment was opportune for it.

The puzzle of Greece's attitude in connection with the armistice is expected to be solved satisfactorily, as it is not believed Greece will imperil her own victories by maintaining a separatist policy.

Two Greek gunboats yesterday were reported to be vigorously bombarding Avlona, city of Albania. The gunners aimed their shells especially at public buildings displaying the Albanian flag, despite the protests of Ismail Kemail Bey, provisional president of Albania.

An unconfirmed report from Athens says the Greeks are continuing their operations against Janina.

The reported activity of Greek gunboats off the Albanian coast upset the calculations of military experts watching the war game.

It is apparent the Greeks were in earnest in declaring they alone would carry on the war with Turkey. It had been reported the envoys of King George would sign the protocol for an armistice within twenty-four hours, and that their refusal was just a ruse to enable the Greek navy, with the full understanding of the Balkan nations, to keep a weather eye on the porte.

Greece, all along, has coveted a large slice of Albania, which is that portion of Turkey in Europe lying to the north of the Greek frontier. The firing upon Avlona is taken to mean the Greeks refuse to recognize the autonomy of Albania, and aim by continued fighting to bring about a partition of that country.

Whether or not Greece signs the protocol between now and the time set for the meeting of the peace plenipotentiaries in London, Dec. 13, it is said that envoys of King George will participate in the peace negotiations a week from today.

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WORLD WIDE RAT WAR

Campaign In Every Port Is Urged by Surgeon General Blue

New York, Dec. 6.—A systematic rat catching campaign at every port in the world is urged in a letter to the Chamber of Commerce from Surgeon General Blue of the United States public health and marine hospital service.

General Blue requests the co-operation of the organization through its influence with similar bodies in foreign ports. He cites the finding of plague infected rats in the port of Liverpool as an example of the need of systematic prevention measures.

The chamber voted to carry out the surgeon general's requests as far as possible.

DANGER OF MOOSE BECOMING EXTINCT

Only Seventy-Four Received at Bangor This Season

Bangor, Me., Dec. 6.—Chairman Wilson of the Maine fish and game commission expresses the belief that a bill will be introduced at the next session of the legislature providing for a close time of several years on bull moose.

The results of this season's hunting are regarded as conclusive proof that the moose are rapidly disappearing from the state, and unless something shall be done at once to prevent it the species will become extinct in Maine. In former years as many as 250 moose were received at Bangor in a season. In the season just closed only seventy-four moose were inspected here.

Taking available figures as a basis of estimate it is probable that 12,000 deer have been killed in Maine this season.

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QUINCY WON BOTH GAMES

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IN CAMBRIDGE GAMES

The local Y. M. C. A. basket ball teams played two league games at Cambridge Thursday night and were successful in bringing home two victories. Cambridge was confident of defeating Quincy especially the second team for Somerville had beaten Quincy and Cambridge had beaten Somerville. The first team game was a problem, Somerville having defeated both Quincy and Cambridge.

The local players, however, went into the game determined to even up for their defeat of last Saturday, and if they keep up their passing and all round team work as they played last night, the championship ought to come to Quincy at the end of the season. Despite the fact that the Cambridge floor is square and the goals placed diagonally instead of at the ends, the Quincy boys played rings around the home team. H. Trask kept up his good work by caging five goals from the floor, the last one, from a distance of over 50 feet. Rich was tried out at forward and succeeded in caging four goals. Kenn, who played a fine game at left back also scored two baskets. Parker and Holmes were not successful in scoring, but they succeeded in keeping their man from caging any goals. Parker of Quincy and Ramsey of Cambridge were compelled to leave the floor, on account of the new ruling that is, five fouls. The summary:

QUINCY 1st		CAMBRIDGE 1st.
Rich	rf	lb Ramsey
Parker	lf	rb Aitchenson
Price	lf	
Trask	c	c Ball
Holmes	rb	lf Baker
Kenn	lb	rf Wilson

Score Quincy 25. Cambridge 11. Goals from floor Trask 5, Rich 4, Kenn 2, Ramsey 2, Wilson 2. Goals from fouls—Trask 3, Wilson 3. Referee Stone, Scorer, Waters. Timer Smith. Time 2-20 min. Attendance 250.

The second team game was just as easy as the first. Although Cambridge looked dangerous for a few minutes in the second half. The first half ended 17 to 7 for Quincy, but in three minutes the Cambridge boys caged four goals making the score 15 to 17. Quincy got busy, however, and the guards covered up in good style preventing any more scoring by the opponents, while Thomas and Dineen scored seven points between them. The final score being 24 to 15. Croucher went in for the last 10 minutes instead of Pinel and showed that he is a comer. The summary:

QUINCY 2nd.		CAMBRIDGE 2nd.
Thomas	rf	lb Edwards
		lb Lavine
Price	lf	rb Wiley
Corthell	c	c Tufts
Dineen	rb	lf Page
Pinel	lb	rf Brown
Croucher	lb	

Score, Quincy 24, Cambridge 15. Goals from floor Thomas 5, Price 3, Corthell, Dineen, Pinel, Brown 4, Page 2, Wiley 1. Goals from fouls Thomas 1, Pinel 1, Page 1. Referee Stone. Scorer, Waters. Timer, Smith. Time 2-20 min. Attendance 250.



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Ladies Plan a Men's Night For December 30th

A social evening was enjoyed by the members of the Quincy Catholic Club at the Knight of Columbus rooms Thursday evening and a musical program was well received by those present. The chairman of the evening was President, Mrs. Daniel J. Deasy.

Groups of songs were rendered by Miss Ethel Smith of Neponset who was warmly applauded. Little Miss Diredo of South Braintree captivated all by her singing and fancy dancing and duets and solos by Miss Angelina and Miss Josephine McCarthy received rapt attention.

It was announced that a gentlemen's night would be held on Dec. 30 and that a dancing party would be given on Jan. 7.

EIGHT TABLES IN PLAY.

Eight tables were in play at the whist and dancing party of the Town River Yacht club at their club house on Thursday evening. The winners were Mrs. Koster, Stephen Schofield, Allen McGeechie and Gilbert Arnold.

Following the play there was dancing, music being furnished by George O'Donnell. It was announced that another party would be held Dec. 12.

The affiair was in charge of Fred E. Drake, Charles A. Foster and Commodore Thompson B. Crane.

RESUMED SERVICES.

A Y. M. C. A. religious service was held today at the Fore River yard and a talk was given by Rev. B. A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church. A cornet solo was given by Mr. Leslie of Boston. The service was well attended. These noon services will be continued under the direction of A. F. Bromley.

THEIR THIRD ANNUAL.

The third annual dance of the General Team Drivers Union, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Stablemen and Helpers of America will be held this evening at Alpha hall. The affair is in charge of the following committee, Alex Craig, chairman, A. Trotman, Thomas Cahill, J. Harlin, S. Webster, J. J. Lyons, J. McInnis and W. McKenna.

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WHEN WOMEN VOTE TANGLE

Presented at the Quincy Point Church Supper

TO DELIGHTED AUDIENCE

A supper, entertainment and sale was held at the Quincy Point church Thursday afternoon and evening. The affair was in charge of the ladies and was a fine success. The young ladies of the Bethany Church gave a two act farce "When Women Vote" which was a take off on the time when Woman Suffrage will be a factor in affairs.

Miss Esther Beckford as Mrs. Jamieson an apostle of suffrage was sincere and eloquent and Miss Esther Sidelinger as her 17 year old daughter was sentimentally perfect. Miss Esther Wetherall as Mrs. Delano, a wealthy widow who was homeless from choice, presented a rather pathetic picture and Miss Florence Sabean as Mrs. Brownell and a mother of six was matronly and gay with all her family cares. Miss Marjorie Welch, as Hannah, an old fashioned helper, did her part to perfection.

The first act opens in the Jamieson house and a month elapses, during which time difficulties are overcome and tangles straightened out.

The young ladies were assisted by Miss Gertrude Show and Miss Roberta Smith.

Music between the acts was furnished by Mrs. Arthur B. Foster and Miss Helen M. Lincoln.

The Supper committee was Mrs. W. A. Hayden chairman; Mrs. Arthur Foster, Mrs. T. B. Pollard, Mrs. T. W. Lincoln, Jr., Mrs. P. H. Holman, Mrs. T. R. McKenney, Mrs. Bradford Hayden, Mrs. C. W. Newcomb, Mrs. G. J. Lackey.

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Apron Table—Mrs. C. H. Sherburne and Mrs. H. E. Bonney.

Fancy Table—Mrs. C. W. Newcomb, Mrs. M. S. Wight, Mrs. P. H. Holman, Mrs. T. R. Kenney.

Ice Cream—Mrs. M. S. Wight, Miss May Oliver, Miss E. M. Freeman.

Candy and Cake Table—Mrs. George E. Bailey, Mrs. J. Peterson.

Grab Table—Mrs. W. E. Perry, Miss Hattie May Lermond.

Punch Table—Mrs. E. H. Bushnell, Mrs. Eugene R. Stone.

Pinks, Candy and Ice Cream were sold through the audience by Doris Peterson, Marion Peterson, Doris Carter, Frances Ward, Lois Betts and Madeline Betts.

The decorating was in charge of Mrs. M. S. Wight and was very unique and tasteful.

BASKET BALL.

Two fast games of basket-ball are scheduled for Saturday night at the Y. M. C. A. The crack Gloucester five, which has won the amateur championship of the North Shore for the past three years will oppose the First Team.

"Chick" McInnis, a brother of "Stuffy" McInnis of the Philadelphia Athletics will play with the visiting team.

The Brockton Y. M. C. A. Second Team will play our Second Team and a hot battle is expected.

The local boys are still smarting under the sting of the defeat which Somerville administered last week and promise to show a "few" on Saturday night.

As Brockton has lost but two games in the last two years the local boys will have to travel pretty fast to make good.

On account of the long journey which Gloucester is compelled to make the First team game will commence promptly at eight o'clock.

BIRTHS

HIRTLE—In Kansas City, November 17, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Allan T. Hirtle.

MARRIAGES

O'CONNELL—COLLINS— In Quincy, December 3, by Rev. B. A. Willmott, Mr. Henry M. O'Connell of East Boston to Miss Helena O. Collins of Quincy.

KING—HARCUS—In Quincy, December 3, by Rev. R. E. Armstrong, Mr. Robert Charles King to Miss Anna Jane Harcus, both of Quincy.

HIRTLE—BROOKS—In Pittsburgh, Penn., November 28, Mr. William Aroon Hirtle and Miss Gertrude Irene Brooks both of Pittsburgh.

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FILED EXPENSES OF CAMPAIGN

Representative Leslie the Lucky Boy of the Bunch

NO RECEIPTS OR EXPENSES

While the law requires that candidates for office shall within thirty days file a return showing their receipts and expenditures, there is no penalty attached to failure to do so and many take advantage of this fact. Some of those who do not comply file their return with the City Clerk while others make their return direct to the secreatry of state. Among those to file returns of the recent state election in Quincy were the following:

William J. Lesile, candidate for received, "Nothing received and nothing expended."

William H. Teasdale, treasurer of the E. C. Benton campaign committee received $200 from Jay R. Benton and expended that amount for printing and advertising, office expenses, postage and auto hire.

Charles J. McGilvray, candidate for Representative, expended $106.95.

Abraham L. Wright candidate for Representative expended nothing.

Michael T. Sullivan candidate for Representative expended $50 given to the campaign committee.

John Evans candidate for Representative expended $68.50 including $5.50 contributed to the Progressive committee.

Walter E. Piper candidate for Representative expended $51 through his campaign committee.

James P. Roberts candidate for Representative expended $53.90.

Henry L. Kincaide candidate for Congressman, expended $526.67. His expenses included postage, advertising and printing and contribution to campaign committee.

Mayor Stone in his return of expenses at the municipal caucuses states that he expended $68 for advertising, $35 for postage and $125 to the Stone campaign committee, a total of $248.

Ira M. Whittemore treasurer of the Stone campaign committee reports that he received $125 from Mayor Stone and $50 from Ira M. Whittemore. The expenditures of the committee included $44 for hall rent, $79 for automobile hire, clerk hire $33.50, telephone $8, postage, printing and distributing $33.50.

HIGH HONOR TO WOLLASTON BOY

Marceau, Captain of Dartmouth Cross Country Team

In recognition of his athletic prowess, Franz R. Marceau of Wollaston, was elected captain of the Dartmouth College cross-country team on Thursday.

Capt. Marceau is a member of the class of 1914 and a graduate of the Quincy High school, class of 1910. He established a mark while at High school in distance running and has continued his good work at college. He holds the college record in the two mile cross-country run.

Well known and a great favorite in the city, his Wollaston friends are considering conferring a reception, in recognition of his athletic calibre, in the near future.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Marceau of 24 Beach street, and the brother of E. Theodore Marceau, who was prominent in athletics at Technology.

O'CONNELL—COLLINS.

Miss Helena O. Collins of 27 Grant street and Henry O. McConnell of East Boston were married by Rev. B. A. Willmott at his home on Goffe street, Tuesday. The bride was given away by her father J. Collins. The single ring service was used. Mr. and Mrs. McConnell will live at Somerville.

AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Ernest L. Collins, headmaster at Quincy High school will speak at the Boys meeting, Saturday morning at 10 upon the subject "Play Fair." The meeting is to be held in the Gymnasium before the regular Junior class work. Admission to the floor is by tag only.

ALARM CLOCKS TO CATCH UP

Presented Adams School Boys of Soccer Team

AT THE BANQUET

The Washington and Adams school soccer teams were banqueted at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening, by the Boys Department under the direction of Alden Blanchard. The guests of the evenin were J. Grant, R. Corson and Fred Miller of the Harvard soccer team, Captain Bartlett of the Fore River Draftsmen, Thomas B. Pollard of the Washington school, Alfred E. Townsend of the Adams school, and Dr. Smith, physical director of the school system.

Favors were laid beside each boys plate, the Adams team receiving alarm clocks urging them to catch up and win the championship, and the Washington players were given novelties. All took part in the speaking. The boys played pool, bowled and had a swim.

BURIED IN QUINCY.

The funeral of Mrs. Mila Slaugher, who died at North Attleboro Tuesday in her first year of married life, took place this morning from the home of her brother, Napoleon Martell of 45 Hall Place. A requiem high mass was celebrated at St. Mary's church by Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery. She leaves a husband, Frank Slaugher.

BAY VIEW CLUB SOCIAL.

The Bay View Social club of North Weymouth held a most enjoyable dancing party at Alpha hall on Thursday evening. The members are all year residents of this popular summer section.

The floor was in charge of Joseph E. Buckley, with James P. Scully as assistant. The aids were Thomas Coleman, Alex Coady, Henry Gallant, Martin Coady and Joseph Hackett.

SOME FAMOUS TREES.

Baron Humboldt's giant tree, or the Zamang de Guerro of the valley of Aragua, Venezuela, is believed to be the largest tree and among the oldest in the world. When discovered by Christopher Guerro early in the sixteenth century it was the same size that it is today. Humboldt saw and described the giant a century ago. Its beauty is heightened by orchids and other parasitic plants, whose blossoms adorn its enormous green masses of verdure. Its branches are 561 feet in circumference, and beneath its shade flocks and herds find shelter from the sun.

Another equally famous tree, supposed to be 3000 years old, was the gigantic dragon tree (Dracoena draco) of Orotava, an object of veneration among the Gouanches of Teneriffe. Its circumference when it fell, in 1871, was 46 feet.—Independent.

NEW BATTLESHIPS NEEDED

Secretary Meyer Says International Peace Is No Nearer

Washington, Dec. 6.—The United States must have a bigger navy and must be prepared to meet any chance of war, in the opinion of Secretary Meyer of the navy department, if it is to preserve its national safety.

In his annual report Meyer pleads for three new battleships this year, and declares that this country soon will fall from third to fourth place in the relative naval powers, if it continues the policy of building only two ships each year.

International peace has been brought no nearer, the secretary declares, so far as a limitation of armaments is concerned. To guard its coast and protect its commercial activities, the United States needs a permanent navy of forty-one capital ships—battleships and battle cruisers—according to Meyer. The present strength of the navy in battleships is about thirty-five, but four ships will soon be retired as obsolete.

—The Ellis milk bill will come up before the legslature next year, and is receiving greater support than before, because it is better understood. Massachusetts milk must be inspected, and it is to the advantage of our own producers as well as the consumer, to compel the dairies of other states to conform to the same standard of cleanliness. The consumers simply want the small minority to keep their places as clean as the great majority of producers do now, and nothing fancy or expensive is desired—just ordinary decency.—Old Colony Memorial.

BOWLING

The bowlers of the Houghs Neck Winter club rolled at the Coliseum alley Thursday evening and Capt. Baker's team beat Capt. Crocket's, 3 to 1. Gratto was high man with 107 and a total of 263.

The Tubular Rivet & Stud Co. five easily beat the Car Men by 115 pins. "Lew" Smith of the winners made high single of 117 and Maniman hit the bunch for a total of 289.

The summary:

TUBULAR RIVET CO.

	1	2	3	Totals
Smith	80	80	117	277
Williams	93	85	79	257
Maniman	96	92	101	289
Wilson	77	80	86	243
Stevens	78	73	82	233
Totals	424	410	465	1299

CAR MEN.

Kent	84	78	75	237
Johnson	77	77	87	241
MacDonald	85	67	73	225
Davey	75	78	79	232
Cappalini	95	81	73	249
Totals	416	381	387	1184

CAPT. BAKER

	1	2	3	Totals
Hammond	84	101	86	271
Coughlin	81	88	72	241
Gratto	107	73	83	263
Comoso	57	74	60	191
Baker	75	64	68	207
Baird	171	80	92	243
Totals	475	480	461	1416

CAPT. CROCKET

Pop Leavitt	72	89	93	254
Uran	75	64	79	218
Johnson	83	87	69	239
Dunham	45	65	64	174
Crocket	82	81	75	238
Ring	72	70	92	234
Totals	429	456	472	1357

KING—HARCUS.

Robert Charles King of 130 Arnold street and Miss Anna Jane Harcus of 69 Broadway were married at the Christ church rectory on Tuesday by Rev. R. E. Armstrong. The groom is a naval loftsmen and is employed by the Fore River Co.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

a	Wollaston	f	Harrison Square
b	Norfolk Downs	g	Savin Hill
c	Atlantic	h	Crescent Avenue
d	Neponset	i	South Boston
e	Pope's Hill	r	Quincy Adams
*	Saturdays Only	†	Except Saturday

Exp.—Express train.

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave	Stop	Arrive	Leave	Stop	Arrive
r 5 14	abcdefghi	5 41	5 45	ihgfedcba	6 14 r
r 6 16	abci	6 35	6 12	ihgfedcba	6 39 r
r 6 33	e	6 49	6 30	a	6 47
r 6 40	abcf	7 00	7 15	hgfedcba	7 41 r
r 7 06	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	c	8 03 r
r 7 33	Exp	7 48	8 35	ca	8 52
r 7 42	ab	8 00	8 42	b	8 59
7 57	a	8 13	9 10	fedba	9 32 r
r 8 09	abcd	8 31	9 45	a	10 01 r
r 8 29	a	8 46	10 15	ihgfedcba	10 41 r
r 8 53	ad	9 10	10 55	Exp	11 10
r 9 15	abc	9 33	11 15	hgfedcba	11 41 r
r 10 03	a	10 20	11 50	a	12 07
r 10 19	abcdefghi	10 45	12 15	hgfedcba	12 41 r
11 12	a	11 28	12 37	a	12 54
r 11 24	abcdefgh	11 50	12 50	Exp	1 05
12 04	a	12 20	1 17	fedcba	1 44
r 12 19	abcdefghi	12 45	1 45	a	2 01
r 1 20	a	1 37	2 15	fedcba	2 37 r
2 04	a	2 20	2 35	Exp	2 50
r 2 19	abcdefgh	2 45	3 15	hgfedcba	3 40 r
r 3 13	Exp	3 28	3 45	a	4 02
4 04	a	4 20	4 12	fedcba	4 34 r
r 4 26	abcdefgh	4 52	4 41	c	4 58
5 06	Exp	5 20	4 57	a	5 11
r 5 30	abcdefg	5 55	5 14	a	5 31
6 12	ab	6 32	5 24	a	5 42
*6 50	a	7 16	5 31	dcb	5 50 r
17 05	b	7 22	5 43	a	6 10 r
r 7 22	Exp	7 37	5 55	fedcba	6 21 r
7 29	ab	7 46	6 14	Exp	6 30 r
r 8 07	abcdef	8 30	6 31	ecba	6 52 r
r 9 10	abc	9 28	7 00	fedcba	7 24 r
*9 17	Exp.	9 32	7 12	a	7 28
r 10 07	abcdef	10 30	8 05	fedcba	8 28 r
*10 19	a	10 35	*8 20	Exp	8 35
r 11 25	abcd	11 45	9 25	dba	9 46 r
			*9 35	Exp	9 51
			10 35	fedcba	11 01 r
			*11 07	a	11 25 r
			†11 10	fedcba	11 35 r
			*11 26	ba	11 43 r
			†11 30	ba	11 49

SUNDAYS

r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 30 ba 6 48 r
8 30	Exp	8 45	8 45 ihgfecdba 9 13 r
r 8 46	bcdefghi	9 13	9 05 Exp 9 21
r 9 13	abc	9 33	10 15 ihgfedcba 10 42 r
9 31	a	9 47	12 15 ihgfedcba 12 42 r
10 23	ac	10 40	12 45 Exp 1 01
11 05	Exp	11 22	1 30 ihgfedcba 1 57 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 43	2 15 hgfedcba 2 42 r
1 02	Fxp	1 17	3 15 ihgfedcba 3 42 r
r 1 16	abcdefgh	1 43	4 27 cba 4 43 r
r 3 10	abc	3 30	5 15 ihgfedcba 5 42 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 43	6 15 ihgfedcba 6 42 r
r 5 07	abc	5 27	7 00 cba 7 19 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 43	8 15 ihgfedcba 8 41 r
7 15	Exp	7 30	8 45 a 9 01 r
r 7 21	abcdefghi	7 47	9 30 ihgfedcba 9 57 r
r 8 16	abcdefghi	8 43	10 45 cba 11 04 r
9 12	a	9 30	
r 10 46	abc	11 05	

West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)-6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.13 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6 59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)-6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.3 , 10 25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.36, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.26, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1 35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.28 A. M. 12.28, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

NATIONAL MT. WOLLASTON BANK.

REPORT of the condition of the NATIONAL MOUNT WOLLASTON BANK, at Quincy, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, November 26, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$689,516 74
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	137,500 00
Other Bonds to secure Postal Savings	13,992 70
Bonds, securities, etc.	298,265 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	9[illegible] 00
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks	1,430 80
Due from approved reserve agents	79,503 34
Checks and other cash items	2,503 52
Notes of other National Banks	31,390 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	578 49
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	42,336 60
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 p. c. of circulation)	6,875 00
Total	$1,096,892 49

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	32,189 13
National bank notes outstanding	137,500 00
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	8,197 48
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	11,477 62
Dividends unpaid	57 00
Individual deposits subject to check	692 391 26
Demand certificates of deposit	12,000 00
Total	$1,096,892 49

State of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, ss.

I, HORACE F. SPEAR, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HORACE F. SPEAR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of December, 1912.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

C. A. HOWLAND
HENRY M. FAXON
FRANK S. PATCH
} Directors

Dec. 6-1t

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 3, 1912.

(Subject to change without notice.

Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.56 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 5.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15, 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER

LARGEST **GUARANTEED** CIRCULATION IN THE CITY

Vol. 27 No. 286 QUINCY, MASS., SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 7, 1912 PRICE TWO CENTS

SECRET ENEMY WORKING TO DO SERIOUS INJURY TO SOLOMON

Seven Attempts to Burn His Hotel Property at the Fore River Section

Kerosene Strewn Over the Hall and Bed Started One Night

That some one has a deep rooted grudge against William G. Solomon, and is doing his or her or their very best to pay it up and gain the revenge is the conclusion reached by Solomon and his friends after the events of the past few weeks. Others, acquaintances of Solomon, who have only met him in a business or casual way have arrived at the same conclusion, when acquainted with the facts.

No less than seven attempts have been made to destroy his premises by fire, but up to the present time the miscreants have not been successful in their mission.

The burning of the store house of the Fore River Company a few nights ago is believed to be the work of an incendiary, set with the intention of destroying the Enterprise hotel conducted by Solomon. It was risky to set the building, the hotel on fire, at the very start so the more round about way of setting the store house was decided upon. The wind was in the right direction. The incendiaries had planned all right. But they did not reckon on the will of the people in that vicinity or the energy and persistency of the firemen.

The fire was extinguished before it reached the hotel. Monday night, no less than three attempts were made to fire the hotel from the inside and kerosene was distributed at various points, with which the flames communicated but they had not gained such headway but that they could be controlled and extinguished before much damage was accomplished.

A fire started in a bed in an upstairs room. This was soon smothered out.

Two fires were discovered in the hall and kerosene was found on the floor and walls and another fire was found in another room, where a table cloth was ablaze.

Then came the fire this morning.

Not only is Mr. Solomon's property in danger but his own life and the life of his boarders are in the balance if this thing is permitted to continue.

An effort will be made to stop it. Others have interested themselves in the affair and it will mean that a persistent effort will be made to locate the offender or who ever incited or influenced him. It is quite a serious matter. The police will be asked to look into the matter and give it some attention as it is now attaining alarming proportions and if permitted to continue without restraint may lead to serious consequences.

The alarm from Box 73 at 5.45 this morning called the department to a fire just outside of a small cottage on the corner of Des Moines road and Howard street owned by William G. Solomon of the Enterprise house, the cottage is used in conjunction with the Enterprise as a lodging place.

Just outside of the house, or cottage were a lot of old shingles which had been piled up against the side of the building and set on fire. The burning shingles made a quanity of smoke, giving the impression that a big blaze was in progress. As a matter of fact however not a particle of fire got inside of the house and there was no loss, the shingle fire being quickly extinguished.

INTEMPERANCE CAUSE OF SIN

God Ever Ready to Receive the Repentant Ones

POINTS OF THE MISSION

Rev. Fr. Coyle, S. J., delivered the sermon at the Friday evening service of the Men's mission which closes tomorrow at St. John's church. He spoke on "Hope," saying that God would always receive the person who was repentant, that his mercy and charity would always be extended to the sinner who wanted to amend his ways. In connection with the sermon several points were covered as being the cause of sin, among which was intemperance.

An instruction on spiritual exercises was given by Rev. Father Condon and benediction was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Coan.

Confessions are being heard today by the clergy and at this mornings mass there was a large number who received communion. The regular masses will be said on Sunday morning.

GLEANERS TO HOLD ELECTION

An enjoyable meeting of the Gleaners class of the Swedish Baptist church was held at the home of Miss Hulda Johnson, Centre street, Friday evening. A large attendance was present, but three members being absent.

Following a short business meeting a social hour was spent in singing and reading of magazine articles, bearing on missionary work. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be on Jan. 3, when the annual election of officers will take place.

QUINCY LYCEUM COURSE

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

5-Big Attractions-5

THE TEMPLE SINGERS

—WITH—

BERTHA CUSHING CHILD

MONDAY, DEC. 9th

AT 8 O'CLOCK

—OTHER ATTRACTIONS—

Jan. 13—Victor's Band
Jan. 27—Maud Ballington Booth
Feb. 17—Dr. Edward A. Steiner
Mar. 10—Parker's Imperials

Course Tickets . . $1.00
Reserved Seats for Course 1.00
Single Admission . . . 50c

Dec. 5 4t

CHRISTMAS SALE

UNDER AUSPICES OF
DORCAS SOCIETY
Universalist Vestry

TUESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 10—Supper at 6.30; Entertainment at 8 by members of Dorcas Society, assisted by Violinist and Soloist.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 11—The Weymouth Dramatic Club will present a farce, entitled "Done On Both Sides."

Tickets good for either night 25 cents.

Dec. -4-7-9 1-1w

MILLER WANTS VOTE RECOUNT

Asks That All Mayoralty Vote Be Verified

START MONDAY MORNING

Petitions asking for recounts of the votes at the recent municipal election were filed Friday afternoon. As stated in the Ledger Friday, petitions were filed by the Democratic city committee asking for recounts in all wards of the city for Mayor while Councilman Studley filed a petition for a recount of the votes for councilman in Ward Two and Councilman Craig filed a petition for a recount of the votes for councilman in Ward Three. The surprise however came late in the afternoon when John L. Miller filed papers also asking for a recount of the votes for Mayor.

It is the intention of the Registrars to begin the recount Monday morning at 8.30. They will begin with Ward One and each ward will be taken in rotation until all are finished.

BIG CROWD GATHERED

When Fire Alarm Sounded on Pettengill's Store

The continual jangling of the burglar alarm on the Pettengill jewelry store at 9.58 Friday evening jarred the nerves of a large number of people who were doing their weekly shopping. Many stood still thinking that a fire had broken out and that a new style fire call was sounding, while others thought some of the lodgers in the building nearby had playfully set the alarm clock of a friend at an early hour.

They, who keep in touch and read the papers were on in a minute and it was but a short time before it was passed through the crowd that it was the burglar alarm. They hurried to the spot, rubbered, but everything in the store had a usual appearance.

Officer Olsen was summoned by an excited person from his station in the square and he investigated. He was not excited since he has investigated the sounding of the bell four times this week. The other officers received word in time and mooched down so as to make sure it was not a false alarm.

The crowd which had gathered separated, some relieved and others disappointed, for as one woman remarked, "I want to see a real, live burglar," and it is a shame to fool the public.

—According to the report of the commissioner of internal revenue, the consumpion of cigarettes in this country for the three months from July 1 to October was 3,800,000,000. These figures are difficult of conception, but when it is stated that they represent four cigarettes a day for every man, woman and child in the country, some idea may be gained of the tremendous proportions of the cigarette habit. The internal revenue receipts also show a marked increase in the sales of cigars during the same period.—Milford Gazette.

☞The choir boy's food sale to be held in St. Chrysostom's church parish rooms today between three and five o'clock is under the general charge of Mrs. George B. Curran, assisted by the mothers of boys, orders telephoned to the Rectory will be filled if possible and delivered by special messenger.

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APPEALS TO THE LADIES

Sam Shellman Puts Up a Good Claim

FOR WASHINGTON VOTES

Among the correspondence of the Contest Editor for the Free Washington Trip, today, was the following unique appeal to the lady readers of the Daily Ledger, which they cannot very well dodge:,

Contest Editor Daily Ledger:

When a man has been nominated for office, it is incumbent upon him to write his acceptance and state his platform and policies. Some good friend thought enough of me to place me in nomination with 105 votes. Many thanks. I hereby pledge myself, if elected to carry out my part of the contract.

I here and now declare that I am in favor of Woman Suffrage. Yes sir, I am! I think every woman should vote (in this contest), and if I am successful, the first thing I will do when I go to Washington, will be to force Congress to pass a law allowing all women to vote. To prove to you that I am in earnest, I declare that I have voted for every woman who ran for office in Quincy, this year.

So here is your chance ladies, to square accounts and vote for me. Never mind our friend who it at the head of the list; it is obvious that he don't need any more votes.

Let me again, thank my many friends for their loyal support, and believe me to be yours very truly,

Sam Shellman.

Quincy, Dec. 6, 1912.

But there is one important plank which "Sam" has omitted from his platform. He should have taken people into his confidence and told them who he intends to take to Washington as a companion. Probably some of the anxious ones would

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PUBLIC HEARING ON BATH HOUSE

City Council will Listen to Interested Parties

An adjourned meeting of the City Council will be held Monday evening the main reason for adjourning to this date being to canvas the votes at Tuesday's election. The most important matter is the public hearing on the question of petitioning the legislature to build a public bath house along the Quincy Shore reservation. Any regular business may properly come before the meeting.

CRIMSON HUE FOR COHASSET

Planned by Minot Pratt When He Took Neighbor's Paint

Minot Pratt of Cohasset was arraigned in court this morning for the larceny of a can of paint from George F. Sargent. Mr. Sargent testified that he left a can of paint back of his home and that he thought Pratt, whom he had known since boyhood was under the influence of liquor at the time, otherwise he would not have taken the paint. While it was not stated in court it is supposed that Pratt had been drinking and was seized with the idea of painting the good old town of Cohasset a bright red and for this reason helped himself to the can of paint.

☞Get busy now and shop at home. Look over the stock of local merchants. They need the trade and you need their stores. Be one to show your civic pride by shopping at home.

REMARKABLE CHURCHMAN

Cardinal O'Connell will Be 52 Years Old Tomorrow

William Cardinal O'Connell, archbishop of the Boston diocese will be 52 years old tomorrow. He is certainly one of the most remarkable figures in the American history of the Catholic church, occupying one which is unique and which only a man of his splendid attainments could reach. He



CARDINAL WILLIAM H. O'CONNELL

is one of the youngest members of the sacred college. He is held in high esteem at Rome and who knows but what some day past traditions may be eliminated and an American Pope may wield the sceptre of St. Peter.

The Cardinal will officiate at the solemn pontifical mass, at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, with Bishop Anderson as celebrant. Sunday will be observed in all Catholic churches as the feast of the Immaculate Conception.

An unusual feature of the devotions at the Cathedral will be that at the 8 o'clock morning mass, Cardinal O'Connell will himself be the celebrant.

WHEN THE DAYS GROW LONGER

Possibly It May Grow Colder, But We Hope Not

After next week Friday the days will begin to lengthen in the afternoon. Commencing last Tuesday the sun sets at 4.12 until December 14, when it sets at 4.13, and from then on the afternoons increase in length at the rate of about a minute each day. Although the days begin to lengthen in the afternoon they still continue to grow shorter in the morning and will for some time. The shortest day in the year will be Dec. 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, when they will be 9 hours and 4 minutes long. From then on the days will begin to increase in length and according to the old saying "When the days begin to lengthen the cold begins to strengthen," there should be some cold weather after that date and the coal that has been saved during the past few weeks will come in handy.

MILTON S. OF V.

The annual meeting and election of officers of Col. Oliver W. Peabody camp 74, Sons of Veterans, took place Wednesday evening. The new list of officers is as follows: Commander, Ernest E. Leavitt; senior vice-commander, Peter Cummins; junior vice-commander, Charles A. Cook; camp council, Orrin P. Doe, Edward M. Fletcher and Frank W. Cappers; treasurer, Arthur W. Houghton.

☞Don't forget the opening entertainment of the Quincy Lyceum course next Monday, Dec. 9 in Music Hall. The renowned Temple Singers and Mrs. Bertha Cushing Child will furnish the program in this opening attraction.

GRAND JURY MAKES REPORT

Two Manslaughter Indictments at This Session

CASES OF LOCAL INTEREST

The Norfolk county grand jury for the December term of the superior criminal court made its report Friday to Judge Henry A. King. The grand jury reported 28 true bills and seven no bills.

The most important are two indictments charging manslaughter. One is against Albert H. Woods, a Brookline florist, who shot Thomas Goldrop at Brookline September 18, 1912 as he was leaving the Woods premises after taking some violets.

Jeremiah J. Geary of Brookline is charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Antonio Buonofani at Brookine on September 13, 1912. Buonofani was working in an excavation between the street railway tracks on Boylston street, Brookline, when an electric car operated by Geary, as motorman, ran him down, inflicting injuries from which he died.

A serious allegation is found against Harry H. Ross of Wrentham, who is charged with the abduction of Selina White at Wrentham, September 6, 1912 No bills were found in the charges of attempting to poison his wife, Jennie Ross, and with a statutory offense.

Among the other indictments were the following:

Francis De Coste of Braintree, charged with statutory offense at Braintree, October 19, 1912.

William J. F. Fracey of Milton, charged with assault and battery on Hazel E. Keith at Milton Sept. 11, 1912 Plea of not guilty.

William J. F. Fracey of Milton, charged with assault with intent to commit criminal assault on Irene H. MacIntyre at Milton Sept. 11, 1912.

Harvey W. Brown of Quincy charged with criminal assault on Mildred O. Gardiner at Quincy, April 6, 1912. Plea of not guilty.

Harvey W. Brown of Quincy, charged in four counts with criminal acts. Plea of not guilty to each count.

John E. Senior of Quincy, charged with breaking and entering the store of George E. Sprague at Quincy, Oct. 14, 1912. Plea of guilty.

Ralph C. Story of Weymouth, charged with breaking and entering the dwelling house of Carl Abel at Weymouth, Sept. 2, 1912. Plea of not guilty.

Norman Whitcomb of Holbrook, charged with breaking and entering the store of Albert C. Belcher and Joseph Belcher at Holbrook, Sept. 20, 1912, and larceny. Plea of guilty.

John E. Senior of Braintree, charged with robbing Mary Dignan at Braintree, Oct. 13, 1912. Plea of guilty.

Archie H. Howes of Randolph, charged with breaking and entering the house of Charles F. Grant at Randolph, Sept. 12, 1912. Plea of not guilty.

PATRIARCHS VISITATION

Militant Odd Fellows Plan Gala Time Monday Night

A genuine Odd Fellows time is promised for Monday evening when the Manet Encampment will entertain Buckingham Encampment of Boston at their rooms.

Eighteen candidates will have the Golden Rule degree conferred, the exemplification being carried out by the Manet Encampment degree team.

Brigadier General Zenas W. Lewis of Brockton, Patriarchs Militant, and a large number of Brockton Odd Fellows have sent word that they would be present.

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NEW OFFICERS GETTING BUSY

Elks will Arrange For Christmas Dinners

THE POOR TO BENEFIT

The new officers of Quincy lodge of Elks will begin their work immediately by trying to enliven matters in the lodge. At the regular meeting Tuesday evening arrangements have been made for an entertaining vaudeville show at the club house after the meeting. Following its usual custom the lodge will distribute Christmas baskets to the worthy poor of the district, who otherwise would not be able to enjoy a Christmas dinner. Last year the lodge distributed 75 baskets in the district and this year it is the hope of the officers to do even better. The committee in charge of this work is John Hilderbrand, E. L. K., Chairman; Philip H. Sullivan, E. R; George A. Jordan, P. E. R; Edward D. Larkin, E. L. K.; Maurice F. Cohan, tyler; John J. Lane, Charles P. Gould, Chaplain; Robert J. Williams, Jr. P. E. R.; C. R. O'Connor, treasurer and Henry O. Binney, organist. The committee urge it upon every member to contribute their mite toward this most excellent cause.

PACKARD CAMP S. OF V. ELECTS

Officers Chosen For the Year to Be Installed Next Month

The annual election of Col. Abner Packard Camp, Sons of Veterans took place at the Grand Army hall Friday evening when these officers were chosen:

Commander—Harry G. Ford.

Senior Vice Commander—Edward Prouty.

Junior Vice Commander—William R. French.

Camp Council—Harry E. D. Gould, Frank H. Stoddard and Parker Souther.

Secretary—Lester A. Porter.

Treasurer—Charles F. Strattard.

The installation will take place during the month of January when the camp plans to have a grand celebration. While the organization has been most successful since receiving its charter the spirit of the members this year is to exert themselves to greater effort and establish a record such as never before attained in one year.

☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

NOTICE!

We published a notice December 3 announcing that we would give away a Souvenir Coin Free to those calling for one of our Christmas Jewelry Catalogues, Friday, December 6.

We find that we are unable according to law to have U. S. Coins, Gold Plated, and should therefore not wish to give them away as souvenirs.

$5 in Gold "Free"

We will give in place of the above $5.00 in gold, or its equivalent in Jewelry, to the person who may guess the number which will be selected, and left in sealed envelope with the Quincy Daily Ledger and the Quincy Telegram Contest open to all persons over 12 years of age. Give name of the head of the family and any number between 1 and 1912 inclusive. Only one member from any one family permitted to enter in Contest. Number will be selected by three disinterested persons.

Contest closes Saturday, December 14, at 6 P. M.

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Judging from Friday one might be excused for thinking that December is luxuriating in the lap of spring.

It might appear that the Boston Port Directors have a pretty big job on their hands to get things ready for the Germans before the spring, without looking around for other ports to conquer.

One New York hotel bars children, but dogs, well they can have the run of the house. Roosevelt! help!

A New York stenographer being too pretty could not hold a job and tried to end it all by suicide. Many such cases have been reported while others have never been revealed of similar character in New York.

Secretary of War Stimpson is right when he says that the taxpayers should receive the benefits of waterways resources. Lately the only privileges which the people have enjoyed is in putting up the cash for capitalists to reap a harvest from.

Somebody leaked in the De Luxe edition cases and officers are finding it hard to locate some of the culprits. About all of those big cases are tried and execution secured in the newspapers before the offenders have been reached all of which furnishes them ample time to make a good getaway.

The Michigans while sorely disappointed in their fight for suffrage conducted themselves in such a quiet dignified manner that they gained respect for themselves and many converts to their cause.

The Sherman law is adequate if enforced. Tinkering with it will only be of relief to the monopolies.

A clergyman arises to announce that paganism is rampant in Boston. Does he mean between Temple place and Eliot street?

Secretary Meyer on the eve of retirement, sounds a note of warning, urging three new battleships to be prepared for war. We hope it is not quite as dark as the picture is painted, but an immediate war could be started, ended and reopened again while the present naval wonders are being constructed.

The cat whose owner refused $2000 for him must be the tip top hunch on the back yard fence.

Canada would show more commercial development by spending that $35,000,000 for battleships at home.

Appoint by merit is all very good advice coming from theorists but the practical fellows appoint more because of the political merit of the candidate.

All Santa Claus mail will be turned over to charitable institutions, which will of course add to the labors of those overworked people at a busy season.

Johnson was even bluffing about the wedding few. The roll declared as $100 was only five, probably wound around a roll of absorbent cotton.

What a grand scramble is already started on its course for Democratic nomination for Mayor of Boston.

The good old Weymouth Gazette no longer appears in the old style of four large pages, nine columns each. This week, it was changed over to eight pages which will meet the approval of its many readers. We extend congratulations to Editor Hawes upon the enterprising appearance of his weekly and wish him continued success.

Householders who have stocked their cellars with a supply of eatables for the winter have been complaining of late about the mild weather which has made it difficult to keep fruit and vegetables from decaying before they could be eaten. Of course the beautiful fall we have enjoyed may have some such drawbacks but if last winter is any standard by which to calculate we shall probably get our coldest all together commencing about January first. About then it will be a hard matter to keep the supplies from freezing.

SECTIONALISM.

Sectionalism in this country has always held a strong place and it continues to exercise a sway that injects itself into every enterprise and will not be downed. It was the foundation of the greatest war the world has ever witnessed. It has led to all sorts of conflicts, misunderstandings and situations which in a lesser country, one not so powerful, with such reserve force, reliance and energy would have accomplished complete wreck long ago. But it is the very size, greatness of the country and diversity of its enterprises and the magnitude of its undertakings which has saved it from its own faults and foibles, and particularly that fatal one of sectionalism which crops out every where and so frequently. Just now it is the waterways convention which has stirred that sentiment root and branch. The east raises a cry, the west raises a cry, and the south raises a cry and from the midst of this four cornered wail, the centre can be heard making frantic efforts to raise its howl above the general cry. And the plaint of all is that they have not had their share. That is the burning question with all, that share proposition. Now if this work was left out to a commission as it properly should be which would have discretionary powers, all this feeling would be eliminated. This commission could look the situation over and determine the immediate wants of localities as compared with the country as a whole and take each in the order of necessity. In this way progress would be made and every one would be satisfied and progress would not be hindered by the ever recurring claim of this or that section for recognition or its share of the spoils.

BOOZE FOR THE MONKEYS.

The superintendent of parks at Richmond, Ind., is of an economic turn of mind evidently, and believes in not only developing that trait to the utmost but likewise in rubbing his bump of mental activities in the interests of the community for which he works if by so doing he can save the city some money. It seems that Richmond has a zoo with a good crop of monkeys in it. There are also some blind tigers scattered along the shores of the highway. The blind tigers are frequently raided, their product seized and confiscated.

Now some wise person has decided that monkeys should have a hooker or two of whiskey every other day during the winter weather. Whoever reached this scientific conclusion deserves some measure of praise from the keepers that is presuming that they are of the elbow tipping type, because in that case the monkey has to share his rations with the man in charge. But this particular keeper has decided that the confiscated stuff from the blind tiger can be used to advantage. He suggests that instead of pouring it into the street, as is usually the case that the supply be used to feed the monkeys on. The keeper's stomach may be all right and impervious to the influences of the stuff, but it seems needless cruelty to animals to inflict on those poor monkeys, "the product of the blind tiger.

NO PLACE FOR REVENGE.

That some one is trying to work injury to William G. Solomon, proprietor of the Enterprise House in the Fore River district, seems to be quite evident from events of the past few weeks. Several fires have happened in the vicinity of the hotel, which look innocently enough and would make no impression were it not for the fact that those things have not only happened but it seems they have happened with premeditation. In other words there has been a deliberate and premediated effort to fire the Solomon premises and work destruction to them, no matter what the consequences might be to innocent people. No less than seven such efforts have now been established as all having this end in view. Why it should be done is not known. Solomon is a law abiding citizen who minds his own business, performs his duties, interferes with no one, and is generally liked. If some one has a grudge against him they are taking a poor way of settling it. If it is a matter which can be taken into court, then attend to it that way. If not in that way, why, while we do not advocate personal encounter,—let the party come forward like a man and make known the grievance. However the matter has gone beyond the mere form of getting a score on Solomon by the revenge hunter.

Others whose property and even lives have been endangered have taken a hand in the matter. They contend they will sift the matter to the bottom until the guilty party is discovered or any one who may be responsible for inciting the deeds, is reached and accorded the punishment they deserve.

The police will be asked to act. Solomon is deserving of consideration and protection as well as any one. And further more he is not the only one concerned. Others who have their lives and properly endangered will demand investigation and pursuit which may lead to the capture of the offender and punishment of all who may have a hand in the events.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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BUFFALO OFFICERS

Elected at the Regular Session of Quincy Herd

Quincy Herd No. 1, Benevolent Order Buffaloes elected the following officers at their regular meeting, Thursday evening:

Past President—Peter J. Colligan.
President—Charles H. Finn.
Vice President—John J. Byron.
Recording secretary,—John Kingdom.
Financial secretary—Herbert J. Seldon.
Treasurer—Albion I. Dixon.
Chaplain—Hiram Thayer.
Marshall—Thomas Lewis.
Inside Guard—Charles H. Hersey.
Outside Guard—Bert Williams.
Trustees — Sidney Greenwood, Charles White, William H. Teasdale.
Physicians—Dr. John H. Ash and Dr. J. T. Reynolds.
Delegates to Supreme Convention,—H. J. Seldon, John J. Byron, Thomas F. Flaherty.
Alternates—A. I. Dixon, Frank O'Brien, Fred Hannant.

Quincy Herd is fast growing in membership, four new members being initiated previous to the election.

After the regular business was concluded, a social hour was enjoyed during which refreshments were served.

BETHANY CHURCH.

The pleasant Sunday evening service will be held in the auditorium. The vested chorus choir of young ladies will sing under the direction of Mrs. Moore. The address on "The Cost of High Living" will interest all people.

The Brotherhood Bible class invites the men of Quincy, not already members of another class to study with them the application of the gospel of Jesus to the vital questions of our own day.

THAYER ACADEMY NOTES.

This afternoon there will be a basket ball game at three o'clock in the boys' gymnasium. Thayer will play against Weymouth High.

School closes Friday the 20th. The last three days, will be devoted to examinations.

Friday an open basket ball practice was given by the girls in the gymnasium. All attending the practice paid five cents to aid the paying of the basket ball schedules.

TO REVISE WHOLE TARIFF

Democrats Plan to Consider Fully Every Schedule

Washington, Dec. 7.—"We will revise the tariff from agate to zinc," says Oscar Underwood, chairman of the committee on ways and means.

Underwood made it clear that the Democrats would not content themselves with the bills which passed the house at the last session revising the metal, woolen, cotton and sugar schedules and providing for a farmers' free list, but would undertake the work of revision as thoroughly as Chairman Payne did in 1909.

"Every citizen of the United States interested in the tariff may feel himself welcome to come before the ways and means committee and give us the benefit of his views and criticisms," continued Underwood. "Our idea is to give the people what they want."

AGED INVALID FORGOTTEN

Woman Burns to Death as Four Families Flee From Fire

Boston, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Catherine Regan, 80 years of age, who lived at 42 Troy street, was burned to death last night in the fire that destroyed the three-story dwelling house and drove out four families.

Mrs. Regan had been confined to her bed on the second floor for some time. She crawled from her bed to the landing in the hallway and there succumbed to the flames.

Nobody seemed to remember that Mrs. Regan was in the building until a fireman stumbled over her body in the hallway on the second floor, after the flames had been subdued.

The fire started in the basement, and was discovered by an employe of a stable across the street.

FOR LACK OF EVIDENCE

Indictments Against Standard Oil Company May Be Dropped

Washington, Dec. 7.—It is believed Attorney General Wickersham will dismiss, for lack of evidence, the indictments against Standard Oil officials, returned at Dallas for alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The service of the warrants for the arrest of John D. Archbold, H. C. Folger, Jr., and W. C. Teagle of the Standard Oil, indicted with others at Dallas, is being held up by order of the attorney general.

GENERAL UPLIFT OF AGRICULTURE

Summary of Advance During Wilson's Term of Office

Washington, Dec. 7.—After sixteen years, a record of service in the cabinet, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson submitted to President Taft the last annual report he will make as head of the United States department of agriculture.

"The record of sixteen years has been written," he says. "It begins with a yearly farm production of $4,000,000,000 and ends with $9,532,000,000. Sixteen years ago, the farmer was a joke of the caricaturist; now he is like the stone that was rejected by the builder and has become the head stone of the corner.

"The toilers of the soil were burdened with debts," he adds, "but prosperity followed and grew with unexampled speed. Beginnings have been made in a production per acre increasing faster than the natural increase of population. There has been an uplift of agriculture and of country life. During the past sixteen years the farmers' wealth production increased 141 percent."

More than $105,000,000,000 is the grand total of farm wealth production, the report says, during the past sixteen years, an amount equal to about three-quarters of the present national wealth.

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VOTING CONTEST

like to know first, whether he is a married man? Whether there are any "little shavers" in the Shellman family? Whether they must become barbers or Congressmen? Does he believe in lady barbers? Would he be willing to do the housework, while his wife attends to the tonsorial work But why ask the last question; when women vote it will be for them to decide who shall do the housework. Another question, Sam; how would the diamond ring, offered as a second prize, please you?

This second prize should not be overlooked in the contest, for the ring is a valuable one—either a ladies' ring or a gentlemen's ring. It is a beauty.

Remember, the prize certificate for 100 votes will be awarded at 9 A. M. next Monday, at which time the Contest Editor will also announce another prize certificate for 200 votes which will give candidates with a small vote a chance.

Among the candidates to make good gains today are A. MacKay, Mrs. Emma Marnock, Sturgis Hunt, Miss Morrissett, Jennie Beer, Miss Randall, Thomas J. Welsh, Miss Kenney, Miss Cahill and Miss Taylor.

Among the new candidates are Joseph Barber of Elm avenue, a High school boy; Harry Burr, the president of the Class of 1913 Q. H. S., and William Hodge of Town hill.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk,	2535
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	1455
A. MacKay, Heptasophs	800
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	380
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	280
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	160
Sam Shellman, Granite street	105
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	85
Jennie Beer, O. D. St. George	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
Ethel Randall, stenographer	85
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Galen Bowditch, messenger	70
Katherine C. Walsh, telephone	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	60
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	55
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	55
Richard Larkin, High school	55
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	50
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	45
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	45
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	40
John T. Cain, K. of C.	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
W. C. Luther, Fore River	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
M. S. Nicholl, Makaria Fraternity	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
William Erickson, F. of A.	35
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	30
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	30
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
Carl W. Leaf, Water street	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	20
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
John Mahon, organist	15
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	15
Walter Mead, High school	10
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	10
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5

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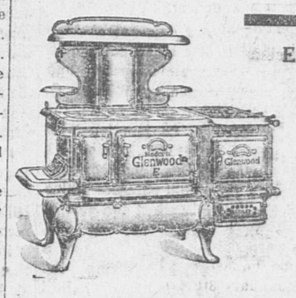
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The Social Realm

Dr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Gilson of Lindon place, who are well known and have many friends in this city where they have made their home since their marriage, observed the twenty-ninth anniversary of their wedding, and also Mrs. Gilson's birthday, Friday evening. For many years it has been the custom of Dr. Gilson, to take his bride of twenty-nine happy years, to Boston where a choice and dainty dinner is served afterwards attending the theatre in the evening. A host of friends extended congratulations and a shower of cards was received during the day.

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Mr. and Mrs. John La Ture and daughter Regina, have returned to their home on Sagamore street after spending a few days with friends at their former home in Meridan, Conn.

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Mrs. William F. Hallett and daughter, Katherine of Centreville on the Cape are guests of Mrs. James Willard Hallett of Warwick street.

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The last meeting of the Pythian Whist club met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Hill, 132 Billings road and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Souvenirs of the evening were taken by Miss Blanche Hanscom Mr. Chaplin and Mr. Frederick Dewitt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Robbins of Plymouth have moved to Arnold road, Wollaston.

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Miss Cora Harding of Botolph street, entertained the Billiken club, Tuesday evening. The evening was enjoyed in playing games. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Miss Olive Louise Huston, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Huston of Revere road, and Joseph Gilman Jacobs of Wollaston, who announced their engagement this week, have received most hearty congratulations from their friends.

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Quincy friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Emma A. Burrell, fomerly of this city is very pleasantly located in Los Angeles, California. She has been doing quite a little lately in writing stories of California life and been very successful.

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Mrs. Carter, mother of Mrs. Cyrus T. Sherman of Greenleaf street is visiting relatives in Medford.

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Miss Clara L. Fuller of Plympton has been a recent guest of her brother, Josiah C. Fuller of Botolph street.

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Mr. I. F. Crafts of West Somerville, a former resident of Quincy Point, spent Thanksgiving with F. C. Whitehead of Farrington street.

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Miss Rose Hallett of Centreville on the Cape, Miss Mabel Wallace of Brookline and Gifford Hallett of Somerville were week end guests of Mrs. James Willard Hallett of Warwick street.

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The faculty of the Quincy Mansion school and former pupils are much interested in the visit to this country of the Marchoness of Donegal, who arrived in Boston Thursday by the way of Canada. She was formerly Miss Violet Gertrude Twining of Halifax, N. S., and a graduate of the Quincy Mansion school and student at Wellesley college.

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Many congraulations have been sent to Mr. and Mrs. Allen T. Hirtle, nee Bryant, of Kansas City, on the birth of a son, born Nov. 17. Mr. Hirtle was a former resident of Wollaston.

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Master William Stockford of Hollis avenue spent Thanksgiving and the remainder of the week with his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Coman of Putnam, Connecticut.

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Mrs. French of East Squantum street is visiting at Marshfield.

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Announcements have been received in Wollaston of the marriage of Miss Gertrude Irene Brooks and William Aroon Hirtle at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. Mr. Hirtle left Wollaston some eight years ago.

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Thomas Harper Craig of Smith street is entertaining his brother John Craig of Portland, Oregon, who has not been East for seventeen years. The brothers hardly recognized each other after this long absence.

W. S. Assistant Attorney General William H. Lewis being unable to be present at the meeting of the Quincy Women's club on Tuesday afternoon another speaker has been secured. The committee has been so fortunate as to get F Schuyler Mathews of Cambridge, who will give his bird lecture, an illustrated lecture on "Wild birds and their music." He will exhibit 40 water colors of his own work. It is said Mr. Mathews perfect bird notes are a delight to his listeners. Bird lovers are sure of a treat next Tuesday afternoon.

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THE PHILERGIANS, BRAINTREE.

At the meeting on Tuesday Mrs. Christabel W. Kidder was heard in a splendid dramatic reading of "The Melting Pot" by Israel Zangwill. The fusion of all the races—the crucible—the melting pot of Europe—is America. It is a wonderful portrayal of the problem of the Jew, and Mrs. Kidder's interpretation is magnificent, she thrilled a large audience.

Pietro Isola's lecture to the art class on Wednesday was on Spanish art. Mr. Isola threw on the screen photographs of the best works of the well known painters of Spain: Luis de Morales, Antonio de Pereda, Alonso Cano, El Greco, Francisco Zurbaran, Juan Carreno, Velasquez, Murillo, and Francisco Goya. The next lecture will be the last of the course, Wednesday, January 8th.

The last meeting of the club in 1912 is being anticipated with pleasure. December 17th will be a home talent day—a debate on "The Annexation of Braintree to Boston." The principal on the affirmative is Mrs. Harry W. Hall, assisted by Mrs. Walter A. Poore, Mrs. Lily B. Porter, and Mrs. Helen M. Ellsworth. The principal on the negative is Mrs. Henry F. Knight, assisted by Miss Jane F. Edgcomb, Mrs. Nathaniel S. Gould and Mrs. George W. Stevens. The judges of the debate are Mrs. Arthur W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Edith F. Morrison and Mrs. Otis B. Oakman. There will be music and a tea. Especial attention is called to the Christmas sale of the exchange committee. Hand embroidered linens and other handicraft, suitable for gifts, will be on sale; also there will be a table of Japanese articles.

The literature and library extension committee, Mrs. Albert E. Avery, chairman, announces the following free lectures at the Boston Art Museum, on Mondays and Thursdays at 8 o'clock, and Sundays at 3.30 o'clock:

"Sunday, December 8, "Types of Modern Drama" by Frank C. Hersey.

Monday, Dec. 9, "Egypt and Palestine" by John R. Ainsley.

Thursday, Dec. 12, "West India Islands" by Charles Mason Fuller.

Sunday, Dec. 15, an illustrated reading, Longfellow's "Evangeline" by A. T. Kempton.

Thursday, Dec. 19 "America's Treasures of Art" by Mary Augusta Mullikin.

Sunday, Dec. 29, "Charles Dickens as an Actor" illustrated, by John J. Enright.

BRAINTREE G. A. R.

Friday evening, the members of General Sylvanus Post 87 G. A. R. held their regular meeting in G. A. R. hall and elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing year.

Com.,—William L. Gage.
Sen. Vice—Royal Belcher.
Jr. Vice—Solon David.
Surgeon—Henry B. Whitman.
Q. S.—Charles G. Anderson.
Chaplain—Edward O. Pierson.
Officers of the Day—Joseph M. Foster.
Office of the Guard—Henry A. Monk.
Adj.—Edwin L. Curtis.
Delegates— Charles G. Anderson and John Q. Ela.
Alternates—E. L. Curtis and J. M. Foster.
Trustees for three years—Henry A. Monk.

A pleasant pastime which the veterans have enjoyed for many years at the conclusion of their Friday evening meetings is the playing of cribbage. Friday evening, Charles G. Anderson broke the record of twenty years' standing making 28 points in one hand. Twenty years ago the late Marcus A. Perkins made a memorable score which has never been equalled or excelled by these veterans until last evening.

☞The annual Christmas fair of the Dorcas society will be held in the Universalist vestry, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. Supper Tuesday evening at 6.30. Fancy articles, aprons and home made candy for sale. A good chance to buy something pretty for Christmas.

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FOOTBALL BOYS GIVEN THEIR Q

Girls Made the Occasion One of Pleasant Surprise

COACH GIVEN A PIN

The members of the Quincy High school first and second teams were awarded their letter at a reception given them in the gym, Friday evening by the three upper class young ladies. Ten of the second team players were given a "Q", the first time that such an award has been made.

From 7.30 to 8 o'clock, Mrs. Ernest L. Collins and Mrs. Horace W. Rice received. They stood in the southeast corner of the gym in front of a large bank of poinsettias and evergreen boughs with which the festive scene was decorated. Suspended from a chandelier was the football which had been used during the season and it was draped with evergreen and poinsettias so the numerals 1912 could be seen from the floor.

Headmaster Ernest L. Collins awarded the players their "Q" and said that while it seemed as though many players were entitled to first team letters, in order to stimulate an athletic spirit, he thought it better to establish a standard which would be a mark for all to strive for.

As each stepped forward to take the coveted prize he was given applause and cheers.

Those who received their "Q" were First team, Leon White, (captain), Harold Hamlin, Edwin Brown, Richard Crane, Paul Larkin, Richard Larkin, Willard Atkins, Samuel Prout, Ralph Prout, Clifton Young, James Jenkins, Lawrence Martin, Sewel Sayward, Glen Arthur and the following members of the second team, Carrol Elcock, Millard Summer, Frederick Schenkelberger, Francis Foy, Welden Pratt, Leslie Andrews, Horton Page, Allen Miller, Reginald Gay and Wesley Brown.

Coach Arthur Sisson was presented with a stickpin by the team members. The presentation was made by Edwin Brown, '13 and was entirely unexpected by the coach. He extended his best wishes to his friends and in a short neat speech accepted the token.

The guests of the evening were Mrs. Ernest L. Collins, Mrs. Horace W. Rice and Principal Horace W. Rice of the Woodward Institute.

Frappe, cake and lemonade were served in a corner of the gym. Music for dancing was furnished by Weston's orchestra.

Miss Elizabeth G. Crane of the English department and Miss Elizabeth O'Neil of the Latin department assisted the committee which consisted of the following: Miss Marion McCloon, chairman, '14; Miss Margaret Johnson, '13; Miss Mildred Saywood, '13; Miss Louise Wilson, '14; Miss Irene Potterton '14; Miss Marion Rand, '13.

TEAMDRIVERS' DANCE.

The General Teamdrivers Union, local 305, I. B. of T. C. S. & H. of A., held their third annual dance at Alpha hall, Friday evening. A large number of guests were present from Braintree, Milton, Weymouth and Quincy.

Senator-elect John J. McDevitt and Councilmen Edward J. Sandberg paid their friends a friendly call during the evening.

Dancing was enjoyed until midnight and music was furnished by Wilson's five piece orchestra.

The officers of the local are A. Trotman, president; H. Brown, vice-president; John Harlin, treasurer; W. McKenna, recording secretary; Alexander Craig, Warden and J. McInnis conductor. T. F. Cahill, J. O'Brien and Sylvestor Webster are trustees.

The floor was in charge of A. Trotman and W. McKenna was the assistant floor director. Alexander Craig was chief of aids and he was assisted by T. F. Cahill, Sylvestor Webster, J. Harlin, J. J. Lyons and J. McInnis.

THAT CABARET SUPPER.

The Men's club of the Church of St. Chrysostom, is to hold a "Cabaret" supper on Tuesday evening. The wise ones are constantly buttonholing the committee, as to what will take place on that eventful evening, but these gentlemen are so busy making the necessary arrangements for this stupendous affair, that they have to leave it to imagination. Suffice it to say, that it will be a memorable night in the annals of Wollaston, a refreshing evening of gaiety and sociability.

LINE OF HOT AIR ON WAR STATE

Selling of Rivadavia Is Not Likely at This Time

VESSEL NEAR FINISHED

A Washington dispatch says:

"Official at both the State and Navy Departments were interested in reports from Constantinople that negotiations between Selig Bey, Turkish minister of marine, and the Argentine government, for the purchase of a powerful warship had reached an advanced stage.

It was pointed out that the delivery of a battleship to Turkey by Argentina during the present hostilities would be clearly in violation of international law.

On the other hand, the United States might be brought into the international tangle, since the only formidable warship which Argentina could put on the market are two dreadnaughts now under construction in American shipyards.

These are the Moreno and the Rivadavia.

Argentina must have in mind the sale of one of the vessels now building in the United States, since its present navy consists in the main of two old coast defense ships and four old armored cruisers.

It also was pointed out here that English shipbuilders have ceased work on two dreadnaughts contracted for by the Turkish government.

The dreadnaught Rivadavia, under construction at the Fore River Shipbuilding wards at Quincy, is 93 per cent completed, according to the last report made on the work.

It is doubtful whether she could be finished and fitted for active service much short of two months. It is also doubtful whether the Fore River Company would consent to her release if it were expected that Argentina was to transfer the dreadnaught to Turkey."

While the negotiations may have been pending to the end suggested they would be dropped automatically at the outbreak of the war under the International law. So far as the matter so extensively related is concerned, it is a story and nothing more. Nothing along the lines of delivering a vessel of war from the dock yards of a neutral nation could be accomplished in those days without considerable complications, of more serious consequence than the cost of the ship.

While Fore River Company officials admitted that the Rivadavia, could in an emergency be completed within a couple of months, they declined to discuss the other phase of the situation. However it must be understood that after a vessel is released from the ship yard there is considerable to be done about her. Her armament, supplies, equipment, and a thousand and one things must be attended to and it is safe to say that the peace will be accomplished long before this or any any other vessel now in process of construction could be ready to make a reasonable showing upon the water.

It is only another of those stories, founded upon a possibility, which are about as near accomplishment as the meeting of the North and South pole but at the present time, certain persons fall for them.

THE WOLLASTON FORUM.

That the Good Citizenship Forum meetings held in the Wollaston Unitarian church Sundays at 12 o'clock are of deep interest to the citizens of this community is evident from the large gathering of representative men from all sections of Quincy to be seen at these discussions. Probably no man has taken more interest in or is better posted on city affairs than Exmayor Charles M. Bryant, who will address the Forum Sunday, December 8, on "A Practical review of the revision of our city charter for better government." The public (men and women alike) cordially invited .

MONTCLAIR.

A large whist party was held last evening under the auspices of the Montclair Improvement Association. Sixteen tables were in play and the souvenirs were awarded as follows: Ladies mesh bag to Miss Katie Sullivan, silk umbrella to David Davis, jewelry case to Miss Corliss, and playing cards to E. C. Martin. Piano and violin numbers by Misses Nettie and Gladys Parlee, and vocal selections by the Montclair quartet added to the entertainment, and dancing followed.

FORE RIVER GETS THE CONTRACT

One of the Six New Destroyers to Be Built Here

CRAMPS GET THREE

The contract for the construction of one of the six torpedo boat destroyers contemplated by the government was awarded to the Fore River Ship Building Company, Friday, the division of the fleet among the builders being as follows:

Three vessels to Cramp & Sons, Philadelphia, at $842,000 each; one to the Bath, Me., Iron works at $810,000; one to the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, Quincy, Mass., at $854.500, and one to the New York Shipbuilding Company, Camden, N J., at $873,500.

CHRISTMAS SEALS.

Eighty millions of Red Seals on sale. One Hundred Thousand Tuberculosis Fighters in Twenty-five Thousand Agencies Engaged in Holiday Campaign.



Beginning next week over 80,000,000 Red Cross Christmas Seals will be placed on sale in almost every large city and nearly every state of the United States, the proceeds to go for the benefit of the anti-tuberculosis movement in the community where the seals are sold. This announcement was made today from headquarters of The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis which is directing the sale from its New York office.

So carefully has the sale been organized throughout the country that with the exception of the states of Florida. Oklahoma, Nevada and Idaho, Red Cross Seals will be on sale in almost every city, town, village and hamlet of the United States and even in Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Canal Zone.

The seals will be sold from drug stores, department stores and other kinds of stores and shops, from post offices, railway stations, booths on the street, hotel lobbies and in numerous other places. The number of agents handling the sale in this way aggregates over 25,000, while the actual number of individuals engaged in the sale, almost entirely volunteers, will reach well over 100,000. Society leaders in almost every large city of the country, notably in Pittsburg, Brooklyn, Cleveland, Chicago, Cincinnati, San Francisco and elsewhere are taking a leading part in this campaign.

The American Red Cross has already printed for the work over 85,000,000 seals and probably the edition will number 100,000,000 before the end of the campaign. Fully 10,000,000 pieces of advertising literature have already been sent out, and several million more are being distributed from local and state agencies throughout the country. It is planned to make the campaign this year the largest that has ever been held. If the anticipations of the anti-tuberculosis workers are realized, no less than $400,000 will be obtained from the sale of Red Cross Seals. Practically all of the money remains in the state or city where the seals are sold, only a very small percentage of it is going to pay for the cost of the printing and distributing the seals and for the expense of running the campaign.

MILTON W. R. C.

Huntington F. Wolcott W. R. C., 147 of Milton, held its annual election of officers Wednesday afternoon at the Town hall and the following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. Nettie Palmer; senior vice-president, Mrs. Caroline W. Cook; junior vice-president, Mrs. Harry Hargraves; treasurer, Mrs. Nellie B. Mitchell; chaplain, Mrs. Sarah Tuckerman; conductor, Mrs. Emma Littlefield; guard, Mrs. Lizzie Tucker; delegate to State convention, Mrs. Emma Littlefield; alternate, Mrs. Bertha Sanford. The installation will take place in January.

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DEGREE TEAM ON SPECIAL CAR

The first degree team of John Hancock lodge of Wollaston paid a fraternal visit to America lodge of Roxbury, Friday night and worked the first degree on a number of candidates. The team was accompanied by a number of brothers the trip being made in a special car.

TO GIVE CANTATA.

The morning and evening choirs of Bethany church are preparing to give the cantata, "The Holy City," by A. R. Gaul, on New Years night, in the auditorium of the church. The two choirs are to be assisted by a quartet of well known soloists, Edward E. Bullock, tenor; Emma S. Moore, soprano; Dorothy McTaggart Miller, contralto; Albert L. Hayden, bass. Roscoe R. Ricker will play the violin. Daisy Bemis Sampson, the piano, and Miss Agnes Ruggles, the organ. There will a chorus of sixty voices, and the concert bids fair to be one of the best given in Quincy this season.

DISTRICT COURT.

Elmer Newell was fined $6.50 for assault at Cohasset.

Minot Pratt was fined $5.30 costs for the larceny of a can of paint at Cohasset.

The liquors seized from James Townsend at Holbrook were forfeited.

The cases against Anthony George, and Herbert Fowler for creating a disturbance on a car at Braintree were called and dismissed for want of prosecution.

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BRAINTREE W. R. C.

The annual election of officers of Corps 94 W. R. C. took place at their regular meeting, Monday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Jennie I. Loring.
S. V. President, Mrs. Alice S. Kane.
J. V. President, Mrs. Sarah A. Vinning.
Chaplain, Mrs. Elvira Curtis.
Conductor, Mrs. Carrie E. Downey.
Guard, Mrs. Margaret Pierson.
Delegate to Department Convention, Mrs. I. R. Coy.
Alternate, Mrs. Mary A. Buchanan.

The evening was a very stormy one, so the attendance was not as large as was hoped for. The Corps are making preparations for an entertainment and sale to be held the nineteenth of this month.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: partly cloudy but with no great change in temperature Sunday. Possibly local showers, rain or snow.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.00
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.13
Moon sets	6.06
High water, A. M.	10.00
High water, P. M.	10.45

Days decrease 6 hours 5 minutes.

MONDAY'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.01
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.11
Moon sets	new moon
High Water, A. M.	10.45
High Water, P. M.	11.30

Days decrease 6 hours and 6 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	49 degrees
Dec. 7, 1911,	48 degrees
Dec. 7, 1910,	28 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

The Ladies Benevolent Society of Memorial church is to hold a Christmas sale in connection with their regular meeting next Wednesday afternoon.

The Walther Men's class will meet Sunday at 12.15 in the Wollaston Baptist church. Rev Joseph Walther will lead in the discussion, subject: "A little child." All men not in other similar classes invited.

John G. Bestgen and family have moved from Webster street to the house recently purchased from Mrs. Harry Foster on Prospect street.

A parents and teachers night will be held for the First Presbyterian Bible school, Wednesday evening at 7.45 in the lecture room. H. W. Gibson, secretary of Boys' Work in Massachusetts and Rhode Island will speak. A social hour will follow.

It is understood that the clergy, Catholic and Protestant, of Atlantic have spoken words of warning to parents in regard to moving picture shows. They have not disapproved of theatres or moving picture shows, but of the danger of children being dishonest or taking wrong methods to procure the dime for admittance, and also the possibility of having a low taste developed. Why don't the clergymen also see that the curfew law is enforced after the show?

A special meeting will be held in the Universalist church Sunday evening at seven-thirty o'clock under the auspices of the Young People's Christian Union. The speakers will be Rev. Rufus H. Dix of North Weymouth and Clarence H. Stone of Dorchester, president of the Mass. Y. P. C. U. Both young and old are invited to this meeting.

Mrs. William I. Hartley of Appleton street is confined to her home by illness.

The Cabaret supper with its many secrets which is creating so much interest and arousing curiosity is to be given Tuesday evening in the parish room of St. Chrysostom's church by the Men's club, with Messrs. Theodore Parker and Holland as chairmen.

E. A. Barber of Webster street left Saturday night for a three weeks' business trip, his first stop being South Bend, Indiana.

The next in the course of lectures being given at the Hall Place M. E. church will be a stereopticon lecture December 17th on "Picturesque America" or "From Plymouth Rock to the Golden Gate" by George W. Penniman.

The teachers' training class of the Hall Place M. E. church meets in the vestry Monday evening at 7.30.

Herbert Burch of East Squantum street is confined to his home with an attack of pleurisy.

The Ladies' Aid of the Hall Place M. E. church hold a social and entertainment at the home of Mrs. Fred L. Badger on Crescent street.

Rev. T. C. Martin of the Hall Place M. E. church is visiting the Methodist churches in the Springfield district in the interests of church aid for the Hall Place M. E. church, said district having been assigned to him by the Church Aid committee of the Conference.

Friends of Mrs. Vogler are sorry to know that she is ill at her home on Botolph street.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes of Braintree have moved to Arnold road, Wollaston.

DEACON WHITE HAS BIRTHDAY

Only Survivor of the 45th Is 78 Years Young

Comrade Joseph H. White, better known on the street as the "Deacon," celebrated his seventy-eighth birthday at the Crawford house, Boston, Thursday. It was a great day for the "Deacon." He is the only one living of those who enlisted in the Co. G., 45th Mass. Regiment, from Quincy. More men went to the front during the Civil War from this town in proportion to its population than from any other town in the Union, one hundred graduates from the Washington street grammar school are included in the list of those on the muster roll.

When seats had been taken at the table on which was a fine looking bird, prepared for the occasion, "Deacon" remarked, "We are about to enter upon the invasion of Turkey." After many flank movements and charges had been made by the company, the bird was captured and soon all troubles were forgotten, all joined in the "Turkey trot."

Comrade White is a well known figure at the banquet table of Post No. 56, on Decoration day, and he has contributed much to make the day one of special interest to all those present on these occasions. As a story teller to the children in the public schools he is always welcome, and many a hearty laugh is indulged in by them at the finish.

Al enjoyed the menu and expressed the wish that they all meet again December 7th, 1913.

Long live the "Deacon!"

WOL. UNITARIAN VESPERS.

The first vespers of the season will be held Sunday, December 8, at 4.30 P. M. The musical selections will be rendered by the well known Temple Quartet, consisting of E. E. Bullock, 1st tenor, A. L. Hipson, 2nd tenor; R. L. VanBuskirk, baritone and G. E. McGowan, basso. The public is cordially invited. The following is the order of service:

Organ Prelude
Scripture Sentences and Exhortation
Quartet, "All Thy works praise Thee, O God" Gerrick
Responsive Reading from the Psalms
Chant "Won unto the King Eternal"
Poem
Quartet, "The Shadows of the Evening Hours," with Scripture Reading
Tenor Solo by Mr. Hipson
Prayer
Response by Quartet, "Lead us Heavenly Father"
Congregational Hymn
Offertory
Quartet "My Heaven in Thee" Scott
Sermon
Hymn
Benediction
Chant "Let the words of my mouth"
Organ Postlude.

BRIEFS

Mr. Wrigley is to give an organ recital in Christ church on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock—assisted by J. W. McLeod. The church will be open to all—no tickets being required.

The regular meeting of the Wollaston Parents-Teachers' Association will be held in the Wollaston school Monday evening. Mrs. Susan W. Fitzgerald of Boston will speak on "What Women Can Do for the Schools and What the Schools Can Do for Our Girls."

Bertha Fuller of Atlantic has been confined to her home with a severe cold.

Owing to the demand for the Ledger by Montclair residents a route has been started in that section by Charles E. Stuart of 63 Farington street, Wollaston. He is a student at the new Montclair school and a popular boy. He will be glad to leave you a Ledger every day.

Madeline Connors of Newbury avenue who has been sick for some time is reported as convalescing.

Pratt's Vienna Bread

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SUNDAY SERVICES

SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

Church services inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL SOCIETY, City Square—Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, 121 Griffe street, Quincy. Telephone, Quincy 441 M. At Church study 9 A. M. to 1 P. M. except Saturday. Telephone 1290. Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon: "Robert Collyer." Sunday School at 12.00. Henry W. Porter, Supt.

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL—Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Rev. Richard E. Armstrong, rector. Holy Communion at 8. Morning Prayer and sermon at 10.30. 12.05 Sunday school. 7.30 Evening Prayer and Address.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets Rev. Benjamin A. Willcott, Pastor. 10.30. Morning Service. Subject: "What Jesus left to us." Bible school at 12 noon. Organized classes for men. Classes for all ages. 6.15 Y. P. S. C. E. Topic: "Lessons of the snow." 7.30, Pleasant Sunday Evening Service. Subject: "Cost of High Living."

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington Street. Rev. Fannie E. Austin, pastor. Morning worship 10.30. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Source." 11.45 Sunday school. 7.30 P. M. Special meeting under the direction of the Y. P. C. U. Addresses by Rev. Rufus H. Dix of North Weymouth and Clarence H. Stone of Dorchester president of the Mass. Y. P. C. U. Everyone cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cottage ave. Morning service and Sunday school at 10.45. Subject: "God the only Cause and Creator." Golden Text: "The works of the Lord are great, sought out of all them that have pleasure therein. They stand fast for ever and ever, and are done in truth and uprightcousness," Psalms 111; 2 8 Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M., week days, holidays excepted. Al are welcome.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION, (undenominational) New Colonial Hall, Hancock Building, Quincy Center Lectures every Sunday at 3 P. M. on Bible topics. Speaker, W. J. Thorn. Subject: "The Dawning of a better Day for Humanity." All are welcome. No collection. Seats free.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Quincy Point — Morning service at 10.45. Rev. Sampson Nicholls will preach at both services. Sunday School at 12 M. 6.30 Men's class. Evening service at 7.30.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street — Rev. C. C. Tilley, Pastor. Morning Service at 10.30. Sunday school 11.45. Davis class for men at same hour. Evening Service at 7. Sunday Evening before the preaching service there will be a Baptism. Tuesday Evening Bible Study at 7.30. Thursday evening regular midweek prayer meeting 7.30.

FIRST U. P. CHURCH—Fort Square, Rev. A M. Thompson, pastor. Residence, 198 Whitwell Street. Morning service 10.30 A. M. Topic: "Christ and the Child." Matthew 18:2. Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Topic: "Lessons of the snow." Evening service at 7. Topic: "Caesar's claims and God's claims." Mark 12:17. Seats free. Everybody welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH— Corner Quincy and Water streets. Rev. James A. Matheson, minister. Telephone 1524-M Morning worship at 10.30. Special invitation to children. Bible School and Men's Class at 11.45 Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Evening worship and praise at 7. Young People's meeting Thursday at 7.00. Congregational prayer service at 7.30.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH—West Quincy Rev. T. C. Martin, pastor, Residence, 12 Hall place. Morning worship at 10.30. Sunday School at 12.00. Junior League at 3 P. M. Epworth League at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. A cordial welcome for all.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Corner Beale and Farrington Streets. Rev. Carl G. Horst, minister. Residence 67 Winthrop avenue. Telephone: Quincy 317-1. Kindergarten for children of three years and over at 10.45. Service of worship with sermon at 10.45. Sunday School at 12.10. Good Citizenship Forum at 7.15. Subject: "A practical review of the revision of our city charter for better government." Leader: Ex-Mayor Charles M. Bryant. Vesper Service with music by the Temple Quartet at 4.30. The public is cordially invited to all the services.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev Joseph Walther, pastor. Residence 81 Prospect avenue. Tel. 341-4 Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the Pastor. Sunday School at 12.15. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Evening service at 7.00. Preaching by the Pastor. Everyone invited.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner Lincoln and Winthrop avenues. Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., Pastor. Residence, 20 Marion Street. Telephone, Quincy 1849 M. Morning Worship at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. "The New Weapon." Sunday School at 12.15. C. A. Randall, Supt. Men's Class led by the pastor. Junior Christian Endeavor at 4 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Midweek service Thursday at 7.45 p. m. in the vestry. Topic: "The Shortest Chapter in the Bible." All are welcome.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Atlantic. Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. 10.45 morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. Theme, "The sacrifices of friendship." Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Junior Endeavor at 4. 6.00 Y. P. S. C. E. Evening service at 7, P. M. Everybody welcome.

Makaria Fraternity

SUNDAY 12 TO 1—SHARP

Bethany Church, City Square

If YOU are a young man, and not associated with any other Quincy church, YOU are most cordially invited to come to our meeting.

A warm welcome—Hearty singing—A helpful hour together.

Five Killed by Explosion

Huntington, W. Va., Dec. 7.—Five men were killed by the explosion of a boiler in a sawmill near Wilsondale, W. Va.

THREE AGENTS ARE INDICTED

Larceny and Conspiracy to Steal Is Charged Against Them

TWO ARRAIGNED IN BOSTON

Alleged to Have Swindled Harvard Student Out of $6300 in Bogus "Edition de Luxe" Book Deal—Third Under Arrest in New York in Connection With Federal Indictment

Boston, Dec. 7.—Two indictments charging larceny and conspiracy to steal were returned against three book agents yesterday by the Suffolk county grand jury in the alleged "edition de luxe" frauds, by which New England people lost $7,000,000. The men indicted are Walter V. Dunton, Frank T. Daniels and George M. Fisher. All three men were arrested, the first two in Boston and the last named in New York.

The first indictment charges all three men with the larceny of $6300 from Frederic G. Carnochan, a "gold coast" Harvard student, in an "edition de luxe" book deal. The second charges all three with "conspiracy to steal the moneys, goods and chattels" of Carnochan. The amount mentioned in the first indictment makes it a felony, while the second is rated as a misdemeanor. The indictments were returned in the superior criminal court before Judge Brown.

Dunton and Daniels were arraigned before Judge Brown in the Suffolk superior court on the larceny charge only. They waived the reading of the indictment and were held in $2500 each. Bonds were furnished by Edward Gallagher and Mr. Bacon of the firm of Bacon & Finney.

As Fisher is under arrest in New York, in connection with the federal grand jury indictments, it is not known just what will be done here in his case.

Dunton and Daniels were arrested in Boston several days ago and arraigned in the city police court. Their cases were continued until yesterday. It was the intention of the court officials to have the prosecution in the lower court dropped when they appeared and bring them before the superior court to plead to the indictments returned yesterday.

Daniels was an actor in Boston, but it is said he quit the stage when he discovered that he could make a better living selling "rare" editions. Little is known by the authorities about any of the men. Yesterday's indictments are the forerunner of a large number, it is expected.

Practically all of the evidence collected by the federal authorities regarding the operations of the swindlers in this section has been turned over to the office of the district attorney, who has arranged for a special sitting of the grand jury next Wednesday to take up all the cases. Many more indictments are expected during the next ten days or two weeks.

No prosecution in the "de luxe edition" cases will be made by the federal grand jury of the Massachusetts district. Postoffice Inspectors Swain of New York, and Gray of Boston, are gathering evidence in this city, and Inspector Barbour, who accompanied Inspector Swain from New York, is still working in New Hampshire, and may go into Maine and Vermont.

An unofficial statement was made last night that the de luxe book investigation by the government was only the beginning of a general move which has for its object a complete wiping out of the entire family of "fakes," which has flourished for many years.

GREAT NO-LICENSE PARADE

Ten Thousand Children Participate In Demonstration In Lynn

Lynn, Mass., Dec. 7.—In the Lynn no-license parade today were 10,000 children. The parade is under the auspices of the No-License league of Lynn. There were thirty-two autos with floats and children in the parade, and a large number of bands. A motion picture photograph was taken of the entire parade and will be reproduced by the league.

The children carried cards with appropriate inscriptions thereon. The vote on the license question will take place next Tuesday.

Waldo Wants Philippine Post

Washington, Dec. 7.—Rhinelander Waldo, police commissioner of New York, is making an energetic campaign to be appointed governor of the Philippines under President Wilson.

Morgan Laid Up With Cold

New York, Dec. 7.—J. P. Morgan has been confined to his home since the early part of last week because of a persistent cold. He is expected to return to Wall street next week.

Schools Closed by Diphtheria

Harwich, Mass., Dec. 7.—Nearly all the public schools here are closed on account of the prevalence of cases of diphtheria. Several deaths have occurred.

A BOSTON GIRL'S BUDGET.

All Boston Folk will be Tight this Winter, according to Custom Cutters Edict—No Gentleman will Wear a Suit Costing less than Seventy-Five—Mayor Fitz still Fusses about more Park Amusements—Actress Offers to Supply Steel Overshoes to Horse Owners who cannot afford Them—Needs of Boston's Impecunious Music Students are Partly Supplied by Beneficient Society.

Boston men have long had the reputation of being tight-wads. The coming season will find them still tight, but without the wadding. The scantiness of feminine apparel, despite the derision it has raised, has apparently caught on with the male persuasion, as the latest regulations and rules of the Custom Cutters' Club show. If mere man wishes to be real swell he must henceforth until notified to the contrary wear his trousers as tight as circulation and locomotion will permit; also his coat must be close-fitting and narrow shouldered, extremely short, and without frills and furbelows. The German military uniform is the model set for the tailors and the man who succeeds in getting himself into the tightest outfit will be considered the enviable leader of fashion. The possible economy of cloth in this fashion is somewhat offset by the fact that no real gentleman will wear a suit costing less than $75 nor an overcoat costing less than $90.

Boston's energetic mayor is at work upon further plans for the beautification and popularization of the city's park system. The latest plan is the introduction of horticultural gardens and a horticultural building, well supplied with rare and beautiful plants the year round, in the Fenway. The other of the two big plans which the mayor is desirous of putting through before his term expires, is the schoolboy's stadium. This he has been anxious to have also in the Fenway, but opposition has been given from some quarters, and it may be that the stadium will be built in Franklin Park. The plans for the Horticultural garden and biulding would include municipal concerts in the gardens in summer and in the building in winter, and would furnish a perpetual feast of blossoms for the nature lovers. Nothing is said as to the disposition of the present excellent horticultural building.

Home Economics Day, December 3, was observed in honor of the late Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, known throughout the country for her remarkable work at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology along the lines of domestic science, sanitation and other vital problems of the last quarter century. Schools and colleges devoted a portion of the day to recollection of her work, and efforts were made to complete the raising of the $100,000 fund to be applied to furthering the work she began, in order that it may be wholly subscribed by January 1. It is interesting to note the simple little incident which practically decided Mrs. Richards' career in life. She had occasion in her early girlhood to wait upon customers at her father's store in a small Massachusetts town. Two women customers had a discussion as to the relative merits of soda and saleratus in making biscuits, one arguing that she could not do a thing with soda, while the other insisted that soda was far superior to saleratus. The young girl supplied them both from the same package, and then did some thinking, which in time resulted in her world-renowned achievements in the field of home economics, laboratory kitchens, sanitary and hygienic care of the home, proper ventilation and numerous other allied branches of the science of right living. Mrs. Richards and her work are sure of perpetuation in the establishment of continued work on the foundation she laid.

Icy pavements will have less terror for the struggling horse this winter as he tries to pull an impossible load up Beacon Hill or the more gradual incline of Tremont Street at the imminent risk of his neck and legs. This prospect is due to the humanitarian action of Miss Lotta Crabtree, Boston's well known actress and horse woman, who has arranged to supply, free of charge to owners who cannot pay for them, steel overshoes for the city's equines. The shoes are of such construction as to assure the firm footing necessary in winter, an arrangement of steel chains under the hoofs removing the danger of slipping. A similar action has been taken by a New York woman for the benefit of New York horses. Miss Crabtree's decision came as the result of comparing the condition of the average city horse with her own carefully protected racers, her love of the animals determining her to do what she could to make their winter lot easier. The only drawback about the plan is the number of well intentioned citizens who will be denied the job of standing by and telling the driver how to get his horse onto his feet and make him pull the load up the sheet of ice.

The needs of the poor but talented music students are at least in part attended to at American's largest centre of musical education, even though the applicants for help usually outnumber the available funds. The continued success of the efforts of the Beneficent Society of the New England Conservatory of Music is evident in the annual report recently issued. This association, formed in 1885 under the inspiraton and energy of Mary A. Livermore and a group of her associates, has steadily held out a helping hand to students of the Conservatory who, for financial reasons, found themselves unable to continue their work to completion. The Beneficent Society in such cases, after ascertaining that the applicant is worthy, extends a loan to the needy pupil covering the cost of the remaining tuition, this loan to be returned without interest when the pupil has graduated and become a self supporting musician. Contrary to pessimistic prophesies, the society has met with very few losses, the students apparently considering it a matter of honor to repay the loan the first thing they do after leaving school. Another organization connected with the Conservatory makes similar provisions, so far as its limited means permit, for helping students who find that board, room, and other necessities of city life cost more than anticipated and are in danger of having to give up a promising career for the need of a little ready money. The report of the last year's work of the Beneficent Society shows that $1,768.50 was loaned to students, this being the largest loan of any single year. Also the largest amount returned from loans in any single year was received into the treasury, this amounting to $776. The fund is maintained by means of endowments, legacies, entertainments and various other expedients, and has enabled fourteen young people in the past year to continue their chosen life work, of whom eight will be graduated in June. So much is done with so little that the Beneficent Society feels justified in making a strong appeal for additional gifts in the interest of musical education.

Boston, Dec. 6, 1912. Ethel Angier.

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BOOZE FOR MONKEYS

Park Superintendent Has Scheme For Getting It Free

Richmond, Ind., Dec. 7.—Park monkeys which are accustomed to a drink of whiskey every other day during the winter months, may now get their dram without cost to the city, if the suggestion of Park Superintendent Hollarn is approved. Hollarn has asked the police commissioners to turn over to the zoo all whiskey obtained in "blind tiger" raids and from intoxicated persons.

He says the monkeys' whiskey bill will amount to several dollars before warm weather. The police declare the law reads that all whiskey taken must be confiscated.

Woman's Beauty Valued at $18,000

Buffalo, Dec. 7.—A price of $18,000 was set on a woman's beauty here when a supreme court jury awarded that sum to Mrs. Mina Smith, who had sued an institute of dermatology for $50,000 for ruining her complexion.

Heavy Seizure of Opium

New York, Dec. 7.—A large quantity of opium, valued at between $5500 and $10,000, was seized in a raid in Chinatown by federal officers. Two Chinese were arrested.



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LION'S SHARE FOR BULGARIA

Expects to Increase by Three-Fourths Her Present Dominion—Servia and Greece Will Also Receive Ample Reward For Their Victories—Montenegro Will Not Get War Indemnity

London, Dec. 7.—The treaty of London, to be signed by the Balkan allies and the Turks, will, it is hoped, lay for many years the spectre of war in the Near East.

All Europe is looking forward eagerly to Dec. 13, when the Balkan negotiations will begin.

The largest part of the Ottoman empire in Europe will be partitioned among the belligerents, and instead of six and a quarter millions it will count only one and three-quarters of a million subjects.

Her boundaries in Europe, according to the Vienna correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, henceforth will be marked by the river Maritza down to its estuary in the gulf of Enos, where it enters the Ægean sea.

The Bulgarians' extended frontiers will commence on the opposite bank of the Maritza and reach to the shores of Lake Okhrida. Bulgaria also will annex a strip of the Ægean coastline, which will include Dedeaghatch and Kavalla. She also will retain about half the vilayet of Adrianople, but possibly without possession of the city itself.

Altogether the extent of her new acquisitions will amount to three-quarters of her present realm.

Roughly speaking, Servia will gain as much. Uskub, Prisrend, part of Novibazar and Old Servia will all be added to King Peter's dominions.

Montenegro will also receive a considerable accession of territory, but without Scutari, and also without a war indemnity, which is a greater disappointment, as Montenegro is sorely in need of ready money, and unless a loan can be speedily negotiated serious difficulties may be encountered in King Nicholas' little realm.

Greece, too, it is thought, will have good reason to be satisfied with her share of the spoils. Southern Macedonia, Epirus, the peninsula of Chakidike, Crete and several other islands will constitute her reward.

The possession of Salonica, which has aroused feeling between Greece and Bulgaria, is an international affair which will be finally settled by the powers.

A dispatch from Constantinople intimated the porte has decided to send its fleet to fight the Greek fleet. If it does it is the opinion of naval experts here that, owing to the superiority of the Greek vessels and sailors, it will be the end of Turkey's navy, which will mean that Turkey will lose and Greece will gain more in the treaty of London, which will mark the end of the most wonderful war in history.

HOCKIN "ADVANCE AGENT"

Explosions Followed His Visits to Particular Non-Union Localities

Indianapolis, Dec. 7.—Violent methods of fighting non-union work, in which Herbert S. Hockin acted as an "advance agent" of McNamara's "dynamiting squad," were charged by the government, in the cross examination of Murray L. Pennell, a defendant at the trial of the accused "bomb plotters."

In connection with letters which Pennell, an official of the Iron Workers' union at Springfield, Ills., wrote to John J. McNamara, the national secretary, the government alleged that the inability of the local union officials to unionize a job was followed by an appeal for aid, and that a visit of Hockin to a particular locality was followed by an explosion.

QUARREL OVER CIDER

Man Who Demanded Drink Is Killed by a Farmer

Easton, Conn., Dec. 7.—A quarrel over a drink of cider resulted in murder here when Charles Lobdell, a farmer, shot Arthur Allen, aged 25, through the stomach with a shotgun, causing injuries from which he died last night. Lobdell gave himself up to the authorities.

Allen went to Lobdell's house, demanded a drink of cider, and when it was refused, struck Lobdell on the head with a club. Angered, Lobdell grabbed his shotgun and fired.

Death of Sugar Magnate

Salt Lake City, Dec. 7.—David R. Eckles, president of the Amalgamated Sugar company and one of the wealthiest citizes in Utah, died of heart disease here.

Maryland Negro Hanged

Princess Anne, Md., Dec. 7.—Wesley Miles, a negro, was hanged at the poorhouse farm for an attack on 15-year-old Margaret Phillips.

COLE BLEASE

Latest Picture of Governor Who Defends Negro Lynching

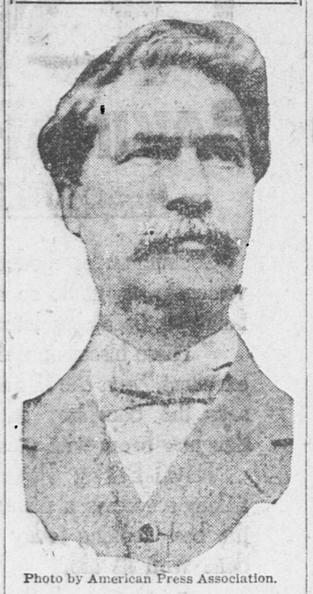


Photo by American Press Association.

Governor Blease, who was recently re-elected governor of South Carolina, was snapped at the governors' conference at Richmond, Va., where he caused a stir by defending his views on negro lynching.

BLEASE SNAPS HIS FINGERS

Cares Nothing What Governors Think of His Lynching Views

Richmond, Dec. 7.—A sweeping resolution, repudiating the remarks of Governor Blease of South Carolina in support of lynch law, was adopted by the governors' conference by a vote of 14 to 4.

Blease, defending himself, snapped his fingers in the faces of the other governors and declared he cared not one whit what the conference did or left undone.

"I was quoted yesterday as saying 'to hell with the constitution.' I say now to all the governors of all the states and to all the people of the United States what I said then."

The conference hall was thrown into an uproar.

ACTRESS ST. CLAIR WINS $22,500 SUIT

Ten-Year Contract With Theatrical Firm Declared Valid

New York, Dec. 7.—Edith St. Clair, actress, won her $22,500 suit against Klaw & Erlanger when a jury declared her contract for that amount with the theatrical firm valid.

The verdict came after a sensational trial, in the course of which Abraham L. Erlanger charged a lawyer with blackmail and declared the contract was made under duress to save annoyance to his wife, who was ill at the time and who later divorced him.

Miss St. Clair, under the agreement, was to have received $2500 a year for ten years.

The contract was lived up to for only one year, the testimony showed.

FOR SAKE OF CHARITY

Two White House Girls Sell Programs In New York Theatre

New York, Dec. 7.—A daughter of the President of the United States joined with the daughter of a former president in charity work when Miss Helen Taft and Miss Esther Cleveland sold programs in a theatre at a benefit performance given by the women's Titanic memorial committee.

They met with notable success as saleswomen among the society people who flocked in great numbers to the performance.

GETS PAY FOR LOST MAIL

Government Wins Point In Contention With Railroads

Salt Lake City, Dec. 7.—The government won a point in its contention that railroads which carry mail are liable for damages to registered matter destroyed in wrecks.

The Union Pacific demurred to the complaint of the government, asking $12,000 compensation for postal losses in a disaster at Ah Say, Wyo., seven years ago. Judge Marshall, in the United States district court, overruled the demurrer.

Three Years For Mrs. Edmunds

New York, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Elizabeth Edmunds, who shot District Attorney Fach of Richmond county because she thought he had dissipated her estate, was sentenced to three and one-half years in prison. She fainted when sentenced.

A Peculiar Fatality

Barre, Vt., Dec. 7.—Will Tucker, aged 36, a meat peddler, was driving along the highway when a gale tore off a heavy branch of a tree and sent it crashing through the top of the wagon, killing Tucker instantly.

MADE THREATS TO WITNESSES

Jacobson Family Also Hastened to Collect Insurance

DECLARATION OF PROSECUTOR

Doctor Testifies That Ex-Pastor Said He Would Have Revenge For Trouble People Were Making For Him—Bullet Shattered Skull of Jacobson In Court

Houlton, Me., Dec. 7.—Dr. V. E. Lagerson testified at the trial of Rev. Charles N. Emelius, Mrs. Annie Jacobson and her son, Edgar Jacobson, for the murder of C. A. Jacobson, that during the investigation of the crime the former pastor had made threats against him.

The doctor quoted Emelius as saying: "The people who are making all this trouble for me will be sorry for it and I will have my revenge."

Dr. Lagerson denied under the examination of counsel for the defense that he had changed his opinion of the death of the slain man from suicide to murder because of the threats of the state officers to rescind his license unless he assisted them.

The bullet-shattered skull of C. A. Jacobson was exhibited upon a skeleton.

An explanation of the course of the bullets was then given by Dr. Boone, the medical examiner of Aroostook county, who told how he assisted Lagerson in performing the autopsy in the graveyard at New Sweden on the night of Aug. 21, 1911, in the glare of the headlights of Lagerson's automobile.

During the exhibition of the skull Mrs. Jacobson sighed and bowed her head, while Emelius and Edgar Jacobson watched attentively the doctor's experiments.

Dr. Lagerson, who had been the Jacobson family physician, was instrumental in having the grand jury probe the death of Jacobson after he had given his opinion on the morning after the body was found that the case was one of suicide.

He testified Jacobson could not have lived after the two bullets had entered the chest and that death had been, in his belief, instantaneous.

"Instead of attempting to ferret out the murderer after it became apparent Jacobson was murdered, the family resented the actions of the officers in their search, threatened witnesses, insisted on suicide and, indeed, comported themselves like anything but the innocent relatives of a murdered man."

This declaration was made by County Attorney Brown in his opening address.

He charged that Jacobson and his son quarrelled on the day preceding the alleged murder, that Emelius had spoken of the elder Jacobson in a light way after he was dead and that the preacher endeavored to borrow money before the tragedy. The county attorney also alleged that the widow had complained of her husband's failure to provide for her and that Jacobson's insurance was promptly collected.

Emelius Only Lay Preacher

Rock Island, Ills., Dec. 7.—President Andreen of Augustana college says Charles N. Emelius, being tried on a charge of murder at Houlton, Me., is not a graduate of Augustana college. He studied in the institution for two years and then went to Harvard university, according to Andreen, who said Emelius was not in the theological department at Augustana and is not an ordained minister. At the time of the Jacobson murder he was temporarily filling the pulpit of the Lutheran church at New Sweden, Me., as a student supply.

ROUGH WEATHER AT SEA

Cunard Liner Has Battle With Gales All the Way Across

Boston, Dec. 7.—The Cunarder Saxonia, with about 600 passengers from Liverpool and Queenstown, will not reach here until Sunday afternoon. She should have arrived last Thursday, but gales and hurricanes have continually beset her path since she left the coast of Ireland.

Occasionally during the winter liners arrive here a day or two late, but old timers along the waterfront say the Saxonia must have "been up against it" all the way across. It will be the first time a Cunard vessel has arrived from abroad on a Sunday in years.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John C. Randall and Henrietta L. Randall, his wife, in her right, to the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, as it is Trustee under the will of Sylvanus A. Denio, said mortgage deed being dated October 13, 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds Book 702, Page 93, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday, the thirty-first day of December, 1912, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, all and singular the premises conveyed by said Mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows:—

A certain parcel of land conveyed to said Henrietta by deed of John Quincy Adams and others, trustees, dated Aug. 20, 1891 and recorded with the Norfolk Deeds, lib. 661, fol. 224, and therein described as follows:— "A lot of land in Quincy in said County of Norfolk numbered 1 on a plan by H. T. Whitman to be recorded herewith and bounded and described as follows: Northerly on Adams street, there measuring two hundred (200) feet, Easterly on land of the Adams Real Estate Trust there measuring four hundred and nine and 27-100 (409 27-100) feet, Southerly on land now or late of Eaton as the stone wall stands there measuring one hundred and forty-four and 3-10 (144 3-10) feet; and Westerly on land of Whicher as the stone wall now stands a distance of three hundred and fifty and 2-100 (350 2-100) feet, and containing 63,750 square feet of land," with all buildings situated thereon. Also a certain other parcel of land conveyed to said Henrietta by deed of John Quincy Adams and others trustees dated Sept. 10, 1892 and recorded with the Norfolk Deeds lib. 680, fol. 520, and therein described as follows:—"a triangular shaped parcel of land in Quincy in said County of Norfolk bounded and described as follows:—Beginning on Adams Street at the Northeast corner of said Randall's land and running southerly and bounding westerly on said grantee four hundred and nine and twenty seven hundredths (409 27-100) feet, thence running northeasterly one hundred and six (106) feet to a point that is fifty-six (56) feet distant from the first described line, thence in a straight line to the point of beginning three hundred and twenty-four and two tenths (324 2-10) feet. Containing 11,460 square feet as shown on plan by H. T. Whitman recorded herewith, with all buildings situated thereon." Each of the said parcels of land is to be conveyed subject to the restrictions and incumbrances expressed in the deed by which it was conveyed to said Henrietta C. Randall, which deed is in each case referred to above, so far as said restrictions and incumbrances are now in force and applicable.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all tax titles, unpaid taxes and assessments.

$200 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Further terms at sale.

Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. Trustee under the will of Sylvanus A. Denio, present owner and holder of said mortgage by Charles E. Rogerson President.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Walter H. Lyons of said Randolph without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of December A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of November A. D. 1912.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

23-3t 23, 30, 7

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Saturday at Our Fruit and Vegetable Department

Our usual comprehensive assortment will enable you to make selections that will please and satisfy. On Saturday last this department was visited by hundreds, plainly showing that our methods of displaying the items offered and of caring for the needs of our patrons are appreciated.

FOR YOUR SUNDAY DINNER

A Leg of Mutton, lb 12c

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Baldwin Apples, peck 25c

Grape Fruit, ea. 5c — White Cape Turnips, pk. 25c
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Dec. 6-7

LIVELY BOWLING BY FORE RIVER

Machinists' Gallery Walloped the Electricians

OTHER CONTESTS

In the Fore River league roll off at the Coliseum alleys Friday evening, the Machinist Gallery beat the Electricians 3 to 1, and the Yard trimmed the Government Draftsmen, 4 to 0.

Carlson of the Machinists rolled high single with 110 and made 294 as the best three string total.

MACHINISTS GALLERY.

	1	2	3	Totals
Carlson	90	110	94	294
Coyle	85	82	82	249
Annelius	83	79	82	244
Stevens	83	81	75	239
Tirrell	84	80	84	248
Totals	425	432	417	1274

ELECTRICIANS.

Porter	76	98	99	273
Lincoln	92	74	86	252
Archibold	75	91	70	236
Smith	87	75	88	250
Stewart	81	82	82	245
Totals	411	420	425	1256

YARD.

White	79	87	100	266
Anthony	84	85	93	262
Craig	82	83	109	274
Mills	85	72	81	238
Smith	97	87	90	274
Totals	427	414	473	1314

GOV'T. DRAFTSMEN.

Green	86	85	66	237
Melendy	96	73	85	254
Summers	84	71	75	230
O'Neil	81	97	87	265
Cantwell	67	84	82	233
Totals	414	410	395	1219

NEEDHAM WON FIRST GAME

In Defeating Clapp Memorial of Weymouth 38 to 20

Needham Y. M. C. A. Basket ball team won its first game of the season when it defeated the Clapp Memorial team of Weymouth in Ford Hall, 38 to 20. The summary:

Needham Y. M. C. A.	Clapp Memorial
McIntosh rf	lb J. Warren
Clark lf	rb Leonard
Johnson c	c Bumpers
Eldridge rb	lf R. Curtin
Williams rb	
Kettleey lb	rf Schultz

Score, Needham Y. M. C. A. 38. Clapp Memorial 20. Goals from floor, Kettleey 7, Clark 5, McIntosh 4, Johnson 2, R. Curtin 3, Leonard 2, Warren 2, Schultz, Bumpers. Goals from fouls, Schultz 2, Clark 2. Referee E. Darling.

DEATHS

GEARY—In Quincy, Dec. 6, Mrs. Harriet, widow of Thams Geary of 51 Kent street, aged 79 years.

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GOOD RETURNS LOOKED FOR

From the Store Sale of the Wollaston Methodist Church

The three days sale of the Ladies Aid society of the Wollaston Methodist church continued Friday at the store of A. E. Walker, Beale street and Newport avenue.

A large amount of goods was disposed of and indications point to a financial success. A feature of the sale was the lunch counter in charge of Mrs. H. B. L. Dimmick, Mrs. Eric H. Ewertz and Mrs. F. G. Bennett where a large array of dainties were on display and hot drinks served.

The candy table was in charge of Mrs. T. Newell Lane and Miss Helena Earle.

The other committees include: Utility and Apron Table—Mrs. W. F. Morgan, Mrs. C. W. Carter, Mrs. E. A. Williams, Mrs. W. C. Sanders, Mrs. C. M. Given, Mrs. J. H. Bent and Mrs. A. B. Cassidy.

Fancy Table—Miss Florence Waite, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Charles Foster, Miss Cherry Newell, Miss Mary Cleveland, Miss Myrtle Starbird, Miss Ruby Walters, Mrs. Wesley Wiggin, Miss Bessie Wilbur, Miss Florence Bennett and Miss Alfreda Dewsnap.

NOT DUCKING THE ORIENTS

Quincy A. A. Sends Greetings For Game Immediately

W. H. Flynn, manager of the Quincy A. A. football team announce that he would not like anything better than matching his team against Orient A. A., despite what Manager Innes of the latter says about the Quincy A. A. not caring to play. Manager Flynn extends a challenge to the Orient A. A. for a game to be played where the conditions will be favorable to both teams and where the contest can rage without any inconveniences, so that the better team will win.

Social Realm

(Continued from Page Three.)

Mrs. L. B. George of Farrington street arrived in Canyon City, Oregon, Nov. 20 for a long visit to her brothers and sisters, T. Arthur and C. Edwin Jones and Mrs. J. J. Murphy of Monument and Mrs. C. L. Marr of Range. Mrs. George has been an extensive traveler says the Blue Mountain Eagle of Canyon City but she is enthusiastic in her praise of the beauties and wonders of a trip over the Soo Line through Canada and the Western states with Oregon as the terminus. Mrs. George, with her sister, Mrs. Olive Dennett, and children, of Milkwaukee made a six months visit in this section five years ago.

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Mrs. Charles H. Sprague and daughter Miss Ethel Sprague of South Braintree are in Boston for the midwinter, making their home at 24 Newbury avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence Habberton who have been with Mrs. Henry J. Landry of Warwick street for some months have gone to New York to make their home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Everett Winslow, nee Bates, who have made their home in Braintree since their marriage a few years ago, moved this week to Exeter, N. H., where Mr. Winslow's business calls him. Mrs. Winslow's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Joseh G. Morrison are also residents of Exeter.

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Hon. Elmer E. Stevens state treasurer, will speak on "Our state institutions" at the next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club, Tuesday evening.

—France has spent $4,000,000 this year, and will spend $5,000,000 next year on flying war machines. So far the only practical use of aviation seems to be in preparation for war and for stunts at amusement parks.—New Bedford Standard.

MARCHIONESS OF DONEGAL

Former Quincy Mansion Pupils Hostess to Others

ON WAY TO NEW YORK

The Marchioness of Donegal, formerly Miss Violet Gertrude Twining of Halifax, N. S., arrived in Boston Thursday night, enroute to New York. She was educated at the Quincy Mansion school, in Quincy and has always held a warm place in her heart for that institution.

She will stop at the Touraine hotel, Boston, until Monday when she will proceed to New York.

Friday afternoon, Lady Donegal entertained Mrs. Horace M. Williard and about a dozen of the pupils of the Quincy Mansion school at luncheon at the Touraine, and today another party of a dozen pupils were her guests at luncheon.

Lady Donegal does not plan to visit Quincy or the Mansion school during this trip.

She has been in Canada three months. She will spend the Christmas holiday with her mother, Mrs. Ada L. Twining, and her nine year old son.

The marriage in 1902 of Miss Violet Twining to the old Marquis of Donegal—she was 22 years old and he was nearly 80—was the talk of two continents.

Two years after their marriage a son was born, who is the present marquis. He bears also the hereditary title of Lord High Admiral of Lough Neagh, which is the largest lake in the United Kingdom. The family name is Chichester, and the little boy's present name and titles include Howard Arthur Donald St. George Hamilton Chichester, sixth marquis of Donegal; Viscount Chichester and Baron of Belfast, Earl of Donegal, Earl of 'Belfast and Barron Fisherwick. The family estates are on Isle Magee county Antrim, about 20 miles from Belfast, Ireland.

BRIEFS

Jan. 17—Twelfth Night revels.

Are you helping someone in the Free Washington trip contest?

Mrs. Harriet Geary, widow of Thomas Geary of 51 Kent street, died Friday, aged 79 years. She leaves one daughter in Quincy, Mrs. Mary E. King. The body will be sent to Vinal Haven for interment.

Huntington R. Hardwick of Quincy, who made such a fine showing in the Yale Harvard game, at left half back, was with the football squad and seated at the head table at the banquet tendered the victorious team at the Copley-Plaza hotel, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. DeForest Jones of East Weymouth who were recently married were presented Thursday with a china cabinet as a wedding gift from the employes of the Bay State Street Railway Co. Mr. DeForest being a popular conductor on the East Weymouth—Quincy line.

TO REPLACE LOST BONE

Part of Left Hind Foot of Rabbit Grafted Into Boy's Arm

Ansonia, Conn., Dec. 7.—The reconstruction of a boy's shattered arm with a piece of bone from the hind leg of a rabbit was the novel surgical feat accomplished in the Griffin Memorial hospital by Dr. Ralph L. McFarland of Jamaica, L. I., assisted by Dr. Polatto.

So far as the surgeons could tell, the operation was a success, and they expect the transplanted rabbit bone to grow just as the remainder of the arm does.

Ralph Tomlinson, the 12-year-old son of James Tomlinson of Oxford, was experimenting with his father's shotgun. He fell and both barrels were discharged. One charge of shot entered the boy's left forearm, lacerating the flesh severely, but did not damage the bone.

The other charge struck the upper part of the same arm and not only tore away more than half the flesh and muscles, but carried away an inch and a half of the large bone in the upper arm.

Holes were bored in the stumps of the humerus and into the rabbit bone, and all was fastened firmly with silver wire. The flesh was then placed over the bone, completing the operation.

Women In State Offices

Olathe, Kan., Dec. 7.—Women are to get their share of the appointive offices, according to Governor-elect Hodges. The woman's suffrage amendment to the Kansas constitution carried.

BRAINTREE

Mrs. Walter Fitts, Hunt avenue has been very ill the past week.

Many were pleased to see the bell on the First church hung Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blanchard left Tuesday for Boston for the winter.

Alva M. Dow who has been here to visit his family on Middle street returned Sunday to Indianapolis.

Letters remain in the post office for Mrs. Anna Beebe, Miss Ellen Johnson, Mrs. Paltz and Dr. J. H. Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Davenport of Presidents road welcomed a little daughter to their home on Sunday.

Everett Winslow and family moved Monday to Exter, N. H., where they will make their home for the future.

There will be a vesper service at All Souls' church tomorrow at 4.30. The Pilgrim quartet of which Percy F. Baker of Weymouth is the baritone, will again favor us.

Wednesday, Mrs. George T. Butterworth of Mt. Vernon avenue entertained the ladies of the E. Z. whist club. It was a most enjoyable meeting at which some especially pleasant plans were carried out.

Prof. Alfred M. Tozzer of Harvard University will be the speaker at the meeting of the Men's club of All Souls' church next Wednesday evening. His subject will be Yucatan; its people and its monuments. Illustrated by stereopticon.

It may be interesting to many to learn that Mrs. John T. Conway of Quincy, formerly of this town, is teaching the upils in the Hollis school to sew. Mrs. Clayton R. Marstin of Hayward street, East Braintree is doing a similar work at the Jonas Perkins school and is meeting with well deserved success.

Tuesday evening, Mrs. Herbert F. Kneeland of Hollis avenue gave a victrola recital at her home. There were thirty-five present who for two hours were charmingly entertained by the music rendered by the wonderful instrument. The proceeds of the affair were added to those recently made at the Christmas sale given by the ladies of the All Souls' church.

Wednesday evening, the Pond street athletic association held their regular whist party in the club room on Pond street. There were nine tables in play and the evening was one of the pleasantest of the series. The souvenirs were secured by Mrs. Robert Wylie, Mrs. William Lawry, John J. Macdermott and Robert Wylie. General dancing added to the pleasure of the younger people present.

Miss Gladys Davenport of Middle street entertained the auction bridge club Tuesday afternoon, there being three tables in play. She was given hearty congratulations when the friends discovered her pretty engagement ring. Miss Davenport is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Davenport. Frederick Arthur Collier, to whom she is engaged is from New London, Conn., and is manager of the advertising department of the Shoe and Leather Reporter of Boston.

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Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William H. Glover late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by William S. Glover and Walter S. Glover both of said Quincy who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

J. R. McCoole, Asst. Register.

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SOUTH BRAINTREE

The members of the Ivaloo whist club were entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Horace Jones of Tremont street.

Thursday afternoon the ladies of the Clover bridge whist club were entertained by Mrs. George E. Snow of Frederick road.

Dr. and Mrs. J. William Watson of Washington street will spend the next two months in New Hampshire and Vermont.

There will be a quarterly conference at the South M. E. church this Saturday evening and Rev. W. I. Ward will be present.

Miss Mildred Nickerson of Washington street is training at the Noah Torrey school. She began her duties on Monday and will remain there six weeks.

Edward Flood who has been making an extended visit with relatives in Glen Falls, N. Y. has returned to town and resumed his duties at the Williams, Kneeland Co. shoe factory where he has been employed for years.

Recently the overseers of the poor have appointed, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel James of East Taunton to take charge of the Braintree home on Union street. The death of the late N. Allen Penniman left the vacancy for which there were some applications.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Stafford S. Bridgham of Safford street entertained the ladies of the A. B. C. bridge whist club. Dainty refreshments were served at the conclusion of the game. The whist souvenirs were secured by Mrs. Marion C. Gillette and Mrs. Charles B. Cummings.

Monday evening, the members of Matrons' whist club were entertained by Mrs. Benjamin H. Woodsum of Academy street. Whist was played after which refreshments of ices and cakes were served. Those receiving the souvenirs were Mrs. Harry A. Simmonds, Mrs. J. Porter Witherell and Mrs. Louis H. Tirrell.

RECEIVERS GIVE FIGURES

Financial Standing of the Three Butler Stores Made Known

Boston, Dec. 7.—A statement has been issued by the receivers of the Butler stores as follows: William S. Butler & Co., Inc., liabilities, $952,602, and assets, $415,011; Everybody's Store, Inc., liabilities $211,258, and assets $517,989; the Gilchrist company, liabilities $647,516, and assets, $1,377,922.

It is set forth that the liabilities in all three instances do not include contracts with employes or any other contracts. The lists of creditors of all three concerns have been turned over to counsel for creditors making requests to the receivers, under instructions from Judge Colt of the United States district court.

EAST BRAINTREE

William C. Lonergan of Commercial street is spending the week in New York city visiting friends.

Charles G. Goetiz, manager of the Old Colony Gas Plant, is on an extended business trip to Georgia.

Joseph Haley of Prospect street returned Monday after a six weeks' business trip through the west.

W. Bradford Denton of Elmwood Park was elected surgeon of Reynolds Post 58 G. A. R. Tuesday evening.

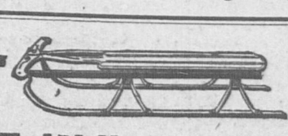
Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Collins of New London, Conn., former residents of Quincy avenue were in town over Thanksgiving visiting friends.

The officers elected Tuesday evening at a meeting of Post 58 G. A. R. of Weymouth are as follows: Commander, Joseph P. Ford; S. V. C., Andrew Cully; I. V. C., Isaac H. Walker; Chaplain, J. Q. A. Spear; quartermaster, Elbridge Nash; Surgeon, W. B. Denton, O. D. David Dunbar, O. G., William H. Moran; Adgt, Oliver Burrill; S. M., Bradford Hawes; Q. M. S., Addison Belcher.

The quarterly meeting of the Norfolk County G. A. R. and W. R. C. was held on Dec. 5th the former at their hall in East Weymouth and the latter at Odd Fellows' hall. After the meeting a fine dinner was served in the hall by W. R. C. 102. The afternoon exercises were very entertaining. Speeches by department officers and invited guests and others visitors who were present from other counties in the state adding much to the pleasure of all.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo A. Virchow who were recently married were surprised at their home on Commercial street, Thursday evening by the members of the Progress club whose members are employees of the Old Colony Gas company. Mr. and Mrs. Virchow were presented with a purse of money and a most pleasant evening was enjoyed. Mrs. Virchow is also a member of the Progress club and before her marriage was in the employ of the Old Colony Gas Co.

Mrs. Martha Fellows of Boston was the guest of Mrs. B. J. Lorng on Tuesday. Mrs. Eliza B. Ludden, whose home is with her daughter Mrs. Benj. J. Loring, celebrated her 88th birthday on Wednesday, December 4. Mrs. Charles O. Miller, her granddaughter and Miss Bessie L. Miller, her great granddaughter spent the day with her making four generations of the same family present. Mrs. Ludden enjoys excellent health and is remarkably active for one of her years. She attended the meeting of the Norfolk County Association of the W. R. C. on Thursday. She is the oldest member of Reynolds Corps, No. 102 and enjoys attending the regular meetings.



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WATER HEATER STARTED BLAZE

Occupants of Adams Block Bothered by Heavy Smoke

FIRE DAMAGE LIGHT

Saturday night shortly before 9 o'clock occupants of the upper floor of the Adams building on Temple street were aroused by thick smoke pouring up through the floor from below. The officers of George W. Abele and Charles H. Johnson were soon filled with smoke. Mr. Abele telephoned the Central station and the auto chemical responded.

It was some minutes after they arrived before the fire was located. It was then found to have come from a small alcove in the barber shop of Muca on the first floor. In this alcove was a copper boiler used for hot-water and the fire had started from a small stove used to heat this water. The floor beneath the stove had been set on fire and it was the smoke from this that penetrated through the stairway to the rooms above. The fire did not get through the floor.

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TWO YEAR TERM FOR THE MAYOR COUNCIL OF NINE THREE AT LARGE

Abolish All Committees Body Work as Committee of the Whole at All Times

Among the Charter Changes Suggested By Councilman-Elect Bryant

"A practical review of the revision of our city charter for better government was the subject of Ex-Mayor Charles M. Bryant at the Good Citizenship Forum in the Wollaston Unitarian church, Sunday noon.

Among the reforms advocated were a two year term for mayor and a council of nine members, one from each ward and three at large. The recommendation was also made that the council abolish all its committees and all matters be discussed by a committee of the whole. A larger salary for the commissioner of public works and a large sidewalk appropriation each year were other things suggested.

Ex-Mayor Bryant recalled the last town meeting held in the old Coliseum at which Josiah Quincy presided. At that time a debating society controlled the town meeting and Wollaston was looked upon as a sand bank. The only houses on the Hill were the Record, Sherman and Sibley houses.

In 1887 the town voted to petition the Legislature for a charter. The vote was 217 yes and 101 no. The first vote for mayor was 2240.

Then the total appropriations for the fire department was $3310. In 1911 it was $32,283. "Is the fire department any too efficient now? asked Ex-Mayor Bryant.

In 1888 there was $50950 spent for schools. In 1912 the appropriation is $177,000. Are our children over educated?

Then it cost $6499. to light the city. The city of Quincy is in a peculiar situation. It is not congested and while it centres around Ward one the other wards are widely extended. When the Quincy electric light plant first furnished power ward six wanted lights and it was a question if wires were carried that far if lights would burn. The speaker questioned if it would not have been wise to have established an electric light plant of their own.

The police department was not a police department then. It had a constable as chief of police and the force was made up of 4 or 5 other constables. Figuratively speaking the expenditure was $2000 a year now it is $31000. Now we are demanding better police protection. It is a question in our widely diverted sections if we could have too many policemen.

The town form of government had a lot of people who opposed everything.

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CHRISTMAS SALE

UNDER AUSPICES OF
DORCAS SOCIETY
Universalist Vestry

TUESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 10—Supper at 6.30; Entertainment at 8 by members of Dorcas Society, assisted by Violinist and Soloist.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 11—The Weymouth Dramatic Club will present a farce, entitled "Done On Both Sides."

Tickets good for either night 25 cents.

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EX-CHIEF HALL PASSED AWAY

End Came Sunday Morning After Long Illness

NOTED AS FIRE FIGHTER

Ex-Chief Engineer John Whitney Hall for many years one of Quincy's prominent residents died at his home 1173 Hancock street, Sunday morning aged 78 years. Mr. Hall has been in poor health for several months and for the past few weeks had been confined to his bed as a result of a shock. For some days past he has been in a practically unconscious state and his death was only a question of how long his strength and vitality would be able to contend against disease.

John Whitney Hall was born in Quincy, Nov. 15, 1834 and has always made his home in this city. Obtaining his education in the public schools of the then town he early in life entered the dry goods business, first in Quincy for many years with Brigham & Monroe and Israel W. Monroe and later with the firm of C. F. Hovey & Co. of Boston with whom he was associated for many years. During the last of his association with this firm he was in the cotton department. His position however he eventually had to give up on account of his health.

It was while with this firm that Mr. Hall received his greatest prominence as a fire fighter, as it was by his efforts and methods that prevented the spread of the great Boston fire in 1872 when it threatened the distruction of the firm's building. For hours Mr. Hall remained on the roof of the building keeping the blankets with which the roof had been covered wet down.

His connection with the Quincy fire department extended over a period of at least fifteen or more years, in various positions including that of Chief Engineer. During his palmy fire department days the town named its only hook and ladder truck after him, in recognition of his valuable services. This piece of apparatus is still in service at the West Quincy station. The old Niagara company also presented him with a firemen's hat when he was made chief, a prize which he has always proudly retained in his possession.

During his active fire department days he had the reputation of making an unusual quick hitch and was always one of the first to aim at the scene of a fire.

He was first appointed an engineer by the Selectmen in 1871 and served during the years 1871, 72, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 86, 87 and 88, part of the time as chief. In January 1898 he was appointed by Chief Packard as district engineer in Ward One and served during that year.

He married October 3, 1906, Mrs. Sarah F. Parker of Dorchester, who has been a devoted and thoughtful wife. Her stirling qualities of mind and heart have been his comfort and support in these years as she has cared for him in failing health, and the earnest and heartfelt sympathy of hosts of friends goes out to her in this sad bereavement.

Mr. Hall leaves a widow and one son, by his first wife, Charles W. Hall.

He was a member of Mt. Wollaston lodge, Manet encampment and Geo. L. Gill Rebekah lodge of Odd Fellows.

SLIGHT FIRES.

The alarm from Box 45 at 6.50 Sunday night was for a slight woods fire on Willard street near the old Carey granite yards. The fire was quickly extinguished.

This morning shortly before 8 o'clock the central station apparatus was called on a still alarm for a fire on the roof of the house of Mrs. Sarah Connell on Gay street. The fire was on the roof of the L and was caused by sparks from the chimney. The damage was slight.

GRASS FIRE.

The auto chemical squad was summoned for a grass fire at North and South streets at 11.24 this morning. After about 40 minutes battling the fire was extinguished. There was no property damage.

ASHLAND HELD ON SUSPICION OF SETTING SOLOMON FIRES

Said to Have Remarked There Would Be Another Fire Soon on Premises

Within Half an Hour Apparatus Was Called to Box 73

A young man giving his name as Harry R. Ashland, aged 30 years and his home as Charlestown, was held by the police at the Fore River yard this morning as he was about to draw his pay on suspicion that he knew something about the numerous fires that have taken place of late on the premises of William G. Solomon.

It is alleged that Ashland is the man who at the fire Sunday night pointed out to Officer Malone a young man who he claimed to have seen near where the fire started but retracted the statement a few minutes later.

Among other remarks that Ashland is alleged to have made Sunday night is one that inside of twenty-five minutes there would be another fire on Solomon's premises. Sure enough, in-

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WOMAN KILLED BY MILLER'S TRUCK NO BLAME ATTACHED TO DRIVER

Victim Suddenly Appeared From Behind An Electric Car Going Other Way

Unfortunate Woman Married, Four Children, On Her Way to Work

The auto truck of Bert Miller's express owned and driven by John G. Miller, struck a woman named Mary Norton, aged 35 years of 153 West 3d street, South Boston, on Dorchester avenue, Boston, Saturday afternoon and the unfortunate woman died shortly after.

Mr. Miller who has the reputation among the police officers on the route as being one of the slowest along careful drivers was proceeding along Dorchester avenue toward Quincy Suddenly a woman came from behind an electric car going in the opposite direction and stepped directly in front of his truck. Then she either

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Sovereign	30c	3.30

PLUMS		
Red Lily	25c	2.75
Garden City	20c	2.25

RASPBERRIES		
Tepee, black,	15c	1.65
Hatchet, red,	18c	1.90

PEACHES		
Brand	Can	Doz
Griffin's, sliced,	15c	$1.65
Hunt's Supreme	30c	3.30
Hatchet	23c	2.60
Oro	20c	2.25
Sovereign	30c	3.30
Table Sliced	15c	1.65

PINEAPPLE		
Aloha, sliced	20c	2.25
Hunt's Supreme	28c	3.00
Sovereign	27c	2.90
Taka, grated	20c	2.25
Manhattan, grated,	12c	1.35

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TWO WARDS RECOUNTED

Up to the Noon Hour With Very Slight Changes

WORK TO CONTINUE

Work recounting the votes for Mayor in all wards of the city and the votes for Councilmen in Wards Two and Three was started at 8.30 this morning by the Registrars of Voters and up to 12 o'clock when an adjournment was made until one o'clock for dinner, two wards, One and Two had been recounted.

There was some little delay at the start caused by the Registrars desiring to have Senator-Elect John J. McDevitt, who was representing James H. Penniman stand on the opposite side from the counters. Mr. McDevitt desired to stand back of the Registrars where he could overlook the ballots as they were recounted, and after some delay the recount was commenced with Mr. McDevitt standing directly back of the counters where he could see every ballot.

There was no change in the Mayoralty vote in Ward One, which was completed shortly before 10 o'clock.

In Ward Two, however there was one change. That was Mayor Stone lost one vote and blanks gained one vote. This ballot was one where the voter had made his cross so that it almost covered two names, that is it was practically on the line between the two names. The election officers counted the ballot for Stone while the Registrars called it a blank.

There was one or two changes in the vote for Councilmen from Ward Two but the result as announced by the election officers was not changed. As a result of the recount Frank J. Duffy lost one and Harry G. Studley gained one in precinct one. In precinct two Stephen L. Devaney lost one and blanks gained one.

Work recounting the votes of Ward Three was commenced at 1 o'clock and it will be 3 o'clock and after before this ward is finished. The Registrars expect to complete the entire recount by 6 o'clock tonight.

TO ELECT OFFICERS.

The annual meeting of the Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps for the election of officers and the usual yearly business will be held at the G. A. R. headquarters, Tuesday evening.

☞The Park and Downs Woman's Guild is to have a Christmas sale of handkerchiefs, home-made candy and food, Tuesday afternoon and evening at the store of A. E. Walker, Beale street and Newport avenue.

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Ten young women of Chicago have formed a club not to marry a man unless he has an income of $5000 per year. If the club developes any kind of strength there will be a vast increase in the army of strong minded females.

Mrs. Catt argues in favor of more comfortable clothing for women. No one has as yet objected to this course except Dame Fashion and she seems to set the pace.

Reports have been received on the Westport, Conn., train wreck of two months ago. Nothing much has been heard of the Crescent avenue wreck with its toll of eigth lives and scores of injured although there was a great clamor for investigation at the time.

That gang of cats tendered a bachelor supper would have found dainties more to their liking along the water front.

The man who dug up a bushel basket full of Spanish dollars thinking he had struck a fortune must have been some mad when he found they were counterfeit. The fellows of the dark ages knew a thing or two about the supurious coin.

The New York woman who wanted to die but found the water too cold should have tested it before she leaped.

Bryce says the evils of civilization can be overcome by dividing the greater cities into smaller ones of not more than 100,000 population. This would be a remedy were it not that is as much evil in proportion in the small places as there is in the big ones. How would the revival of the scarlet letter meet the emergency for reform.

Only two more weeks and the stocking will be in its accustomed annual place. May every one have it full to overflowing.

The smokers still continue their kicking to the conductors and brakemen for lack of room on the trains, but the proper place to register their objections it would seem would be with the Railroad commissioners backed up with an abundance of proof.

Mayor Gaynor is still deluding himself with the idea that he has the best police force in the world and says the graft is due to the old system Then it is up to his honor to put on a new dress.

The wives of the senatorial candidates had better get busy and become good mixers if they desire the endorsement of Miss Vining.

A gang of clergymen have decided against the Lincoln pledge because Lincoln once worked in a store where liquor was sold. Would they as readily reject money for the missionary fund knowing that it was twisted out of the blood and brawn of thousands of world workers?

Twenty of the 26 ward leaders of Boston favor Mayor Fitzgerald running for another term. Have the several thousand voters in each of those 20 wards not a word to say at all about the matter.

If all reports are true the St. Louis ministers of the fashionable west ends who propose to walk the streets to secure evidence to remedy the social evil might find a better way of improving things if they followed strictly the teachings of the Master. And then again might they not find plenty of chances for reforming in their own circle by way of an example.

The German scientist who claims that drinking affects the sight should come across with something new. Any old toper could have revealed that without laying any claims to superior wisdom or a college degree.

The present form of the law providing for the filing of campaign expenses is somewhat of a joke and treated so by many politicians judging from the filings recently made.

DEVELOPING THE JOKE.

Taking it by and far the law on the Massachusetts statute books relative to filing campaign expenses is somewhat of a joke and treated as such by a great many people. It must be conceded that many honest and honorable candidates conscientiously follow the spirit and letter of the law and file adequate returns of their receipts and expenditures when running for office or nominations. In a great many cases however the contrary holds true. Many solemnly aver that they were candidates for office and "made no pledges and expended nothing." All of which must of course be taken for what it is worth. The candidate for office in this enlightened period, however, who gets by without a promise or the expenditure of a penny is a marvel. He is an example that should be closely followed. Others would like to get a leaf or two out of his book to aid them in their future efforts.

Many of the filings of this character at the statehouse are not worth the paper they are written on. It is a waste of time of the department to take the trouble of examining and filing them away for future reference.

Here are a few samples of the stuff which has been filed:

"Received from City Committee—Advice.

"Received from state committee—More Advice.

"Cost of same—$0.00.

"Expended—nothing.

"No change back."

Could anything be more absurd than the treatment of a supposedly serious law enactment in such a silly manner? If the law is useless, and there is not much evidence that it is of a superior order have it wiped off the statutes to give room for more intelligent enactments. If on the other hand the New York law on the same subject was followed which provides a penalty for false returns, there would be less frivolity and a more sober if not enthusiastic desire to make proper returns.

ANOTHER CARRIE.

The three C's or to be more explicit, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, a woman suffrage leader, has come out openly for dress reform for women. She advises making a bonfire of the hats, throwing away of corsets and the wearing of trousers. There is not a man in the world, either a victim of the long hat pin or the millinery bill but will hold up both hands and agree with the advocate upon the first part of the proposition. And the wandering Billy goat will offer up peans of praise to the lady for her trite thoughtfulness in his behalf especially if the corsets are whale bone ribbed. There is nothing a Billy goat so delights in feasting upon, aside from a tin can, a few nails and other little dainties, than whale boned corsets. Thus far the lady has gathered to her standard two very much interested classes who are unanimous in the endorsement of her ideas.

So far as can be judged Mrs. Catt is the only radical advocate of a reform which has met with such strong endorsement at the very start. She is to be congratulated. But aside from the articles mentioned it is commonly accepted that there are a few other things which women wear to which she has given no mention. Probably she thought it would be well to try those out as a feeler and if they met with approval she would go the gamut in the reform advocacy.

In time no doubt she will give her attention to the rats which will be consigned to the dogs and cats. The latter is not meant as a pun on the reformers name. Then the switch will have its place of consignment. The net will likewise come in for its proper niche in the waste basket. The lace handkerchief will give place to a bandana of adequate proportions. The choking collars for swan like necks will be discarded for a more serviceable "rubber" article. And so on down the line until the list is complete and the reform is thorough. Mrs. Catt should be commended for several things. First for her very strong efforts at reform and second in that she is satisfied to start out in a modest way and not ask for a complete change at the start. She gives us time by reason of gradual changes to become accustomed to the variation. All of which is very commendable. She should succeed in her enterprise. If she has any doubts on the comfort of the dress she suggests she has only to ask an opinion of Dr. Mary Walker.

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MRS. GEARY LAID AT REST

Services at Daughter's Home Before Burial at Vinalhaven

The funeral services for the late Mrs. Harriett Geary, widow of Thomas Geary, were held from her late home 51 Kent street, Sunday afternoon, Rev. T. C. Martin, officiating.

In a short address which followed the ritualistic service Rev. Mr. Martin referred to her love for her bible, her love and interest in the church and her faithful attendance as long as she was able to get out and her interest in his visits to her. He also said that she had not only endeavored to make a cheerful home here but had prepared a home on the other side where she was at rest.

The Daughters of St. George read their burial service after which Mr. Martin pronounced the benediction.

Mrs. Geary was born in June 1834 at Mount Sorrell, England, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glover. In 1854 she was married to Thomas Geary at Mount Sorrell, and about 1865 they came to America. For ten years she lived at Cape Ann. She resided at Vinalhaven, Me., for 30 years previous to coming to Quincy, five years ago, and made her home with her daughter, Mrs. James King.

Mrs Geary has been in ill health since coming here but until about a year ago had been able to get out and around quite freely and was a regular attendant at the Hall Place M. E. church. Since then she has failed perceptibly and during the last few months has been a great sufferer. For several days she has been unconscious, not even recognizing the loved ones around her. She died Friday, aged 79 years.

She is survived by one daughter and two sons, Mrs. James King, David C. Geary and John T. Geary.

Mrs. Geary was an honorary member of the Daughters of St. George and a member of the Rebekah Lodge at Vinalhaven, Me.

The body was taken to Vinalhaven, Me., today for burial.

DEDHAM MAN'S SUDDEN DEATH

Robert Comer McQuillen of Dedham died early Saturday evening at his home, 901 High street. Heart disease, superinduced by acute indigestion, was the immediate cause, although it is thought that exertion during a run with the Norfolk Hunt, may have been a contributory cause.

Mr. McQuillen was a member of the wholesale paper firm of the A. Storrs, Bement Company of Boston, of which Charles M. Bryant of this city is treasurer. He has also been the business manager and owner of the Dedham Transcript.

He was formerly president of the Dedham High School alumni, and was a member of the Dedham Polo and Country Club, the Dedham Club, the Troscassett Club of Dover, the Dedham Boat Club and the Dedham Tennis Club.

Mr. McQuillen leaves a wife, Mrs. Robert Root McQuillen, and three children, Bryant, who was named for former Mayor Charles M. Bryant of Quincy Catherine and William F. McQuillen.

NEARY RESIGNS AT FORE RIVER

Will Engaga With Electrical Firm In Boston

James E. Neary for the past six years instructor at the Fore River Shipbuilding Co. Industrial school resigned his position Saturday to enter business for himself in Boston as a member of the American Electrical Sign Co., whose plant is located at South Boston.

The idea of a school for apprentices was started by the Fore River Co., several years ago but it was not until the advent of Mr. Neary that a regular apprentice school was inaugurated. It was in this school that the apprentices during their four years of service received the technical education in the particular trade they desired to master. This school was maintained free of charge by the Fore River Co., who also paid apprentices while they were receiving their instruction. The result was that on the completion of their term of service they were skilled mechanics.

During the six years in which Mr. Neary has been the instructor of the school he has graduated 240 pupils many of whom are today skilled workmen in their particular line and are earning good salaries. In addition to his work for the Fore River Co. he has been engaged at various times, giving private instruction and was also one of the instructors at the Quincy Evening Industrial school.

The firm with which Mr. Neary has associated himself is engaged in the manufacture of electrical signs and is the only firm engaged in similiar business east of New York.

PETITIONER IN BANKRUPTCY

Chas. W. Miller Owas $13,923 With Assets of $10,720

Charles W. Miller, until recently manager of the Abbott & Miller Express company which went out of business some weeks ago is a petitioner in bankruptcy. His liabilities amount to $13,923 of which $779 is for taxes, $6,932 is due to about 125 unsecured creditors and $6,211 for notes. The assets are estimated at $10,750 of which $1,200 is represented by cash on hand, $4,500 in autos and vehicles, $1,000 due from open accounts and the balance in incumbered real estate.

A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION.

To your friend who enjoys good reading you can make no better or more acceptable Christmas gift than a subscription to the Boston Evening Transcript.

The publishers have issued a neatly engraved subscription certificate to be given to those ordering the paper as a holiday offering, which may be sent by mail to reach the recipient at Christmas time.

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NEW LEADER IN CONTEST

Sturgis Hunt Wins Prize Certificate For 100 Votes

FRED WILLIAMS GOOD SECOND

Two of the candidates for the free Washington trip made a bid today for the prize certificate good for 100 votes, which is awarded to Sturgis Hunt, the leader at 9 A. M. today. It is the first day that the young Y. M. C. A. boy has been at the top, but he has been hustling both for subscription certificates and five-vote coupons.

On Saturday, Fred D. Williams had a total of2535. In the ballot box today were for him 1500 votes by coupons and 2000 by subscriptions certificates, a total of 6,035.

Sturgis Hunt had on Saturday a total of 1455. He added today 1050 on coupons and 4300 on subscriptions a grand total of 6,805 which is 770 to the good.

Gains were also made by Mrs. Marnock, Miss Morrissett, Miss Lamont and Miss Randall, the last named getting out of the 13th hole and moving up to No. 8.

Others to move up nearer the top were Miss Etta Kenney, Cornelius M. Duggan, Matty Nicholl, William Erickson, F. J. Hamel, L. D. Duncan, Jr, Carl W. Leaf and Hannah Sandberg.

The new candidates today include S. F. Nutting, Angus Kerr, Ward C. Walker, Walter A. Pendis, James N. Rice and Granville Sweetland.

It was a big day for voting over 10,000 being cast. Surprises may be expected every day.

PRIZE CERTIFICATE.

Another prize certificate, good for 200 votes, is offered by the Contest Editor today. It will be awarded at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 16, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 9—16. Note this is not necessarily for the leader but for the "biggest gain." The leader may gain only 1000 during the week, but a new candidate may enter with 2000 and win the certificate, or one with 25 votes might gain more than the leader. It gives all an equal chance.

Candidates should not hesitate to ask ANY of their friends for a year's subscription to the Daily Ledger to help them win the Washington trip or the diamond ring. If already a subscriber, they may be willing to pay another subscription NOW, that you may have a certificate for 1000 votes. Certificates are also issued to all new subscribers who send cash with their order. All subscriptions for one year are good for 1000 votes, whether from December to December, or March to March, or July to July, or October to October.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	6805
Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	6035
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
A. MacKay, Heptasophs	800
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	480
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	385
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	235
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Sam Shellman, Granite street	105
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	85
Jennie Beer, O. D. St. George	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Galen Bowditch, messenger	70
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
Katherine C. Walsh, telephone	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	55
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	55
Richard Larkin, High school	55
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	50
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	45
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	45
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	40
John T. Cain, K. of C.	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
W. C. Luther, Fore River	40
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	30
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	30
Peter T. Failon, Ward Four	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
Granville Sweetland, Johnson's	15
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
John Mahon, organist	15
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	15
Walter Mead, High school	10
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5

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Judge Phelan's recent ruling that all dealers in market products arrested for violations of the weights and measures ordinance should be fined at the rate of $1 for each quart shortage in their baskets, netted $44 from 15 complaints Nov. 18th in Judge Connoll's court.—Detroit Free Press.

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MRS. HARRIS WANTS DIVORCE

Says Husband Deserted Her Seven Months After Marriage

Mrs. Ella A. Harris, wife of Winslow M. Harris of Quincy filed a petition Saturday with the clerk of courts at Dedham for divorce from her husband. She charges him with desertion seven months after their marriage. She further alleges that he was cruel toward her and failed to provide suitable support.

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SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCHES

Topics and Announcements For Coming Week

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

BETHANY CHURCH.

"The Cost of High Living" was the subject of Rev. B. A. Willmott's address at Bethany church Sunday evening. The audience completely filled the auditorium and many had to go into the gallery. The address was preceded by singing from a surpliced choir of girls, a solo by Mrs. Moore, and congregational singing of gospel hymns. Mr. Willmott said in part:

"The high cost of living and the cost of high living are separate subjects, but there is a vital connection between them. Let us first consider for a moment that clique in every community which are mis-named high livers. They are known by their loud laugh, which speaks the vacant mind; loud clothes and unrestrained desires. They are the diseased portion of the body politic. On the testimony of Seton Thompson we can say that some animals have a higher code of morality than they. Let us dismiss that class of people from our consideration at the outset for real high living is intellectual and spiritual.

"That man is the highest liver who gives his fellow men the highest concept of life. This form of high living cannot be purchased by wealth. On the contrary the possession of great wealth is the thing that tries the soul.

"At the same time it is hard to think sublime thoughts on an empty stomach. You cannot expect a man to live nobly on $7.20 a week. Grinding poverty destroys reverence for God and respect for authority. The men who have done mighty things here and in Britain came from that class that had neither poverty nor wealth, the great middle class. The cost of high living is effort and striving with the world, the flesh and the devil. The Almighty does not take the nerve out of man by doing his work. You can begin this effort at any time. Our God is a god of new beginnings. His gift of Jesus Christ is a pledge of that fact.

"Low living also has its price. It is the abandonment of high thinking and of healthy desires. It is eternally true that whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL.

"No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper" quoted Dr. I. W. Sneath, in his sermon at the morning service Sunday. He told most interestingly of the giant Ishbi-benob son of Goliath trying in battle to slay David with a new weapon of the nature of which we are still unaware to this day. New weapons against Christianity have always been brought by hostile forces, since Christ's time and many of them are not immediately recognized as such. Christ was crucified, Stephen stoned, James died by the sword and Paul on the block, yet christianity suffered not. The early Christians suffered imprisonment pillory starvation and lashing, yet persercution failed to stop the progress of christianity.

The Romans laid to the door of the Christian every misfortune that befell the nation. Earthquake, famine, murders were blamed upon the Christians yet misrepresentation utterly failed. Noltaire wrote that before the end of the nineteenth century christianity would pass away yet in the last hundred years more additions have been made to it than in the preceding eighteen centuries. The future must be judged by the past. New weapons will come and will go but christianity will finally overcome the world. For we are not fighting alone—God is with us. "No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper."

Sunday school had the largest attendance yesterday of any session during the term of the present superintendant, Charles A. Randall. The basket ball team will play its first game in the league Saturday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. Plans are forming for Christmas exercises in the Sunday school, which this year will be unusually novel and interesting.

At four o'clock the Junior Christian Endeavor met in the vestry, led by Ruth M. Higgins, and the regular Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock was led by Charles Johnson.

The mid-week service at 7.45 P. M. on Thursday will be led by Dr. Sneath Topic: "The shortest chapter in the Bible."

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH.

The events of the week for St. Chrysostom's church are as follows:

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the Junior Auxiliary meets in the parish rooms.

Tuesday at 8.00 P. M. Cabaret supper in parish rooms.

Wednesday at 2.30 P. M., Woman's Guild in parish rooms. Choir Rehearsal at 7.30 P. M.

Thursday, at 8.00 P. M. Vestry meeting at rectory.

Friday at 8.00 P. M. Girls' Friendly society in parish rooms.

Choir Boys' Food Sale in the parish rooms, Saturday at 5.00 P. M.

The regular monthly meeting of the vestry will take place Thursday evening, at eight o'clock at the rectory.

The members of the Men's club have taken hold of the Cabaret supper with a spirit of enthusiasm that means success. It has been fully thought out, and every detail has received careful consideration. The supper itself is to be good, and in addition there will be some interesting entertainment providing much fun and liveliness. While this particular supper is managed by the men and none of the ladies have anything to do with getting it up, still it is hoped that ladies will be present in goodly numbers when the occasion comes off. If such is not the case it will be cause for keen disappointment.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Woman's Guild will be held in the parish rooms Wednesday afternoon.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 17, in the parish rooms, the Junior Auxiliary will give a Christmas play and entertainment in aid of the Parish House Fund.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The regular monthly meeting of the Vestry will be held at the rectory this evening.

The Juniors meet as usual Tuesday afternoon. It is hoped that all will come to this meeting. The mothers are always welcome.

Mr. Wrigley will give an organ recital in the church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, assisted by Mr. Macleod as soloist. Mr. Wrigley's recitals afford a real opportunity to hear fine music and all our people who are music lovers should not miss this. Mr. Wrigley will play the Storm by request. The recital is public and is open to all friends of the parishioners. A silver offering for the music fund will be taken.

The December business meeting of the Women's Guild will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. It is urged that every member be present, and that all accounts relating to the fair be handed in at this meeting. All women in the parish are cordially invited. Tea is served at the close of business and the social hour is a most pleasant occasion for the women of the parish to meet and become better acquainted.

This year the play will be given at New Colonial hall. The title of the charming little comedy is "The Chaperone."

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

Courage was the subject of the sermon preached by Rev. Carl G. Horst, text from the 27th Psalm, 14th verse, "Wait on the Lord; be of good courage and He shall strengthen thine heart." Throughout the entire service ran the same thought,—Mrs. R. L. Turner in her beautiful and moving voice, sang "Wait patiently for Him," from Elijah; the responsive selection for the day taken from the hymn book, included the 40th Psalm: "I waited patiently for the Lord, and He inclined unto me and heard my cry." The opening hymn was by Robert Collyer, and Rev. Mr. Horst paid a brief tribute to his long and useful service, recalling the fact of his presence at the dedication of the Wollaston church, nearly twenty-five years ago. It was hoped to have him speak at the 25th anniversary of the church next month.

In the discourse that followed, courage was clearly differentiated from the rashness that pushes unthinkingly into danger; or the insensibility to risk, which, too ignorant to recognize peril is also too ignorant to fear it; or the audacity that seems to brave all when in reality it shows only empty bravado. True courage is clear-eyed, it measures the danger and difficulties of a situation, faces them sincerely and then girds itself to meet what comes in patience and calmness.

This kind of courage is needed in our daily lives when we must march faithfully on with no music to inspire and no clarion cry to make the common task seem noble. Faith in God is an unfailing source of courage and to gain it one must cultivate a love of truth and love of God.

The first vesper service was held in the church at 4.30. The Temple quartette of Boston furnished the local selections and Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, presided at the organ. The pastor, in a brief sermon, dwelt upon the need of individual service in a world where to be good is not sufficient, but to be good for something all important. "It makes not so much difference" said he "What place you fill in the world nor what work you do for mankind so long as the place and the work are well filled and faithfully done."

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GROCERS TAKE ORDERS

QUIET GAME INTERRUPTED

Officers Make Stealthy Entrance to the Nash House

COVER COIN AND CARDS

Inspector Goodhue and Officer Dhooge swooped down upon a little card party in the house of George Nash at 158 Sumner street about 1.30. Sunday morning and arrested Nash and three of his boarders busily engaged in playing cards and drinking beer. It was in the vicinity of midnight when Inspector Goodhue in passing the house noticed a light in the kitchen. Looking in through the window he saw the four men seated at a table playing cards while Mrs. Nash was busily engaged in passing beer to the players.

Inspector Godhue went and telephoned the police station for the wagon and when it arrived he and officer Dhooge silently entered the house. The first that the players knew of the officers presence being when Inspector Goodhue reached over their heads and placed his hands on the money and cards on the table. All four were placed under arest.

The men in addition to Nash were Mattio Pasbustello, Saverio Taarello and Michele Sttonasco. All four were charged with gaming on the Lord's day. Nash was also booked on the charge of maintaining a gaming nuisance and with maintaining a liquor nuisance. All were in court this morning.

SPECIAL PERMIT FOR MARRIAGE

Granted Finnish Couple United Saturday Night

A special permit granted by Judge Avery enabled Miss Teresia Siltanen and Frank Hendrick Mast of 114 Town Hill street to be married Saturday afternoon within the five day law. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Lillback of the Finnish Congregational church at the home of the bride, 46 West street. A large number of friends of the couple gathered to honor the occasion and united in giving Mr. and Mrs. Mast a grand reception. The groom is a seaman and his bride is a domestic.

ASHLAND HELD

(Continued from Page One.)

side of that time a fire was discovered which resulted in an alarm being sounded from Box 73.

This morning Ashland went to the Fore River yard and getting his tools went to the office to draw his pay and get out. It was then that he was detained and police headquarters notified and the wagon sent down after him and he was immediately taken to the police station where he is held on suspicion.

Ashland told the Probation officer that he lived in Charlestown and that as work was quiet he came to Quincy six weeks ago and found employment at the Fore River yard. Since he has been in Quincy he has boarded at the house of Solomon. He further said that he had got sick of Quincy and decided to go back to Charlestown. He denied all knowledge of the fires.

YOU need the Ledger every day.

ANOTHER LETTER FROM MILLER

Missive Does Not Agree With the Raymond Interview

ON RECOUNT MATTER

Saturday the Ledger published a report that John L. Miller had requested a recount of the votes cast in the recent city election.

This brought out the following communication which is self explanatory:

Editor Daily Ledger:—

In your issue of the 7th inst. you published a piece of news on the front page, with large heading announcing that I had asked for a recount of the votes for Mayor. It was a great surprise. It was also a surprise to me to learn that, for I had not asked or even implied that I wanted a recount **neither had I permitted any one else to ask in my name,** so your surprise is wholly wrong and erroneous. Some of your reporters better take more pains in gathering news, for it is a serious matter when one can't have confidence in their local paper.

I hope you will make this correction as prominent as you did the announcement.

Yours very truly,
John L. Miller

It is true that Mr. Miller did not file the papers. But City Clerk Crane stated that the papers were presented in the interests of Mr. Miller.

In view of this and Mr. Miller's letter it will be interesting to know what Mr. Raymond said upon the subject.

Upon being called on the telephone from the Ledger office this afternoon, the following conversation was held:

Ledger Representative—Is this Mr. Raymond?

Mr. Raymond—It is.

Ledger Representative—Did you file papers with City Clerk Crane in the interests of a recount of the vote cast for Mr. Miller at the City Election?

Mr. Raymond—I did.

Ledger Representative—Did Mr. Miller know that you were to file those papers?

Mr. Raymond—He did.

Ledger Representative—And you had some conversation with Mr. Miller with regard to filing the petitions for a recount?

Mr. Raymond—I did.

And the incident closed.

A visit to the office of City Clerk will immediately convince anyone interested that papers asking for a recount of the votes for Mayor were filed Friday in the interest of John L. Miller, although not filed in person by Mr. Miller.

The papers were in regular form as follows:—

"We the undersigned, citizens of ward—of said city, hereby state that we have reason to believe that the records made by election officers in said ward are erroneous in the vote for mayor John L. Miller, James H. Penniman, Eugene R. Stone.

We believe that a recount of the ballots cast in said ward will effect the election of one or more of the said candidates. We believe that the error is in the counting or tabulating of said votes, whereby be hereby petition for a recount of said vote."

These papers, one for each ward were filed at 3.15 Friday by Arthur F. Raymond, Notary Public. They were sworn to before him by the following.

Ward One—Thomas Bishop.
Ward Two—Francis P. Dorley.
Ward Three—Arthur H. Sylvester.
Ward Four,—John Evans.
Ward Five—Charles R. Sherman.
Ward Six—John G. Welsh.

Mr. Raymond who filed the papers stated to City Clerk Crane that they were in the interest of John L. Miller.

HEARING ON BATH HOUSE

The much mooted question of whether the people of Quincy want a bath house at Wollaston beach will be aired this evening in the council chamber when the city fathers will give a public hearing to all those interested. At the present time the only bath house facilities are controlled by private ownership and a movement is afoot to secure the depth of the sentiment favoring the establishment of a well appointed bath house.

Would it not be as well to ascertain if the owner of Monticello desires to sell out before making all this stir about securing the Jefferson home for a national museum.

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Aunt Told Her to Take Them From Department Store

WHICH LED TO TROUBLE

A Boston paper reports that a woman who gave her name as Mrs. Annie Rowbin of 96 Pleasant street, and Ivy M. Chant, her neice, were brought to police headquarters, Boston, Saturday by Inspectors Pelton and Maughlin charged with shoplifting from two departments stores, of goods valued at $383. Mrs. Rowbin gave her age as 52 years and that of neice as 18 years. The latter is so small however that she would readily pass for 12. According to the police the neice told her aunt that she wanted some shoes and other things and that the aunt told her to take them. The woman broke down when she heard her neice make that statement.

The Quincy directory gives Mrs. Annie Rowbin as residing at 94 Pleasant street.

—President Butler of Columbia university calls for $16,000,000, mainly to carry on the work the university has already undertaken. Since its resources have been increased by nearly $19,000,000 during the past eleven years, the scope of Columbia's educational activities is thus emphasized.—Tauton Herald.

If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

Don't Be Surprised

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TWO YEAR TERM

(Continued from Page One.)

They would rather put sand on the ways and see the ship stuck than put on a little grease and let her go. They ridiculed the idea that the town needed a water supply and foolishly allowed certain people to put in a private water plant. When the people became dissatisfied they had to pay an excessive price for something that ought to have belonged to them in the first place.

Conditions are changed nowadays, quite radically you say things are extravagant and the city is run bum Look over the city report and see why the money is spent. Think over conditions and see if you haven't arrived at the conclusion that the city is justified and privileged in spending money to give the people what they want. There has got to be money and people have got to be taxed on their property for it.

The cause of our being obliged to pay an excessive tax rate is because we have been liquidating the last five years instead of extending loans. The $12 limit is not enough for improvements in our rapidly growing district especially when the valuation has increased almost 3 time. There are so many more people demanding things.

It was not the idea of the original framers of the charter to have committees in the council Mr. Bryant declared. The idea was to have a round table where the council might sit down and smoke sigars if they wanted to and put their feet on the table and discuss the city's affairs in a good businesslike fashion.

Every member of the city council ought to know about everything that comes up for public improvement. There should be a councilman from each ward and one at large.

A commissioner of public works is a good thing if he is the proper man. We do not pay salary enough now to get a man who knows everything he should know.

The term of the mayor should be two years to give him a chance to carry out his policies. When this is done and the council reduced there will not be the hue and cry about spending money foolishly.

We should have a movement to revise the charter. Various people in various parts of the city ought to call meetings to discuss this. They should at least insist the charter be changed to have a council of 9. I hope another year the council will adopt rules to have all things discussed at large rather than by committees.

Better times are coming. If the present policy is continued the debt falling due is bound to decrease and there will be a lower tax rate.

Several questions and a general discussion followed.



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E. H. Lowe, Washington Street.
George E. Sprague, Cor. River St.
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Mrs. F. H. Stanley.
WEST QUINCY—F. A. Skinner.
John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—Capt. Fosdick's.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair Tuesday and Wednesday. Warmer Tuesday night.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.03
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.09
Moon sets	5.36
High water, A. M.	12.15
High water, P. M.	12.15

Days decrease 6 hours 8 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16. 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	25 degrees
Dec. 9, 1911,	48 degrees
Dec. 9, 1910,	22 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

PRESS CLUB SUMMER HOME

Boston Organization Plans to Have One at North Weymouth

Paul F. Brown, a well known member of the Boston Press Club, is the moving spirit in an organization which has obtained a beautiful shore location at North Weymouth, not far from the Fore River bridge, for the purpose of building a clubhouse. Some 50 summer and winter residents, among the former being several from Boston, are interested in the undertaking. The site is a peculiarly attractive and suitable one.

QUINCY REAL ESTATE SALES.

Charles F. Adams 2d et al exs to Margaret L. Thompson et al, Hobomack road.

James H. Broughton to Louise A. Broughton, Beale street.

Leon E. Brown to Alice B. Whitford, Marlboro street.

Hannah Cassidy to Frederick M. Rooney, Albatross road.

Antonio Lucca Dalle et al to John Igo, Intervale street, Gilbert street.

William H. Deacon to Laura W. Peters, Washington street.

Ellen C. Drew et al to Lizzie B. Robinson, River road.

Charles A. Ericson to Gertrude F. Walker, Upland road.

Felix Favorite to Arthur F. Raymond, Hillside avenue, Pine street.

Mary A. Gallagher to Margaret E. Gallagher, Appleton street.

Isabelle M. Gregory et al to Ellen Cunniff, Hancock and Carruth streets.

Maddelena L. Labadini et al to William E. McLellan et ux., Greene street.

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Anastasia Lavalle to Ella Cunniffe, Carruth street.

William E. McLellan et ux to Charles R. Sherman, Greene street.

Albert Nelson to Elizabeth Johnson, Merrymount avenue.

Mary T. Phelan to Lulu E. Wales, Newton street, Warren avenue.

Arthur F. Raymond to Frederick H. Meyer, Pine street.

Arthur F. Raymond to Charles R. Sherman, Hillside avenue, Pine street.

BRAINTREE REAL ESTATE SALES.

Frank W. Coughlin to John Walton, Aspinwall road.

Jabez S. Dyer to Ellis Hollingsworth, Washington street.

Francis L. Leben to John O. Almquist, Howard court.

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MISSION ENDED BY THE JESUITS

Wonderful Sight On the Renewal of Baptismal Pledge

1200 MEN IN SERVICE

The seven days mission for men which has been conducted by Rev. Fr. Coyle and Rev.Fr.Condon, Society of Jesuit missionaries, at the St. John's church, closed Sunday evening under most auspicious circumstances and the works of the Jesuits mark an epoch in the history of the parish.

At the last mass on Sunday morning a sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. Condon and in the evening Father Coyle delivered a strong sermon on "Perserverance.

The blessing of articles of devotion was by Father Coyle who also invested candiates with the scapula.

The Papal Blessing which was extended to the Jesuits by Pope Puis IX to be given to devout Catholics was received by all present.

A most solemn and impressive ceremony was that of the renewal of Baptismal vows. In the right hand of 1200 men was a lighted candle and with all other lights turned off the church appeared like a star studded heaven while the men fervently repeated the words which were spoken for them by sponsors at Baptism.

In the afternoon there was a blessing of babies, a large number having been carried to the church for that purpose.

Benediction was by Rev. Fr. Coan who spoke a few words on the success of the mission and told the congregation that 200 children and Sisters had been praying for its success and that he attributed the most remarkable event he has seen in his parish to the faith of his pupils and teachers, and the real good in the hearts of his parishioners.

Music was by the regular choir, under the direction of John Mahon, organist. Joseph Morrisette rendered two solos, "Ave Maria" and "Veni Creator." "O Salutaris" was sung by Frank Savard of New York.

Fr. Coyle's sermon on Perserverance was a kindly and earnest plea to the congregation to continue as devout Catholics. He said that faith builded a city of God in men's souls and urged that no ill-considered action be the means of destroying its grace.

"If you fall," he said, "get up, and if you fall again, get up again, for in getting up you are helping yourself escape what is harmful to your soul if you stay fallen."

He further said "you have not only a life to live but you must save your soul." He asked the men to frequent the sacraments, recite their prayers regularly and to live a life of a wholesome and religious aspect so as to reap the reward of the righteous.

WOMAN KILLED

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slipped or became confused and fell. When the woman appeared directly in front of him Mr. Miller did his best to avoid striking her, but to no avail.

He immediately stopped his car and pulled the prostrate woman from beneath the truck. He then telephoned the City Hospital for an ambulance. The woman died before she reached the hospital. Mr. Miller drove his truck to the police station and gave himself up. He was booked on the charge of manslaughter. He was later admitted to bail and brought his truck to Quincy.

People who saw the accident completely exonerate Mr. Miller from all blame and said that not only was he driving slowly at the time but that the accident was entirely unavoidable.

Mrs. Norton was the wife of John A. Norton and was on her way to work in an office building when the accident happened. She leaves a husband and four children.

TOMORROW'S ELECTIONS

Twelve Cities to Choose Mayors, With but One Unopposed

Boston, Dec. 9.—Contests for mayor will feature a majority of the fifteen city elections which will be held in Massachusetts tomorrow. All but three of the cities will name their chief executives for the coming term.

Lawrence, Lowell and Newton mayors were elected last year for two-year terms, and in those cities members of the city government and school board are the only officers to be voted upon.

Mayor Chambers, who seeks reelection in Everett, is the only unopposed mayoralty candidate.

TICKETS FOR GRAND BALL

Included With Ledger Free Trips to Washington

ITINERARY OF THE TOUR

Many are not aware what an attractive prize the Daily Ledger offers in its Washington trip. Just read the itinerary below and note the many extras which are included!

As already stated, the winner can select a companion to accompany him of her. It would make a good wedding trip for newly-weds, or for a couple who never took a bridal tour. It will be a personally conducted party, so that two ladies, or two gentlemen, would find all their comforts anticipated, and something doing all the time.

Here is the itinerary in brief:

Friday, Feb. 28,—Leave Boston at 6.00 P. M. by train for Fall River, connecting with one of the magnificent steamers of the Fall River line for New York. Stateroom provided.

Saturday, Mar. 1,—Breakfast on steamer is provided, and New York is reached at 7.20 A. M. The forenoon will be devoted to sight-seeing about the city. Luncheon provided at hotel. Leave New York at 2.00 P. M. via the Royal Blue line. Seats in parlor car included. Arrive Washington at 7.00 P. M. and transfer to a first class hotel, where rooms and meals will be provided for the stay at the National Capital.

In Washington until Thursday. Under direction of the conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4, is Inauguration Day. The inauguration of a President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle.

The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol building, in front of which take place the actual Inauguration ceremonies including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the chief justice of the Supreme court.

Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy, and Militia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson and down Pennsylvania avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage.

Tuesday evening the grand Inauguration ball is held in the immense Pension building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of the building is cleared for the event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine band, and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations, and of the officers of the Army and Navy, form a brilliant spectacle.

On Wednesday, Mar. 5, a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ church where Ellsworth was killed.

Thursday, Mar. 6.—Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included, and New York is reached at 2 P. M. Leave New York at 5 P. M. on Fall River Line steamer. State rooms assigned and evening dinner served.

Friday, Mar. 7,—Arrive Fall River at 5.30 A. M., connecting with train for Boston.

WEYMOUTH REAL ESTATE SALES.

Henry C. Alvord to Edward F. Hicks, Holbrook road.

Frederick J. Blanchard to Joseph C. Clark, Columbia road.

Charles H. Bodge to Jennie N. Salisbury, Commercial street.

Arthur D. Brown tr to Richard Jennings, Park street.

Jennie Gladwin to Frederick J. Blanchard, Columbia road.

Nathan H. Goodspeed et al trs to Charles H. Pratt, Hawthorne street.

Nathan H. Goodspeed et al trs to Anna Griffin, High street.

Nathan H. Goodspeed et al trs to Lydia A. Taber, Hawthorne street.

Patrick J. Lally to Philip Crowder, Leonard road.

Charles H. Pratt to Mabel B. Maynard, Hawthorn street.

Eben Tirrell et al to Thomas P. Lonergan et al Laurel street.

James H. Torrey to Henry Stoddard North street, Lincoln street.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

CHRISTMAS ENTREMETS.

WHEN in doubt what vegetables to serve with the Christmas dinner the suggestions given here may be helpful. There are few vegetables that do not go nicely with roast turkey.

Mashed Potatoes Browned.—Fill the dish you intend to serve the potatoes in with mashed potatoes and, after smoothing the top and sprinkling with good butter, put on the shelf of a hot oven until browned and then serve.

Glazed Sweet Potatoes.—For a dozen people use nine sweet potatoes of good size, four tablespoonfuls of butter, a tablespoonful of sugar and a tablespoonful of water. Boil the potatoes fifty minutes; then take them from the fire and pare them. Cut them in halves lengthwise. Season with salt and place in a dripping pan flat side down. Put the sugar and water in a soup plate and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Now add the butter and stir over heat until this is melted. Baste the potatoes with this liquid and place the pan in a hot oven for twenty minutes. The potatoes should be brown and glossy when they come from the oven.

Some Creamed Vegetables.

Creamed Canned Corn.—Put a quart of canned corn in a saucepan; boil in its own liquor fifteen minutes; add half a teacupful of cream and a teaspoonful of butter; season with pepper and salt.

Creamed Lima Beans.—Soak dry lima beans in lukewarm water overnight; put in a saucepan, cover with boiling water, cook until tender, drain off the water; season with cream, butter, salt and pepper.

Creamed Turnips.—Pare turnips and cut in slices a quarter of an inch in thickness; then cut the slices in strips like a match. Boil these in salted water half an hour. Drain them, place them in a dish and cover with cream sauce made by melting in a small frying pan a tablespoonful of butter, adding to it a tablespoonful of flour, and stir until smooth, and then add a pint of milk. Stir it constantly until it boils; then season it with a teaspoonful of salt and a little pepper and pour it over the turnips.

Appetizing Dishes.

Stewed Tomatoes.—Open a can of tomatoes, put in a saucepan and set on the back of the stove. Cook an hour, add a teacupful of breadcrumbs, two ounces of butter, with salt and pepper. Cook half an hour longer.

Cold Slaw.—Shave cabbage into shreds, mix a well beaten raw egg in half a teacupful of condensed milk, add a teacupful of vinegar; boil till it thickens. Pour this mixture over the cabbage. Sprinkle with salt.

CRANBERRY DAINTIES.

NO Christmas table would be properly furnished without cranberries in some form. To meet this holiday demand the following recipes for cranberry desserts are given.

The cranberries should be well washed and picked before using. The fruit should be fresh and firm.

A Frozen Dessert.

Cranberry Sherbet.—A delicious cranberry sherbet may be made thus: Boil one pint of cranberries in a quart of water, sweeten and then set aside to get cold. Add the juice of one lemon. Strain and freeze. Serve in dainty glasses with small lighted candles held in fancy cases.

Cranberry Cocktail.—Take two cupfuls of stewed cranberry sauce, half a dozen medium sized oranges, a cupful each of water and sugar. Pare and slice the oranges in very small pieces and put a spoonful in each cocktail glass or wineglass and pour the cranberry sirup over them. They must be very cold.

Light and Luscious.

Cranberry Fluff.—Take a pint of cranberries and one cupful of cold water. Cook until the berries burst, strain, add an equal amount of sugar and cook until thick. Cool, fold in the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs and bake until set, or from five to ten minutes. Serve cold with whipped cream.

Cranberry Fritters.—Take an egg, one cupful sweet milk, one and one-half cupfuls of flour, a little salt, a cupful of minced cranberries and a little over one-half teaspoonful of soda. Fry in hot fat. Serve with sirup made of one cupful each of brown and granulated sugar boiled together. Add teaspoonful of vanilla.

Baked Sweets.

Baked Cranberries.—Take four cups of cranberries and place them in an earthen pudding dish and cover with water. Cover the dish and put it in the oven. Bake until the berries are soft; then stir in very carefully two cups of granulated sugar and bake fifteen minutes longer.

Cranberry Pudding.—Take one and one-half teacups of sour milk, one teaspoon of soda, three-fourths cup of molasses, one teaspoon of salt, three cups of flour.

Stir together and add two cups of raw cranberries. Pour into a buttered tin and steam one and a half hours. Serve with a sauce.

Anna Thompson.

—A Brooklyn justice sentenced a man convicted of unintentional manslaughter to contribute to the support of his victim's widow for one year. This was a common sense penalty, but the judge probably went outside his strict authority when he imposed it.—New Bedford Standard.

PETITION FILED TO TAKE NEW RAILROAD

Would Complete Work Abandoned by the Grand Trunk

Boston, Dec. 9.—A most important and unusual petition was filed at the state house with the secretary of the commonwealth. The signers of the petition are Charles E. Lewis and Willard Welsh.

They ask for the passage of an act to create a Massachusetts company, with Governor Pothier of Rhode Island, Mayor Fletcher of Providence, Attorney General Rice of Rhode Island and Henry A. Barker, a prominent business man of that state, as incorporators, to take over the franchise and property of the Southern New England railroad, now owned by the Grand Trunk, and continue the work of construction where the Southern New England has dropped it.

Messrs. Lewis and Welsh, the petitioners, are Massachusetts citizens.

ONLY ONE "BEST"

Quincy People Give Credit Where Credit is Due.

People of Quincy who suffer with sick kidneys and bad backs want a kidney remedy that can be depended upon. The best is Doan's Kidney Pills, a medicine for the kidneys only, made from pure roots and herbs, and the only one that is backed by willing testimony of Quincy people. Here's a case:

Charles J. Somers, barber, 17 Newcomb street, Quincy, Mass., says: "It is a pleasure for me to tell of my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills, for the benefit of other kidney sufferers. This remedy worked wonders in my case. Lame back and weak kidneys bothered me for ten years and nothing helped me until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills. The promptness with which this remedy cured me was astonishing. My strength and energy was restored and my health improved one hundred per cent. I shall always endorse Doan's Kidney Pills when I have the opportunity." (Statement given September 2nd 1908.)

LATER ENDORSEMENT.

Several years later Mr. Somers was interviewed and he said: "I am only too pleased to verify my former endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills. I still take this remedy occasionally and it keeps me in good health."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of James A. Ryan, late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Edward T. Ryan of said Weymouth, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of December, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, Mass., the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of November, A. D., 1912.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Nov. 30-Dec 2-9.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Isabel Frances Pratt Emery late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Mary H. Emery of Quincy who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to W. Cleveland Cogswell of Scituate without giving surety on his bond, the executrix named in said will having declined to serve. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County, on the eleventh day of December A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register,
3t Nov. 30, Dec. 2-9

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Frances A. McDonald late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Katharine E. Teasdale of Quincy or to some other suitable person. Your are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
3t Dec. 4-9-16

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha W. Q. Willett late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, three certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and two codicils—of said deceased have been presented to said Court for Probate by George T. Till of Swampscott in the County of Essex who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of December A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Nov. 26-3t 26-2-9

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

a Wollaston	f Harrison Square
b Norfolk Downs	g Sayin Hill
c Atlantic	h Crescent Avenue
d Neponset	i South Boston
e Pope's Hill	r Quincy Adams
* Saturdays Only	† Except Saturday

Exp.—Express train.

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave	Stop	Arrive	Leave	Stop	Arrive
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r 6 16	abcl	6 35	6 12	ihgfedeba	6 39 r
r 6 33	e	6 49	6 30	a	6 47
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r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	c	8 03 r
r 7 33	Exp	7 48	8 35	ca	8 52
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7 57	a	8 13	9 10	fedba	9 32 r
r 8 06	abcd	8 31	9 45	a	10 01 r
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r 10 19	abcdefghi	10 45	12 15	hgfedeba	12 41 r
11 12	a	11 28	12 37	a	12 54
r 11 24	abedefgh	11 50	12 50	Exp	1 05
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r 2 19	abcdefgh	2 45	3 15	hgfedeba	3 40 r
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4 04	a	4 20	4 12	fedcba	4 34 r
r 4 26	abcdefgh	4 52	4 41	c	4 58
5 06	Exp	5 20	4 57	a	5 11
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7 29	ab	7 48	6 14	Exp	6 30 r
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			*11 26	ba	11 43 r
			†11 30	ba	11 49

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Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)—6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.56, 9.36, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.26, 11.26 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.12, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.48 A. M. 12.28, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Dexter W. Royce and Minnie E. Royce, both of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Leroy P. Russell, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated Mar. 19, 1912, recorded with Norfolk Deeds Book 1208, Page 96 (which mortgage has been assigned by mesne assignment to the undersigned) for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, December 18th, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described substantially as follows:—

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of said Quincy called Houghs Neck, being Lot 26 as shown on a plan by E. Granville Pratt, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, bounded as follows:— Northerly on land now or formerly of Thayer 75 feet; Easterly on land now or formerly of Littlefield 45 feet; Southerly on Bay View Avenue 75 feet; Westerly on an avenue running northerly from said Bay View Avenue to the beach 45 feet; being the same premises that were conveyed to the said Minnie E. Royce by A. Alice Capen by deed dated April 4, 1910, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1138, Page 531.

Said premises will be sold subject to a prior mortgage written in two parts recorded with Norfolk Deeds, respectively Book 1161, Page 637, and Book 1176, Page 154, as there written aggregating $1750.00, and to accrued interest thereon; and further subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any there are.

$100.00 in cash will be required to be paid at the sale. Other terms at the sale.

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TIME TABLE

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Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Braintree**, 6.25 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Brockton**, 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays**, 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton**, 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays**, 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton**, 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays**, 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return**, leave **East Weymouth**, 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck**, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays**, 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays**, 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return, leave Neponset**, 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays**, 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Neponset**, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays**, 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 3.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays**, 11 P. M.) **Sundays**, 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return**, leave **Neponset**, 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays**, 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Weymouth Landing**, 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays**, 11.30, P. M. **Sundays**, 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return**, leave **Squantum**, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

PERSISTS IN HER CAMPAIGN

Greece Has Six Battleships Hovering Off the Dardanelles

TURKEY PREPARES TO RESIST

Operations of Greeks In Adriatic Sea Stirs Austrian and Italian Governments—Peace Arrangements Being Made In London—Cholera Conditions Reported to Be Improving

London, Dec. 9.—Greece continues the war against Turkey, in spite of rumors that she will sign an armistice before peace negotiations begin here this week. Six Greek warships are hovering off the entrance to the Dardanelles, and the vessels of the Turkish fleet are concentrating at the narrows to repel an attempt to force a way through the Sea of Marmora.

It is believed such an attack would be disastrous, as the Dardanelles are thickly strewn with mines, and the forts on the shores could pour a devastating fire into the invading fleet.

The Turks are said to have concentrated two entire divisions of troops with much artillery, on the Gallipoli peninsula to beat off the Greeks if they attempt to land in force.

The Italian and Austrian governments are most exercised over the operations of the Greeks in the Adriatic sea. A question was asked regarding the Greek occupation of the island of Sasseno, at the entrance to the harbor of Valona, in the Roman parliament.

Greece landed troops at this point a month ago. She proclaimed her rights over the island in accordance with old treaties. It is believed Greece will be forced to yield to Italy in this quarter. The bombardment of Valona is now said to have amounted to little, however.

Greece actively continues her campaign in the Epirus. The Greek troops have occupied the towns of Delvino, Argyro-Castro and Santi Quaranta, about fifty miles to the northwest of Janina.

Despite the armistice, the Turks at Tarabasch, near Scutari, attacked the Montenegrins, but the latter refused to answer the fire directed against them, which did little damage. The Montenegrins are impatient to take the field again.

Meanwhile peace preparations go on apace. It is expected Bulgaria and Greece will appoint delegates in time. St. James palace has been placed at the disposal of the peace conferees.

The first meeting is set for next Friday, but the serious business will not be reached before the following Monday.

Largely through the efforts of Hoffman Philip, first secretary of the American embassy, the conditions in the cholera camps at San Stefano and other places have been much ameliorated. Philip and two Englishment have led in cleaning up the city. Many of the soldiers were not only receiving no proper medical attention, but were actually starving to death.

SAVES HIS PHOTOS

Wounded Birdman Guides Airship Past Turks and Then Expires

Vienna, Dec. 9.—The fate of Jules Constantin, a French aviator in the Bulgarian service, who was decorated by King Ferdinand for bravery, is described in a dispatch just received here.

Constantin started from Surma village on his last flight over the Tchatalja lines, with the object of dropping bombs on the Turkish troops. His biplane disappeared rapidly, and some hours later was seen to descend near the Bulgarian camp. The aviator was found lying on the ground dead, with a wound in his chest. The wings of the biplane had also been pierced by bullets.

The instruments showed he had reached a height of nearly 4000 feet. He had photographed the Turkish lines and evidently had been shot, but had strength to guide the machine back before he expired.

PARDON FOR SANDFORD

It Is Not Looked For by Leaders of Holy Ghost and Us Sect

Camden, Me., Dec. 9.—There is no reason to expect an early pardon of Rev. Frank W. Sandford, the imprisoned leader of the Holy Ghost and Us society, according to leading members of the sect here, who were shown dispatches to the effect that Sandford had written his friends that he expected President Taft to pardon him before Christmas.

"We hope the report may be true, but we have heard nothing to indicate that our leader is to be freed," said Captain Perry, commander of the society's fleet of vessels.

Blown to Bits by Dynamite

Houlton, Me., Dec. 9.—J. A. Stanley, a farmer of this town, aged 60, was literally blown to pieces by the accidental discharge of dynamite with which he was blowing stumps.

WAR SCENES

Bulgarian Aviator and Soldiers at a Spring



Photos by American Press Association.

CIVIL SERVICE FOR 20,000

President Complies With Request of Navy Yard Employes

Washington, Dec. 9.—Four thousand employes in New England navy yards are placed under civil service as a result of the signing by President Taft of the proclamation placing a total of 20,000 navy yard employes in the United States under civil service rules and regulations.

The request for civil service regulations came from the employes themselves. Of the employes affected in New England 3000 are employed at Charlestown and 1000 at Portsmouth.

G. O. P. NOT READY FOR REORGANIZATION

Governors Agree Nothing Can Be Done For a Year

Washington, Dec. 9.—Republican governors from a dozen states, and party leaders in congress with whom they informally conferred, agreed that no definite steps toward a reorganization of the Republican party and a realignment of its working forces are practical within a year.

Opposition from progressive Republicans, whom it was desired to bring into the movement, and apathy on the part of men who have been identified with the party's greatest activity, have helped to convince the leaders in the reorganization movement that no concerted plans should be undertaken until late next year.

A conference brought together here Republican executives from states covering the entire area where the Progressive-Republican fight was most severe during the recent campaign. The conference was called for an "exchange of views" and nothing further was attempted by those back of the movement.

DROPS INTO SALOONS

Prison Van Driver Acquires a Jag and Five Prisoners Escape

Atlanta, Dec. 9.—Disappearance of a prison van containing five prisoners on its way from the city court building to the workhouse stirred the police department and, after a fifteen-mile chase, the van was recovered and the driver, George Hamilton, arrested on a charge of "drunk and disorderly." All the prisoners had been released.

In the search for the van many rumors were heard, one to the effect that the driver of the van was visiting one "near beer" saloon after another on the East Side. Hamilton was driving leisurely along when arrested. None of the prisoners had been arrested on a serious charge.

Woman Killed by Train

Framingham, Mass., Dec. 9.—Mrs. Elton Clark, wife of a wool buyer, was killed by a train near the Framingham station. She had intended to board the train which struck her.

Wilson Denies Rumored Conferences

Hamilton, Bermuda, Dec. 9.—President-elect Wilson says he is not arranging for any political conferences on his return and has no such engagements.

Farmers Hold Their Potatoes

Dexter, Me., Dec. 9.—Farmers in this section are holding back their potatoes, the price having dropped last week to 50 cents a bushel. The bad condition of the roads will help to keep potatoes on the farms for the present.

ARM SEARED OFF BY ELECTRICITY

Boy Clings For Ten Minutes to High Tension Electric Wire

RETAINS HIS CONSCIOUSNESS

Taken Down Alive After Current of Thirteen Thousand Volts Is Shut Off —Flames Shoot In Every Direction About His Body, Which Is Terribly Burned In Various Parts

Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 9.—Gerald Lynes, 16 years old, hung for ten minutes from a high tension electric wire carrying 13,000 volts, and, though terribly burned, has a slight chance to recover.

Local electricians say they have never before known of a case where so high a current did not produce instant death.

Lynes, with a cousin, James Cassidy, was playing on one of the steel towers used to support the high-tension wires of the Rockingham Light and Power company, which transmits electric power to the street railway lines in Massachusetts and New Hampshire to a distance of sixty miles. The current is very strong at the tower where the boys were playing, near Greenland, the usual voltage being about 13,000.

Near that point the wires are carried over the tracks of the Boston and Maine railroad and are forty feet above the ground. The two boys had climbed to the top of the tower when Lynes slipped and fell.

He stretched out his hands and managed to grasp one of the wires above his head just as he lost his footing. In an instant the full force of the current was turned through his body, and his horror-stricken chum saw him enveloped in flames.

Cassidy made his way down from the top of the tower to go for help, but in the meantime Lynes, about whose body flames were shooting in every direction, was seen by Louise Bragdon, 10 years old, whose parents live on a farm near by. She ran to the house and told her father that a man was hanging from the wires, and the powerhouse was notified by telephone to shut off the current.

It was ten minutes from the time that Lynes caught the wire before the current was finally turned off. In the meantime the boy's body seemed to the anxious watchers below to be a ball of fire.

When the current was cut off, Lynes dropped, but his foot caught in a cleat on the steel tower. He was taken down and hurried to the hospital.

There it was found his left arm had been burned off between the elbow and the wrist, and that his right hand was burned to the bone. His throat and neck were burned within an eighth of an inch of the windpipe, his knees were seared by the flames, and a large hole had been torn in his foot, where a circuit had formed with the steel tower.

His left arm was amputated at the shoulder immediately upon his arrival at the hospital, and other operations will be necessary if it appears he has a chance to recover. Electrical experts here ascribe the fact that Lynes lived to his excellent physical condition, and to the possibility that he may have been somewhat protected by insulation on the wires.

During his frightful ordeal Lynes did not lose consciousness. His mind did not appear to have been affected when he reached the hospital.

Lynes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Lynes of this city.

WITH DOZEN STAB WOUNDS

Body of Another Murdered Italian Is Found on Golf Links

New York, Dec. 9.—A man found murdered on the Forest Park golf links in Queens borough is the fourth mysterious case of murder in the Brooklyn and Queens section of the city within ten days, with the victim in each case an Italian.

With a stiletto which had been placed across the man's breast and with an ice pick found nearby, the body had been stabbed a dozen times. Close by, also, was a loaded revolver, which the police believe the man had tried to use.

There were no clues to the identity of the victim or the murderers or any indication of the latter's motive.

HELD WITHOUT BAIL

Kendall Charged With Shooting Wife and Her Aged Employer

Claremont, N. H., Dec. 9.—Charged with shooting his wife, Mrs. Ina Kendall, and Joseph Osgood, her aged employer, George J. Kendall of Plainfield was arraigned before Judge Richardson here. He waived examination and was bound over to the supreme court at Newport without bail.

Medical Examiner Sanders, after an autopsy over the body of Osgood, found that death was due to the bullet wounds in the abdomen, of which there were three instead of two, as at first reported.

INAUGURATION TRIPS TO WASHINGTON

To Witness the Administration of the Oath of Office to President-Elect Wilson; also Trips to Mount Vernon, Alexandria, New York, Etc.

A WEEK'S TRIP WITH ALL EXPENSES PAID

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER proposes to send two people to Washington in March to enjoy the inauguration and sightseeing in our beautiful capital. We have selected one of the best tours on George E. Marster's schedule, and his name stands for a good trip every time. All the expenses will be paid the man or woman in Quincy who receives the most votes.

The winner of contest will be allowed to choose a companion for the trip whose expenses will also be paid.

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Quincy Daily Ledger

ALL ABOARD FOR WASHINGTON

ATTACK ON A PREACHER

Leads to Duel With Shotguns, In Which Three Are Shot

Greensburg, La., Dec. 9.—Three men, each armed with a shotgun, stood up and fired at each other until one was mortally wounded, the other so badly disabled he could not fire, and the third, a preacher, slightly hurt.

The minister, Fleet Harrell, took Mrs. Charles Lindsey into his home, after she separated from her husband. This enraged Lindsey, and he met the minister in front of the latter's home, told him he was armed and suggested that Harrell get his gun. The minister stepped into his house, got his gun, and on returning fired at Lindsey just as the latter shot at him. Lindsey fell.

Nat Lindsey, son of Charles, then appeared, and after the elder man had got to his feet both fired at Harrell. In the exchange of shots the son was mortally wounded, the father was shot again, but will live, while the minister was only slightly hurt.

The preacher assisted the wounded men into a wagon to be taken to a physician.

AS SUCCESSOR OF WILEY

Alsberg, One Time Harvard Professor, to Head Chemistry Bureau

Washington, Dec. 9.—Friends of Dr. Carl Alsberg, a chemist in the bureau of drugs and plants, are congratulating him upon his coming appointment to succeed Dr. Harvey W. Wiley as head of the bureau of chemistry in the department of agriculture.

Dr. Alsberg's nomination will be sent to the senate probably before the Christmas holidays, and the president and Secretary of Agriculture Wilson are hopeful that it will be confirmed.

Dr. Alsberg has been in the department of agriculture four years. Before coming to Washington he was in charge of the department of biological chemistry at Harvard university.

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MEN FINED $25 FOR GAMBLING

Given Till Jan. 1 to Settle and Make New Resolutions

OTHER CASES HEARD

George Nash was arraigned on complaints charging him with maintaining a gaming place and with maintaining a liquor nuisance. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $300 bonds until Friday.

George Nash, Mattio Pasbustello, Saverio Taarello and Michele Sttonasco were fined $25 each for gaming on the Lord's Day at Quincy. They were given to Jan 1 to settle.

Francis Clark was fined $3 costs for drunkenness at Quincy.

George Deliganides was fined $75 and sentenced to two months in the house of correction for violation of the liquor law at Quincy. This is the young Turk who it is alleged was doing a pocket liquor business at the Fore River yards. He appealed and was held under $500 bonds for the grand jury.

Nicholas Carey was sent to the state farm for being a vagrant at Quincy.

James E. Tracey was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Joseph Sylva was arraigned for threatening assault on Charles Sylvia at Cohasset. Case continued until Wednesday.

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GOOD BOOTING BY ANDERSON

Gave Quincy the Second Game Against St. George

AT SOCCER FOOTBALL

The Quincy team of the Boston District League lived up to its reputation of springing a surprise when they defeated the St. George A. A. in the last minutes of play at Wood Island Park, East Boston, Saturday afternoon, 3 to 2.

A difficult goal by Anderson gave Quincy the odd point and the second win against their opponents this season. The summary:

QUINCY		ST. GEORGE A. A.
W. Ridge	g	g J. Calder
Haldane	rb	lb L. Ymell
Wilson	lb	rb H. Jordan
McLane	rh	lh H. Howard
Harkness	ch	ch E. V. Ymell
Meldrum	lh	rh H. Haynes
Anderson	rof	lof F. Spooner
McDonald	rif	rif T. Fielding
Ross	cf	cf J. Shaw
Rae	lif	rif N. Herberts
Melrose	lof	lof H. Dawson

Score Quincy 3, St. George A. A. 2. Goals Anderson 2, Ross, N. Herberts 2. Referee, Beaddows. Linesmen, McGregor, Quincy; W. Hoy, St. George A. A. Time 45 and 15m. periods.

BRIEFS

Miss Helen Connors of Main street spent the week end at Springfield, Mass.

A new leader has made his appearance in the Ledger's Washington trip contest today.

The many friends of Mrs. Charles Barron of Orchard place will be sorry to learn that she had the misfortune to fall, injuring her knee which will confine her to her home for several weeks.

At the entertainment Tuesday evening under the auspices of Unity circle, King's Daughters, Miss Elsie Leighton Livermore will recite original monologues, and Miss Catherine Stone will be the violinist.

Members of the Quincy Women's club are promised a rare treat tomorrow afternoon when F. Schuyler Mathews is to give his lecture on Wild Birds and their music. Mr. Mathews comes in place of Mr. Lewis who was scheduled as the speaker of the afternoon. The club meets at two o'clock to continue the discussion of the by-laws and other business. The program at three will be followed by a social tea.

NOTICE!

We published a notice December 3 announcing that we would give away a Souvenir Coin Free to those calling for one of our Christmas Jewelry Catalogues, Friday, December 6.

We find that we are unable according to law to have U. S. Coins, Gold Plated, and should therefore not wish to give them away as souvenirs.

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We will give in place of the above $5.00 in gold, or its equivalent in Jewelry, to the person who may guess the number which will be selected, and left in sealed envelope with the Quincy Daily Ledger and the Quincy Telegram Contest open to all persons over 12 years of age. Give name of the head of the family and any number between 1 and 1912 inclusive. Only one member from any one family permitted to enter in Contest. Number will be selected by three disinterested persons.

Contest closes Saturday, December 14, at 6 P. M.

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FIRST GAME IN S. S. LEAGUE

Christ Church Gave Bethany a Hard Tussle

WOLLASTON WALLOPED

The opening games of the Quincy Sunday school league were played at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday afternoon and judging from the interest shown by the large number of spectators the league will be a grand success.

Bethany Knights of King Arthur had a hard time defeating the Christ church team and it was only the poor shooting of Bills and Cleveland which prevented the latter from getting the victory. Driscoll played a good game against Earl Bates, but "Batesy" was too much for him and Smith replaced Driscoll in the second half after Bates had scored twice. Hunt, Bates and Prout played best for Bethany and Driscoll, Bills and Cleveland for Christ church.

The game between the First Presbyterian and the Wollaston Baptist schools proved to be a walk over for the former, the score being 24 to 3.

The Wollaston boys showed lack of practice, but they ought to develop into a good team being tall and heavy with one exception. "Bill" Falconer and "Jim" Matheson did most of the scoring for the Presbyterians while Joe McGrath scored the lone basket for the Wollaston team. Ela played a good game at center, but was up against too fast a man to do any "offensive" work.

The summaries:

BETHANY CONG.		CHRIST CHURCH
Bates	rf	lb Driscoll
		lb McMillan
Prout	lf	rf Smith
Shaw	c	c Cleveland
Hunt	rb	lf Williams
Gronberg	ib	rf Bill

Score Bethany 9, Christ Church 7. Goals from floor Bates 2, Bill 2, Prout, Hunt, Cleveland. Goals from fouls, Hunt, Cleveland. Referee LaRose. Time 15m halves.

FIRST PRESBY.		WOL. BAPTIST
Marini	rf	lb Sears
Matheson	lf	rb Whitehead
Falconer	c	c Ela
Cumming	rb	lf McGrath
McLeod	rb	
Summers	lb	rf Bedwell

Score, First Presbyterian 23, Wollaston Baptist 3. Goals from floor, Falconer 6, Matheson 3. Marini 3, McGrath. Goals from fouls, McGrath, Referee, LaRose. Time, 15m halves.

GREETED BY BIG CROWD

Ettor and Giovannitti Make Addresses on Boston Common

Boston, Dec. 9.—Five thousand men and women workers shivered in the wintry gusts that swept across Boston common yesterday afternoon to greet Joseph J. Ettor and Arturo Giovannitti, after their leaders had tried in vain, as they charged, to secure a hall for the demonstration.

The meeting was called to celebrate the freeing of the I. W. W. leaders from a charge of murder arising from the turbulent secens enacted during the Lawrence textile strike.

About two-thirds of the crowd were Italians. Many of them became angry and left when the demonstration was half over because they were not permitted by the Socialist and I. W. W. leaders to take control or to fly a banner inscribed: "No God, no master."

Tin pint and quart measures were passed around and money collected for the I. W. W. strike at Little Falls, N. Y. Two hats were filled with nickels, dimes, quarters and half dollars.

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SOLOMON'S ENEMIES STILL BUSY TRYING TO BURN PREMISES

Young Man Pointed Out As Offender Released As Accusation Is Withdrawn

Fire Discovered In Shed At Rear of Hotel Sunday

That the enemies of William G. Solomon, are as persistent as they are revengeful, daring and determined was further demonstrated by the eighth attempt to damage his premises, Sunday.

And the strange part of this last attempt was that a man was pointed out by another as the person responsible for the fire, but when the officer started to place the man in custody the accuser withdrew his charge and nothing further was done about the matter, both men being permitted to depart.

If both the accuser and accused had been brought to the police station and put through the third degree no doubt some interesting developments might have been produced or else the fact would have been established that one of the parties was simply trying to fool the police officers. It seems it was a matter which would have borne further investigation.

The alarm was sounded from box 73 at 8.41 o'clock last night. The blaze was in a small shed in the rear of one of the houses connected with the Enterprise hotel, conducted by William G. Solomon. It was fortunately extinguished before any great damage was done.

A young man was pointed out to Officer Malone as a person who had been seen to set the fire but when the officer started to place the man under arrest the informant withdrew his charges and the young man was given his liberty.

After the fire Saturday morning a special officer was put on duty to patrol the immediate vicinity in an effort to catch the fire bug. According to Solomon he believes that the fires are the result of some person who is displeased because he has secured colored help for the Fore River Ship Building Co.

ANOTHER COUPLE HAPPY.

Gladdened beyond measure by the permit issued by Judge Avery which allowed them to be married within the time required by the law's delay, Miss Julia Avalucea of 83 Water street and Faustino Garcia of 58 Water street immediately applied to William M. Marden to perform the ceremony Saturday. After the genial court officer had pronounced the words the couple left for the home of the bride where they were given a reception. Mr. and Mrs. Garcia were born in Spain.

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BIRTHS

ANDERSON—In Quincy, Dec. 5, a son to Dr. and Mrs. John H. Anderson.

HOLDEN—In Quincy, Dec. 8, a son to Mr. Henry R., and Mrs. Minnie Eaton Holden, of Adams street.

MARRIAGES

GANTZ—STEIGMAN—In New York, Dec. 7, Mr. Nathan Gantz to Miss Anna Steigman (formerly of Quincy) both of New York.

MANCHESTER—SOUTHER-In Quincy, Dec. 7, by City Clerk Emery L. Crane, Mr. Frank Edward Manchester of Quincy to Miss Ella Gertrude Souther of Hingham.

GARCIA—AVALUCEA— In Quincy, Dec. 7, by William M. Marden, J. P., Mr. Faustino Garcia to Miss Julia Avalucea, both of Quincy.

MAST—SILTANEN—In Quincy, Dec. 7, by Rev. John Lillback. Mr. Frank Hendrick Mast to Miss Teresia Siltanen, both of Qiuncy.

MINIHAN—STEIN—In Quincy, Dec. 7, by Rev. John Lillback, Mr. John Minihan to Miss Mary Stein both of Quincy.

DEATHS

HALL—In Quincy, Dec. 8, Mr. John Whitney Hall in his 79th year. Funeral services at late home, 1173 Hancock street, Tuesday Dec. 10, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

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Judge Refuses to Set Aside Jury's Findings

IN LOCAL CIVIL SUIT

Judge Crosby before whom the suit of Hugh Golden against Patrick W. Mannix was heard has declined to set aside the verdict of $3,000 awarded the plaintiff in the superior court. The suit was brought by Golden for injuries received at the quarry of the defendant. The plaintiff was represented by Charles J. McGilvray while the John Lowell, Esq., was counsel for the defendant. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $3,000. Judge Lowell immediately filed a motion for a new trial. This motion as stated above has been denied by Judge Crosby.

LOCAL Y.M.C.A. WON TWO GAMES

Visitors Not in Basket Ball Running Saturday Night

QUINCY ALL THE WAY

The Gloucester team proved to be very easy for the local Y. M. C. A. boys on Saturday night.

The Quincy team played real basket ball, and it would have taken a first-class five to stop them. Parker Rich and Trask played as fine a game as forwards as has ever been seen in Quincy while Kenn and "Pin" Johnson took care of their opponents in fine style. For the visitors, Andrews and Clark did the best work. Andrews succeeded in caging the ball in 10 out of 14 tries. Tenry Trask for the local team made 5 out of 8. The summary:

QUINCY		GLOUCESTER
Rich	rf	lb Crowell
		lb Mitchell
Parker	lf	rb Clarke
Trask	c	c Parkhurst
Johnson	rb	lf Andrews
Kenn	lb	rf Glover

Score, Quincy Y. M. C. A. 57, Gloucester Y. M. C. A. 30. Goals from floor, Rich 9, Parker 6, Trask 11, Crowell 2, Clarke 5, Parkhurst, Andrews 2. Goals from fouls Trask 5, Andrews 10. Referee Jones. Timer Smith. Time two 20m halves. Attendance 200.

SECOND TEAM GAME.

The Second Team game was closer all the way through than the "big attraction." The Brockton boys all outweighed the local players and judging from the snappy practice which the visitors put up it looked like a victory for them.

Q. Y. M. C. A. 2D.		G. Y. M. C. A. 2D.
Thomas	rf	lb Julien
Price	lf	rb Carroll
Corthell	c	c Crowell
		c Loughlin
Dineen	rb	lf Cassazant
Croucher	lb	rf Wood
Pinel	lb	

Score, Q. Y. M. C. A. 2d. 31. G. Y. M. C. A. 2d 15. Goals from floor, Thomas 5, Price 6, Corthell, Pinel, Croucher, Carroll 3, Wood 4. Goals from fouls. Price 3, Wood. Time two 20m. halves.

Pigeon Flies Across Ocean

Montreal, Dec. 9.—Ernest Robinson of Westmount received word that one of a flock of pigeons he imported from England, that had escaped, had returned to its English home. The distance is 3000 miles. Apparently the pigeon's flight took twelve days.

DELAY WOULD BE DANGEROUS

Miss Langelier Operated Upon In Burlington Hospital

Miss Muriel Langelier, daughter of Ex-Senator and Mrs. Louis F. Langelier, was operated upon for appendicitis at the Fanny Allen hospital, Burlington, Vt., Saturday afternoon. The operation was successful, the patient is doing nicely but will not be able to return home until January.

An examination of the appendix by the doctors showed by its condition that a delay of 24 hours would have had serious results. Miss Langelier is a pupil at the Massachusetts Fields school.

Mr. and Mrs. Langelier and daughter were on a visit with relatives in Essex Junction, Vt., over Thanksgiving at the time the girl was taken ill.

Mr. Langelier will return home Tuesday. Mrs. Langelier will remain with her daughter.

GANTZ—STEIGMAN.

Miss Anna Steigman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Steigman of New York and former resident of Quincy and Nathan Gantz of Brooklyn were married Saturday evening at New York.

The bridal party was escorted to the canopy, under which the ceremony was performed, by Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Grossman of Quincy. Miss Jennie Lewis was maid of honor and Miss Anna Herz was the attendant. Joseph B. Grossman of Federal avenue was the best man.

The bride is a sister of Mrs. Reuben Grossman of Quincy and lived in Quincy until a year ago.

BRIEFS

Mrs. B. H. Prescott of Lynn is the guest of Bigelow street relations.

Mrs. J. G. Spofford of Park lane was summoned to Maine today by the sudden illness of her mother.

Thomas F. Burke of Washington, a former commissioner of public works of this city is here for the Christmas holidays with his family.

A parents meeting will be held at City Hall, Friday evening to be addressed by Doctor F. N. Seerley of the Springfield board of education.

The Quincy Lodge of Moose will hold a smoker at Faxon hall this evening. A varied program has been aranged and preparations have been made to accomodate a large audience.

Lieut. F. Roland Hoyt, U. S. N., passed the week end in Wollaston as the guest of Lincoln D. Randall and family of North Central avenue. Lieut. Hoyt is attached to the U. S. S. Lancaster, now at Norfolk, Va.

A man who gave his name as George Deliyamides, said to be a Turk, aged 21 years employed at the Fore River yards was arrested by Inspector Goodhue Saturday charged with keeping and exposing intoxicating liquor. The Turk who it is said lives at 492 South street is alleged to have done a pocket liquor business in the Fore River ship yard and outside of the yard. He was taken to the police station where he bailed himself out to appear in court this morning. It is said that he produced a large roll of bills and readily deposited the $100 required by the bail commissioner.

BOTH SHOE OPERATORS.

Miss Ella Gertrude Souther of Hingham, a well known shoe operator, and Frank Edward Manchester of Hancock street were married at the home of City Clerk Emery L. Crane on Saturday afternoon. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Souther. The groom is also a shoe operator and is employed at a Braintree factory.

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Fore River and Howard and Bullough In Hot Game

SCORE ONE TO ONE

The Fore River soccer players and the Howard and Bulloughs played a draw match in an exhibition game at Pawtucket, Saturday afternoon. The Howards goal was of a most sensational description and was made by McDevitt while he lay flat on his back. Five minutes after Moran made a long pass to Carruthers who nosed the ball between the posts. The scoring on both sides was done in the last half of the second period.

The Howards are eligible to meet the Rovers in the American cup series, and the Fore Rivers were eliminated at Fall River two weeks ago. The summary:

H. & B.		FORE RIVER
Mellor,	g	g Sharples
Smith,	rh	lb Melville
Donnelly,	lb	rb Henry
Holden,	rh	lh R. Robertson
Otoole,	ch	ch Campbell
Brennan,	lh	rh Elliott
Harvey,	rof	lof Carruthers
Daly,	rif	lif P. Robertson
McDevitt,	cf	cf Harrison
Blakeley,	lif	rif J. MacDonald
Long,	lof	rof Moran

Score, Howard & Bullough 1, Fore River 1. Goals made by McDevitt, Carruthers. Referee, Brown. Linesmen. Love and Taylor. Time 45m halves.

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Executor's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a license granted by the Probate Court for the County of Norfolk, dated November 27, 1912, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Monday, December 30th, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described parcel of real estate of Lodoiski H. Jocelyn Winne, deceased, to wit:—a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on a private way now known as Hersey Place, in Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded as follows: beginning at the corner of land now or late of Newcomb, thence running a little east of north along land now or late of Bennett, 59.4 feet to a stone bound; thence running a little south of east 83.2 feet to a stone bound; thence running a little west of south along land now or late of Bushnell, 49.33 feet; thence running northwesterly along land now or late of Newcomb, 82.3 feet to point of beginning, containing 4480 square feet, more or less being lot No. 1 on plan of land of Thaddeus H. Newcomb by H. T. Whitman, C. E., dated August 8, 1903, duly recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 954, page 472; and being subject to and with the benefit of a right of way to Washington Street.

$300. will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, and the balance in ten days from date of sale on delivery of the deed.

LINCOLN A. COOK, Executor of the will of Lodoiski H. Joselyn Winne.

Charles H. Wilson, Attorney, Savings Bank Bldg. Quincy, Mass.

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HIGH SCHOOL BASKET BALL

Quintette Ready to Meet All Comers and Open with Thayer

The opening of the Quincy High school basket ball season will be on Jan. 3 when the local boys will meet Thayer Academy on Quincy's floor. Just what to expect from the quintet this year cannot be positively stated but with a large number of promising candidates and the students taking a deep interest in the game the possibilities are that one may influence the other and a rattling team develop under the direction of Teacher-Coach Mansur.

None of last season's players are at school. Chapman and Finley who made records last season are at Williston where Arthur Staff, the 1911 coach is stationed. Capt. Trask graduated and Baird, Holmes and Johnson are not attending school.

Richard Larkin, of football fame, is the captain, and Fred Schenkleberger is filling the managers berth. All the candidates have been identified with athletics during their term and most of them secured the high school letter in football.

The forwards who appear promising are Sam and Ralph Prout, James Jenkins and Capt. Larkin. The centre lies between John Jepson and Willard Safford and Richard Crane, Joseph Betts, Ralph Hadlock and Allen Miller are fighting for a back position.

Class games will be played on Monday afternoon when 1913 meets 1915 and 1914 meets 1916. The winners will play for the class championship later in the week. It is expected that more candidates will appear after the class teams get started aright.

Games will be arranged with Wakefield, Weymouth, Milton, Wellesley, Oliver, Ames, Newton, Winthrop, Reading, Melrose, Salem, Lynn and Revere High Schools and the schedule will be announced at an early date.

THAYER BEAT RINDGE SCHOOL

In the Opening Game of Basket Ball By Close Score

Thayer Academy opened its basket ball season at South Braintree, Saturday afternoon and defeated the Rindge Training school 22 to 20. The winning shot was made in the last minute of the play. McClure, centre for Thayer secured six baskets and the team showed a line of snap throughout the halves. On Jan. 3, they play the Quincy High school the opening game of their oponents schedule.

The summary:

THAYER ACAD		RINDGE T S
A Bower	rf	lb Jones
Greeley	lf	rb Jessopp
McClure	c	c Mariner
Parker	rb	lf Morrison
R Bower	lb	rf Burke

Score. Thayer 22, Rindge 20. Goals from floor, A. Bower 2, Greeley 2, McClure 6, Jessopp 2, Mariner, Morrison 6, Burke. Goals from fouls, McClure 2. Referee, Avery. Scorer, Smith. Timer, Crowe. Time 20m halves. Attendance 150.

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PUBLIC BATH HOUSE OPPOSED NO ONE FAVORED PROPOSITION

Orders For Five Additional Firemen and Raising Pay of Firemen and Policemen

Council Had Variety of Subjects Under Consideration

Many important matters came up before Monday night's meeting of the City Council. Several departments asked for transfers or additional appropriations. Orders were offered increasing the number of permanent men in the fire department by five to provide for the one day off in five which the city voted to grant by accepting the act increasing the salary of the City Engineer changing the salary of the police department etc. Councilman Carruthers was the only absent member.

An attempt was made to pass the orders widening and building Sea street and changing the grade of Elm street but both failed to receive the necessary two thirds vote. The votes weres reconsidered and the order were again placed on the table. The veto of the Mayor on the Auditors ordinance was also taken from the table and the veto was sustained.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Assessors asking for an additional appropriation of $175 for miscellaneous. Referred to Finance Committee.

A communication from the Chief of Police asking for an additional appropriation to take care of salaries for the balance of the year. Referred to the Finance Committee.

The Mayor forwarded communications from the Chief Engineer asking for the transfer of $694.70 from Pay of Men to Horse Shoeing and keeping and $175 from purchase of hose to repairs and fixtures. Laid on the table until later when an order was offered. Referred to Committee on Fire and Police.

From the Chief Engineer asking for five additional permanent men to provide for the one day off in five of permanent firemen caused by the acceptance of the days off act. Laid on the table until later when Councilman Studley offered an order increasing the number of permanent firemen by five men. Referred to Committee on Fire and Police.

A communication was received from the City Auditor stating that a bill had been filed with him for payment from George H. Brown as follows:

John L. Miller
Chairman, School Committee,
Quincy Mass.

To George H. Brown, Dr.

To professional services from September 11 to 14 inclusive relative to the proposed petition to the Supreme Court to enjoin the city from making a sale of the old Wollaston schoolhouse; Conferences with you; examination of the law; preparing petition etc. $25.

The bill bears the approval of Albert L. Barbour Supt., N. S. Hunting Finance Committee, School Department.

The Auditor asks the opinion of the City Council if it is a proper charge.

Referred to the City Solicitor for an opinion if it is a proper bill.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing Ernest Tanner a special officer at the New Kincaide theatre. Confirmed.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Y. M. C. A. asking for the use of the Council Chamber for a public meeting to hear the address by Dr. F. N. Seerley on "Sex Hygiene." Laid on the table until later when an order was adopted granting the use of Council Chamber for Friday Dec. 13.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Overseer of the Poor asking for an appropriation of $2,500 to pay bills of the department. Laid on the table until later when an order was offered for that amount. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Bay State Street railway Co., petitioned for a location for two poles on Sea street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

The New England Telephone Co., petitioned for attachments on Rogers street and Baxter street, which were granted.

The Finance Committee made the following reports:

Appropriating $900 for garbage, of the Board of Health. Ordered to a second reading.

Appropriating $250 for State Aid for disbursements by the City Clerk. Order adopted.

Making transfers in the school department appropriations. Order adopted.

Appropriating $1,500 for claims and awards. Ordered to a second reading.

Transfering $216 to police signal wires. Order adopted.

An order amending the salary ordinance increasing the salary of the City Auditor from $1,400 to $1,600 per year and providing a salary of $200 for the clerk of the Finance Committee who is also the Auditor was received. The report therefore practically makes his salary $1,800 per year. Ordered to a second reading.

The Finance Committee submitted a lengthy report on the petition to reassess the betterments on Tyler street. Their report in full was as follows:

"The petitioners allege that the assessment which is for one half the cost of the construction of the street is excessive as many items were improperly charged to the special appropriation and that the actual cost was considerably less than the amount upon which the assessment was based. Your committee gave a public hearing to the petitioners at which former Commissioner Bainbridge under whom the work was done was present by request.

"As to the charge of $150 for use of the steam roller it was claimed by the petitioners and admitted by the former commissioner that the steam roller was not used on the street. The commissioner explained that when the charge was made his intention was to use it but that he later found such use impracticable. The amount of the charge was determined by estimation based upon the fact that the steam roller had been rented for the sum of $1000 with the option of purchasing it at the end of a certain time. The rental of $1000 was charged up in advance to various special appropriations in proportion as the commissioner testified to the amount of usage to be made of it on the various streets. He claimed that gravel to an equal if not greater value than $150 was used on the street so that the charge although not correct in form was in amount. Your committee finds, however, that no charge was made for gravel used on other streets at that time and we therefore believe that in revising the assessment that amount should be deducted in the computation.

"A charge of $5.59 was made for seed which admittedly was not used on the street and should, of course, be deducted. The intention was to use the seed but on account of the lateness of the season this was found impossible.

"The petitioners also objected to the amount charged for labor and criticised the efficient value of it. As regards the efficiency, we were told by the commissioner that it compared favorably with other city labor and was the best obtainable under the circumstances. There were at that time (October and November, 1911) about twenty jobs under construction at one time, far too many for real efficiency according to Mr. Bainbridge. As to the amount, we examined the time books and also had a computation made in the commissioner's office. According to the time books the amount of the pay rolls was considerably less than that shown by the account, while the recent computation shows an amount some-what in excess. The truth is that there is no way of determining accurately the cost of labor as too much was left to guess-work. The pay rolls at the stone crusher and at the gravel pit as also bills for oil, supplies and repairs on the crusher were divided among the different special appropriations for the various streets then under construction not by any definite rule but merely by estimation, so-called. This has been the practice for some years and still is, as we have learned by inquiry. We cannot too

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ODD FELLOWS HAD GREAT TIME

Buckingham Encampment Royally Entertained By Manet

20 CANDIDATES

Buckingham Encampment of Boston was entertained by Manet Encampment Monday evening. Chief Patriarch Henry Frankinberger accompanied by 46 members were present. The Golden Rule degree was exemplified, 20 candidates presenting themselves to the Manet degree staff and a banquet followed the festivities.

The Grand Officers present were: Grand Patriarch, Sam Wood, Jr.. of Quincy; Grand High Priest, Walter F. Johnson of South Boston; Grand Junior Warden, Bert J. Whitmore of Cambridge; Grand Sentinel, Albert W. Bullock of Waltham; Deputy District Grand Patriarch, Frank T. Taylor and suite of Malden and Fred West Assistant Grand Instructor.

Bridadier-General Zenas W. Lewis, Commander of the Patriarchs Militant of Massachusetts, and staff of Brockton was present with delegations from Canton Shawmut of Boston, Canton Roxbury of Roxbury and Canton Malden of Malden.

The following Encampments were represented—Winter Hill of Somerville, Charles River of Cambridge, Woburn of Woburn, Massasoit of Boston, Ellison of Dorchester, Wampatuck of East Weymouth, Nemasket and Old Colony of Brockton, Everett of Everett, Mount Washington of South Boston.

W. H. Walker, Chief Patriarch, presided at the banquet. Speeches were by the grand officers and members of the visiting encampments.

Music was by the Manet band and a feature of the evening was the singing of German songs by the visitors.

KEEP SCHOOLS IN POLITICS

The Slogan of Mrs. Susan W. Fitzgerald at Wollaston

WOMAN'S INFLUENCES

Mrs. Susan W. Fitzgerald spoke on "What women can do for the schools, and what the schools can do for our girls," at the regular meeting of the Wollaston Parents-Teachers Association, Monday evening.

At the business meeting Walter S. Pinkham called attention to the death of Dr. Wellington Record; and Walter S. Pinkham, Chester I. Campbell and J. Harry Hooper were appointed a committee on resolutions.

Samuel Bates of Cohasset sang several solos accompanied by Mrs. Herbert Y. Follett including "The village blacksmith", "Green sleeves" and "The rosary."

Mrs. Fitzgerald said in part:

"We all realize the schools have had an interesting history. In the earlier days when they were smaller the school house was in a real sense a part of the neighborhood life.

"In many places the teacher 'boarded round' and formed so intimate a part of the community life as to have a keen understanding of the relations of the school to the home. In those days the school was a social centre. There was singing school and spelling bees, not for children but for older folk. The neighborhood life was focused on the school building. Thus in the old days things happened without theory that we are now trying to re-establish with theory and sometimes a great deal of effort.

"Since that time the schools have passed through the learning stage and only in the last 10 or 15 years have we come to realize that we must again socialize the schools. We must make the schools fundamentally a live and helpful part of the life of the neighborhood if we would in any way do the work thoroughly. The first lesson to learn is that none are safe in the life of the community unless all are safe. All are in danger if there is a week spot in the community. The chain is no stronger than its weakest link.

"We are looking upon the schools to give to all children the care and oversight that is needed by some. The school is no longer content to simply teach lessons. It takes a hand in recreation of the child, in playgrounds and summer work. It assumes hygiene and physical care, realizing that the physical condition of the child is the foundation upon which other achievements are built.

"The social feature is growing and reaching from the children to the adults. The schoo house is more and more becoming a social centre. This is beneficial in its reaction on the schools. Children's interest is stimulated when the school becomes a real live centre to which men and women go for something that interests them."

Mrs. Fitzgerald called attention to the changed personnel of the modern teaching force which is no longer just a homogenous group of teachers but a corps of people with very varying functions. The duties of the school nurse were mentioned and the need of school visitors emphasized, to enable teachers to understand the conditions surrounding their pupils. Women truant officers were strongly favored as women could establish a more sympathetic understanding between the schools and the parents of the delinquents.

She referred to this end of school work as an entering wedge for all nature of social service and charitable endeavor.

In considering what the schools could do directly for the girls she said "it should do more than fit them for domestic duties.

It ought to give them other things, to make them deft with their hands, more systematic and businesslike, more accurate and honest in their appreciation of values. If an intelligent foundation is laid it is easy enough for them to learn cooking, housekeeping or anything else.

"The possibility of co-operation be-

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WORSHIP MUSIC INTERPRETED

Development of the Muse in Different Ages

AT FIRST LYCEUM CONCERT

A beautiful word picture by Henry Gideon, illustrated by songs by the famous Temple singers from the Temple Israel of Boston interpreted the development of church music from traditional themes to the latest arrangements in the opening of the Y. M. C. A. Lyceum course at Music hall Monday evening. The audience while not too large was appreciative and was attentive enough not to break up the reverent silence which so naturally belongs to music, the inspiration of which lies in a dead past.

The Temple Singers presentation is unique in that it is the first organization that attempts to make an entertainment feature of church music. The idea is to eliminate as far as possible the personality of the singers, soloists and chorus and to let the music rest on its own merit.

The numbers on the program were by no means the most brilliant that could be found but were intended to be illustrations of various ideas in church music composition.

A very great difference in the music of the Orient and the western world was brought out by the arrangement of the program into two parts.

Mr. Gideon directed his singers and Mrs. Bertha Cushing Childs was prima donna. The soprano part was rendered by Mrs. Gertrude Holt and Flora K. Feldman and Constance Gideon were the contraltos. The tenors were Henry Behnke, Harold A. Reynolds and C. Clifton H. Norris. Byron W. Reed was the baritone and John W. White supplied the bass.

The ushers were William Manning, John Jepson, Philip Wood, Henry Safford and Henry Trask.

Mr. Gideon in his lecture said in part:

"It is my purpose to give you a set of fragments and scenes that illustrate worship music. It is not difficult in this age to entertain by means of music. It has been thoroughly developed so that the repertoire is large and it is easy to find fresh material with which to entertain.

"There is the popular, medium, classic and operatic field, but in the vast amount of opportunity we have for entertaining by music we are a little apt to overlook the standards that are worth preserving.

"We are a little apt to overlook the culture. In the opera there is a danger of over-emphasis, such as the coloraposture. The youthful record of the man or woman singer makes a better advertiser and other commercial requirements are brought to the fore, such as beautiful shoulders, feet and figure. These things are apt to develop in a popular music form like the opera.

"In church music there is a little less danger of falling to that level. There are temptations too. We are still apt to forget the message of music they are to send. We are likely to watch expression rather than listen.

"That is apt to come out, not by advertising but just through one of the delightful weaknesses of human nature That is to say, it is customary to separate even in heart,(the artistic message from the personality. It is so difficult that some follow the line of least resistance and say it is not worth while. The real joy of heart comes in detecting the real personality. We mean of course, something much grander and more intimate than clothes, etc., by personality.

"In worship music we have a better chance of losing ourselves because of the ideals, that in perhaps any other musical form I can think of that is,—the so-called chamber music, not what is called symphonic, in groups.

"There, you are least apt to look for the glitter, glare and false, and find the meaning of the music. It is the insincerity of the advertisement and glitter that often kills the inspiration of the music.

"Our program is divided into two sections, the Hebraic, and part of the singers are from the Temple Israel choir on Commonwealth avenue and the second part is Universal.

"We might have gone further and given you fragments, bits of the chant that is heard in the convent and monastery th famous Gregorian chant, but it is our purpose to give only two sections.

"A number of the fragments are used and we are only sure they were used for a long time and preserved judiciously, not by means of notation but by means of tradition. These traditional pieces are really the gems of the program. They are these that are very rarely heard, and alas too seldom heard even in the synagogues.

"Other compositions are more modern in character and some of the works of music are in ancient style. The opening number is the last of a collection of songs in which you are asked to praise the Lord with many kinds of instruments. They are in a different line from that of today."

The first number, Psalm CL. of Lewandowski, was sung in the classic Hebrew by the singers. The second number, Shema, Mi chomocho, and Va'anachnu, (traditional and modern) was well rendered, the cantor part being taken by Mrs. Childs and the interlacing between the cantor and ensemble produced a delicate shading of harmony and tonal quality.

The Kol Nidre was sung by Mrs. Childs. It is a traditional proclamation which was pronounced once a year which absorbed from all vows It became a religious custom in which all join. Mrs. Child however sang it alone, mostly unaccompanied.

The Sanctification, by the cantor and ensemble, and, is equivalent to the canon of the mass where the celebrant chants and the choir responds. It contained one of the gems of the world's ritual, the thrice Holy.

In lecturing on the Universal section, Mr. Gideon said music cannot be idealy done by small groups of singers. In order to create and preserve the inspiration of music you must have an individual or a group of persons who will minimize the note.

"Occasionally you will find solo singers who can create. I am not registering any protest againt the use of four singers because modern harmony depends on four parts."

Shelley's "King of Love" by the

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A CHRISTMAS GIFT.

Beauty and Charity Combined.

A unique and beautiful Christmas gift, growing out of one of the Charities of a Quincy girl, is awaiting a purchaser at Pettengill's jewelry store. The late Miss Elizabeth Perry was much interested in welfare work for Quincy girls, and her family have left for sale at Mr. Pettengills, a beautiful pair of Opera glasses bought for her in Paris, the proceeds to be given to the Associated Charities of Quincy. Dec. 10-2t

STONE GAINED 48 ON RECOUNT MILLER LOST 49, PENNIMAN SAME

Shift of a Block of 50 Votes, Ward 5, Precinct 2 Increases Victor's Plurality to 138

Recount of Councillor Vote Has No Effect, But Usual Slight Changes

It was nearly 6 o'clock Monday night before the Registrars of voters completed the recount of the votes for Mayor at the recent election and of Councilmen from Wards Two and Three. As was anticipated there was quite a change in the vote for Mayor in precinct one of Ward Five for Mayor Stone made a gain of nearly fifty votes in this precinct which makes his plurality now 138. As for ward councilmen in Wards Two and Three there were some few changes. In Ward Two Carruthers lost one vote in precinct one. Duffy gained one in precinct one and Studley lost one precinct one. In Ward Three Ross made a total gain of three votes and Warner made a loss of one vote.

The votes by precincts for Mayor and Councilmen from Wards Two and Three as returned by the election officers and as returned by the registrars were as follows:

Wards and Precincts	Miller	Penn.	Stone	
1-1	182	122	146	0
1-2	142	156	288	0
2-1	28	130	113	0
2-2	68	138	257	0
3-1	193	182	129	0
3-2	210	90	106	0
4-1	58	286	79	0
4-2	117	172	105	0
5-1	276	121	82	0
5-2	117	89	217	2
6-1	110	94	130	0
6-2	104	72	90	0
Totals	1605	1652	1742	2

REGISTRARS RECOUNT.

Ward and Precinct	Miller	Penhiman	Stone
1-1	182	122	146
1-2	142	156	288
2-1	28	130	113
2-2	68	138	256
3-1	194	182	127
3-2	310	90	107
4-1	58	286	79
4-2	117	172	105
5-1	226	121	132
5-2	117	89	217
6-1	110	94	130
6-2	104	72	90
Total	1556	1652	1790

WARD TWO ELECTION RETURN.

	Precincts 1	2	Total
Joseph Carruthers,	80	132	212
Albert G. Coffin, Jr.	21	60	81
*Stephen L. Devaney	91	212	303
*Frank J. Duffy,	150	215	365
John J. Feeley,	103	171	271
*Thomas Griffin	135	191	326
William M. Prime	57	81	138
Harry G. Studley,	109	174	283

REGISTRARS RETURN.

Carruthers	81	132	213
Coffin	21	60	81
Devaney	91	211	302
Duffy	149	215	364
Feeley	99	171	270
Griffin	135	191	326
Prime	57	81	138
Studley	110	174	284

WARD 3, ELECTION RETURNS.

	Precincts 1	2	Total
Robert B. Craig	182	117	299
*Wm. Farquharson	210	169	379
Walter G. Ferguson	127	86	213
*George Gauthier	169	139	308
August V. Johnson	107	106	213
*Charles A. Ross	213	227	440
David M. Warner	195	98	293

REGISTRARS RETURN.

Craig	182	117	299
Farquharson	210	169	379
Ferguson	127	86	213
Gauthier	169	139	308
Johnson	108	105	213
Ross	215	228	443
Warner	194	98	292

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Did the writer who on the eighth announced that there were 24 more days of leap year desire to deceive the girls?

The fnuny men are hard hit now for funny pictures. Many of them would tax the ingenuity of a Solomon to get at the point of them or reconcile in any way the pictures and the reading matter.

Sarah Bernhardt did her Christmas shopping in Chicago. Sarah always did have an eye out for the main chance.

Has Gaby Deslys developed a suit of angel wings to conform to Boston Puritanism?

The Chicago police man who dressed as a woman with high heels and all the other pharaphenalia to try and catch sneak thieves after 15 miles of hoofing it declared "never again for him."

Veiled slurs at an upright honest court and an intimation that a verdict was forced through fear in Massachusetts will never aid any cause behind such a rampart.

Did any one think for a minute that the Democratic senators would fall over each other in their eagerness to confirm the Taft appointments. Not much. They have too many at home to think about.

Whatever faults Presidents Meilen may have he never shirks responsibility and when he has anything to say most people know of that fact.

The Brockton policeman who used a wheelbarrow in case of emergency set a good example to many policemen who would stand in front of a box for an hour attracting a crowd while waiting for the patrol wagon.

Some one has decided they have discovered a fire without flame. The flame is not so bad when you get used to it. How about the smoke?

Auk eggs are said to be worth $1500 each so the present day hen has not as much to brag of as she has thought for some time.

Triplets were born an hour after their mother had died at Altoone, Pa. This is one of the strangest cases known to science.

If the Chinaman who is to be sentenced for murder, in New York, Friday the 13th, has any superstitious feelings it is all day with him. He will want to die any way having his fate decided upon such a time.

As President-elect Wilson has declined the Panama Trip President Taft is of the mind that it would not be a bad thing for him to take an official farewell look at the big ditch.

The balance of Massachusetts cities with two exceptions will elect mayors and act on the license question today.

The Boston common demonstration of labor agitators was not as large or harmonious as the leaders would like. Which should be accepted as a lesson indictating the will of the large majority of the people.

The French police have given J. P. Morgan a medal. He must have tipped them off in great shape.

Any more old rare books on hand. If there is let them be trotted out so that the whole collection may be examined at one time.

Gov. Blease denial of his speech in which the strong language was used. One papers suggests that the way to quote Blease is not to quote him at all, and the same may be applied to one half the people with crazy ideas who are allowed to litter the papers up with a mess of trash that is not worth reading.

THOROUGHLY RELIABLE.

On several occasions recently the Ledger has been called to task by certain people relative to matter which appeared in the paper. The remonstrants in some cases were of the breezy blusterin kind, who were easily figured out. Others more sedately if not quite so wisely and temperately conveyed their criticism in writing.

Criticism is welcomed by the Ledger. If there is any department wherein the readers believe an improvement can be made, a suggestion to that end will be gladly received. The aim is to make the paper readable and attractive to the public, a home paper, which will become an establishment in the home. Certain undesirable features are eliminated just for this reason.

When the paper and its staff, are unreasonably assailed and an attempt made to discredit both, then it is that on several occasions recently that the boot has been on the other foot. Ordinarily the careful newspaper man is fairly well sure of his ground before he makes a step and the person who questions reliability or accuracy in such a case is often found to have jumped too hastily to conclusions. A good motto to follow is "be sure you are right, (or at least as near right as possible) then go ahead." In other words, Admiral Dewey's order in Manila Bay, "You may fire when you are ready Gridley," conveys much more than the cold simple words.

THE BOOK SWINDLE.

When all is summed up and submitted to the jury in the now famous book swindling cases, is not quite evident that some of the persons bitten expected to make a pretty penny by reason of their purchase. Yet when the whole matter is considered it must be admitted that the victims were very easy marks for a few glib strangers. And by the way it is always the tongue gifted stranger who is sure to succeed, be his enterprise suggestive of honesty or fairyland tales, such as were used to comfort children in their romper days. Take any ever so well meaning person in his own community, let his reputation and character for honesty and fair dealing be the best and allow his proposition to contain elements of safety and sanity to the investor and he is looked upon with incredulity and his plans past up as being good but hardly worthy of trial. The returns on investments of this kind are not rapid enough. The get-rich-quick element is lacking and so many a worthy enterprise has to suffer and stagnate because of this lack of interest and desire to assist the really meritorious undertaking.

But let a stranger with a letter of introduction from some nabob put in an appearance and however "wild catty" his proposition it is given attention. Aye even better than that it appeals to the persons interviewed. And the result—the loss of countless thousands.

The number of people who are annually bitten by sharpers will never be known and the amount never revealed. Authorities claim that $100,000,000 a year in this country is a conservative estimate and judging from what is made public this seems a fair amount.

Many people through false pride, refuse to make known their losses, preferring to be silent victims than have it known they were so easy to be caught by the swindling suavity of the stranger in his ever set net.

Many of the people who were caught by the book scheme, were certainly old enough and versed sufficiently in the ways of the world to know better. Yet they bit at the bait so temptingly dangled before their eyes.

The simplicity of some of the tales should have warned many clever people of the frauds, yet they did not apply their common sense in this particular instance.

At the same time the publicity which has been given those cases is somewhat strange. The movement of the prosecuting officers have been set forth with the most distinctive clearness each day. Whether this be mere guess work or on official information it is hard to say at this time. But it does seem as if the ends of justice would have been better served if the contemplated actions of prosecuting officers were kept under the rose until such time as they were prepared to swoop down upon every one connected with the frauds with sufficient ewidence to convict the guilty parties however high or low they were and make them feel the full penalty of their offenses. Under the circumstances no doubt many people have had a chance to cover their trail.

DO YOUR SHARE.

Red Cross Christmas Seals are now on sale in Quincy. The money from these seals goes to fight tuberculosis right here in Quincy.

Seventeen and one half percent of the money received goes to the state and national Anti-tuberculosis association, but 87 1-2 percent is used right here in town for needy people who are tubercular.

THE BATH HOUSE QUESTION.

So far as could be judged the Board of Trade was not officially represented at the hearing before the City Council, Friday evening, on the matter of a public bath house at Wollaston Beach. Yet at the meeting last Wednesday, it was voted that the officers and such other members as could would be present and express their views. It is understood that at a previous meeting of the Board there was a sentiment in favor of this bath house. And it was because of this condition that the vote of attending this hearing was adopted at the last meeting. Be that as it may, the fact remains that not a single person appeared to favor the project and not a member of the Board of Trade was on record, officially, as being for or against the proposition. It may be that some of the gentlemen who spoke are members of the Board of Trade, who attend so infrequently that their membership is not so prominent. But the fact remains that at a hearing of considerable importance to the community as a whole, which the Board of Trade had authorized its members to attend, less than a week before not a single member of the official family attended in that capacity. No doubt the gentlemen had some good reason, but an organization like the Board of Trade to maintain its standing and prestige in the community cannot permit such laxity as this to occur too frequently if the organization would maintain its post as a factor in public affairs.

REHEARSING.

Under the direction of Miss Isabella M. Davis, the cast of "The Chaperon" which will be given Dec. 13 by the members of St. Margarets Guild, is rapidly putting on the finishing touches of what promises to be one of the most interesting, unique and farcical productions ever given by amateurs in the city. A pleasant feature will be a minuet dance by Miss Ruth Dahl and Miss Ethel Rablin.

Anti-Clericals Carry Rome

Rome, Dec. 10.—At the municipal elections here all the anti-clerical candidates, including Mayor Nathan, were elected. The clericals abstained from voting.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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CHRISTMAS DINNER FUND

Salvation Army Has Issued Call For Aid

The following proclamation is posted in different parts of the city relative to the Christmas fund which the local Salvation Army is collecting for Christmas charity.

As Christmas again is close upon us, we wish to once again bring to your attention the needs of the poor of this city and our plans for relieving to some extent their burdens. You undoubtedly know that the Salvation Army throughout the United States gives away more than 300,000 dinners at this season and here in Quincy we wish to do our share in this great national effort.

"We aim at giving out 50 baskets, containing sufficient food for 250 or more persons. Every precaution is taken to see that only deserving families gets aid.

"Kindly help us by giving what you can in the letter left at your door or direct by mail to the Salvation Army, 150 Granite street or in the Kettles that will be placed on the streets later in the week.

"Receipt will be given for amounts of one dollar or more."

C. E. SOCIAL ENJOYABLE

The social in the vestry of the Memorial church, Atlantic, was the most enjoyable ever held by the Christian Endeavor. It was called the Frankleigh Batty reunion, being a reunion of one of the wealthy city families. The reception was the first event. Those who received were Laurence French, as Mr. Batty, Jean Arthur, as Mrs. Batty, Maybelle Reed, as a wealthy aunt from New York, Mrs. Henry Mallock, as Gramma Batty, Mr. Henry Malloch, as Grandpa Batty and Jordine Davison as Baby Batty.

The other young people present dressed as relatives of the family. They were each taken to the receiving line in a small express wagon, which was supposed to be a car. Arthur Hall was motorman, and Miss Doris Cummings conductor. The car fare was ten cents. After the reception there was a march drill, William Northrop played the piano.

Prizes were presented to those in the best costume. Winnie Cole, as the Squire's daughter, got the girl's prize, and Earl Richardson as a tramp, received the boys prize.

Games were enjoyed for sometime after which refreshments were served.

NOTICE!

We published a notice December 3 announcing that we would give away a Souvenir Coin Free to those calling for one of our Christmas Jewelry Catalogues, Friday, December 6.

We find that we are unable according to law to have U. S. Coins, Gold Plated, and should therefore not wish to give them away as souvenirs.

$5 in Gold "Free"

We will give in place of the above $5.00 in gold, or its equivalent in Jewelry, to the person who may guess the number which will be selected, and left in sealed envelope with the Quincy Daily Ledger and the Quincy Telegram Contest open to all persons over 12 years of age. Give name of the head of the family and any number between 1 and 1912 inclusive. Only one member from any one family permitted to enter in Contest. Number will be selected by three disinterested persons. Contest closes Saturday, December 14, at 6 P. M.

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WILLIAMS COMES BACK

R. E. DeNormandie Enters Contest In Third Place

MACKAY PASSES 1000 MARK

Again today about ten thousand votes were cast in the Daily Ledger Washington contest and there are several surprises.

Sturgis Hunt, the leader of Monday, added 1195 votes, but they were not enough, for Fred D. Williams gained 2010 and "comes back" at the top with a lead of 45 only.

The surprise of the day, however, is the entry of a new candidate from Wollaston, R. E. De Normandie, the son of ex-Councilman Eugene F. DeNormandie, who jumps into third place with 5240 votes to his credit. This was possible largely on subscription certificates. He is a popular High school boy and will certainly be heard from.

A. R. MacKay, of Granite conclave, No. 797, Improved Order Heptasophs, made a big gain, and has passed the thousand mark. Members of the order and friends are giving him hearty support.

Miss Morrissett has passed Mrs. Marnock, and Worcester friends of Letter Carrier Cole have jumped him from No. 32 to No. 9.

Gains were also made by Miss Walsh at the Central telephone station, Miss Jennie Taylor of the Violet club, William DeCoste of Houghs Neck, Charles H. Finn of the Buffaloes, W. C. Luther at the shipyard, Peter T. Fallon, the ex-Representative, Granville Sweetland at Johnson Bros., and others. Another new candidate is John R. Wiggie of Copeland street.

PRIZE CERTIFICATE.

A prize certificate, good for 200 votes is offered by the Contest Editor this week. It will be awarded at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 16, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 9—16. Note this is not necessarily for the leader but for the "biggest gain." The leader may gain only 1000 during the week, but a new candidate may enter with 2000 and win the certificate, or one with 25 votes might gain more than the leader. It gives all an equal chance.

Candidates should not hesitate to ask ANY of their friends for a year's subscription to the Daily Ledger to help them win the Washington trip or the diamond ring. If already a subscriber, they may be willing to pay another subscription NOW, that you may have a certificate for 1000 votes. Certificates are also issued to all new subscribers who send cash with their order. All subscriptions for one year are good for 1000 votes, whether from December to December, or March to March, or July to July, or October to October.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	8045
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	8000
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
A. MacKay, Heptasophs	1055
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	660
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	480
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	235
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	170
Sam Shellman, Granite street	105
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
Galen Bowditch, messenger	70
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	60
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	55
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	55
Richard Larkin, High school	55
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
Granville Sweetland, Johnson's	45
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	40
John T. Cain, K. of C.	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	30
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
John Mahon, organist	15
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	15
Walter Mead, High school	10
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

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SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCHES

Topics and Announcements For Coming Week

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. T. C. Martin occupied the pulpit of the Hall Place M. E. church Sunday morning after an absence of two weeks in the interests of the Church Aid. He preached from the text Gen. 32-26. "I will not let thee go, except thou bless me."

Mr. Martin said in part, "These words are taken from an old Jewish story in which Jacob, left alone in the dark night, realizes his loneliness, fearing the approach of his brother Esau, whom twenty years before he had practically robbed of his birthright. His servants had told him that Esau was approaching with 400 armed men. He is in fear. He sends out as strategically as he can his possessions and his household, the least valuable first and the more valuable second. Then he is left alone. He is face to face with peril, with difficulty and in his distress and anxiety, not a physical presence but a presence so real to him that in his dream, half awake and half asleep, he see himself wrestling with a great personality, that personality that was so real to all the seers and prophets and devout souls of the Hebrew children.

"This old story is vital and practical and helpful to us because we come face to face in the struggle of life with certain great forces just as Jacob, one weak human being alone and oppressed by his brother, full of fear, is face to face with one great God. 'I will not let thee go, except thou bless me.' He is a different man now from the Jacob who was the supplanter. He is at his best now for he is about to receive a new name, not Jacob but Israel.

"This story getting away from anything of legend or myth to the reality of your life and my life, we are up against it, face to face with certain great difficulties, the great strong factors of our lives. If we are to meet our strong elements of life in that spirit it will make all the difference in the world against success and failure. There are four great powers that the world is up against,—disappointment—temptation—a sense of duty and Death."

The Sunday school was held at the close of the morning service. Junior League met at 3 P. M.

Miss Jennie Manhire led the Epworth League service at 6.15 on "The History of Mormonism." There was a good attendance.

At 7 P. M. the pastor preached on "Success and Failure" and gave a report of his work on Church Aid.

This evening the Trustees will meet at the church.

Prayer meeting will be held at the Parsonage Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Friday, the Ladies Aid will hold the second of their quarter socials at the home of Mrs. Fred L. Badger on Crescent street.

The pastor has issued an invitation for all men of the parish to come and assist in moving the furnaces and finish the repairs on the church this week. As this work must be done between now and Sunday it is hoped that a number will volunteer their services.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

The members of the Wollaston Young People's Religious Union are invited to attend the tenth anniversary service of the Boston Federation of Y. P. R. U's in the First Parish church, Eliot square, Roxbury, Sunday, Dec. 15 at 7.30. The program is as follows:

Devotional Service
Rev. Palfrey Perkins
Welcome to the Church
Rev. James DeNormandie, D. D.
Greetings from the President of Boston Federation Leon Cummings
Greetings from the President of National Y. P. R. U.
Rev. Dudley Hays Ferrell
Solo "He that dwelleth"
Miss Georgie May Morris
History of the Boston Federation
Miss Beatrice Clark.
Forward Look Hon. Sanford Bates
Offertory
Solo "Calm on the listening ear of night" Miss Morris
Address Rev. Charles E. Park
Hymn
Benediction

The next great event in the life of our church will be its twenty-fifth anniversary to be observed Friday evening, Jan. 31, and Saturday evening and Sunday morning, Feb. 1 and 2. No doubt some desire to make a gift to the Church in recognition of this happy event, while others want to give a memorial in grateful memory of some dear one "not lost but gone before." The minister has already received one gift in commemoration of twenty-five years of service of our Church to the community and will be glad to confer with others who desire to remember our Church-home.

The monthly meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club will be held Tuesday evening, dinner at 6.30. Hon. Elmer E. Stevens, State Treasurer, will speak on "Our State Institutions."

FINNISH CHURCH.

At the Finnish Congregational church Sunday afternoon, two children were baptized by Rev. John Lillback, the pastor.

This afternoon Rev. Mr. Lillback and Frederick Frederickson of Malden will meet at Boston to confer on the advisability of introducing several new inovations which it is thought will assist in the development of the Finnish colonies located throughout the state.

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After the system has been in operation 15 days the postmasters will submit reports showing the volume of the parcels post business, the additional cost, together with an outline of the plan adopted in handling the new business.

Up to the present time the Postmaster General has authorized expenditures to the extent of about $180,000 for the purchase of necessary equipment for the establishment of the new system. In this connection more than 30,000 scales have been bought at a cost of $72,000; the printing of the guide and regulations will cost $43,000; 25,000 special mail sacks will be required at a cost of $23,000; more than $16,000 will have to be spent for 10,000,000 tags; the 130,000 special zone maps for the various Post offices will cost $13,000; 110,000 tape lines have been purchased to measure the size of parcels at a cost of little more than $1000; 195,000 rubber stamps and other miscellaneous necessities will cost approximately $11,000.

BIG SMOKE TALK BY LOCAL MOOSE

Lodge Furnished Fine Entertainment For Members and Friends

Quincy Lodge of Moose, cut loose on its winter program last night and the opening attraction was one such as the committees in the future will have to keep on the continuous move to equal to say nothing of surpassing at the subsequent events of the organization.

This opening event was an all star aggregation. And incidentally it might be mentioned that the lodge will hold its annual ball at Music hall, on the night of Feb. 3.

Every seat in Faxon hall was filled last night, and the S. R. O. sign which in the stage parlance means, "standing room only" was hung long before the time for raising the curtain arrived. As a matter of fact there was no curtain but that is all part of the performance.

The program was a varied one and included singing, dancing, story telling and two wrestling bouts.

The first was rather a tame affair between Archie Jeanette and Gus Hakanson, who have laid claims to the 145 pound amateur championship. From the start the heavier man, Jeanette soldiered, making Gus do all the work. Gus labored long and earnestly with his friend and finally pinned his shoulders to the mat after 56 minutes and 16 seconds strenuous exertion. It afforded the master of ceremonies great pleasure to present him with a gold watch as a result of and reward for his efforts.

On the whole it was a pleasure to listen to the master of ceremonies, everything gave him so much pleasure. In fact it made him fairly beam once to remark to the audience that they should keep still and let the referee attend the job in the ring. But that is more than human nature can stand.

The real scrap of the evening came when Sam Anderson, middleweight wrestling champion and Gus Anderson, Quincy's white hope in that direction stepped to the mat. It was up to Sam to throw Gus inside half an hour. They went at each other like two bear cats. It was a great contest, Sam got in wrong at the start by trying some real cute tricks, which belong to the kid class. The crowd got his "goat" for fair. Gus on the other hand attended strictly to business and had the champion in a bad place several times. The bout took the crowd by storm. At the end of 30 minutes Sam had failed to down Gus. He was mad enough to chew a nail and in fact so peeved at his own lack of power and control that he refused to shake hands with his opponent. For some of his little attentions, Gus paid him back in his own coin several times which did not tend to improve the temper of the not over amable Samuel.

The officials were Dr. Fabean, referee, Dr. Provin, time keeper, Frank W. Sampson, master of ceremonies.

Among the singers and dancers who appeared all of whom made a hit were Miss Rienta and Italia, Sadie Vardon, Misses Wheeler and Golden in a sister act, May McDonald, Mae Rozulla, three girls who did a clever song and dance and Lois Davis, dancer. The entertainment met with the approval of all present. Pipes and tobacco were passed around and the committee was very desirous that all should have a good time. Those in charge of the affair included Carl Weixler, Frank W. Sampson, Joseph Halter, Walter F. Carmen, Richard Buckley, Herbert Selden, Ernest Wilding, Henry Bigness, Charles McCoombs, Samuel Castleman and Isaac Susman.

Those who attended will be glad when the next smoke talk comes around.

SUNDAY SCHOOL DISCUSSION.

Resolved, "That the word obey should not be omitted from the marriage service" was the topic which was discussed by the Sunday school class of Miss Edith Fox at the Christ church, Sunday afternoon, and although no decision was made, good arguments were advanced by those who participated.

The affirmative was taken by Miss Marion Bolster, Miss Eva Linton and Miss Olive Barnicoat. The negative side was presented by Miss Lillian Deacon.

☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

GIRL FISHES EAGER AT BAIT

Christian Endeavors Had Novel Feature at Annual Social

The annual Social of the East Norfolk Chrstian Endeavor Union was held in Bethany chapel, Monday evening with an attendance of 200. The committee in charge had evidently spent many hours cudgelling their brains for new ideas and it was apparent that they did not cudgel in vain. The young people were taken for a picnic to the Green mountains, where they were given an opportunity to frolic, fish and eat. There was also a severe test of markmanship when the Endeavorers were called to rescue "The Babes in the Woods," with air guns which shot rubber tipped projectiles.

The young ladies did not get a chance to fish, but the fellows did. Just before the refreshments were served the girls were schooled in the corner, which represented the lake and the boys fished for partners. All reported that they bit well. The roll call showed an attendance of 195 members from eleven societies. The United Presbyterian society won the banner with a percentage of 100. Park and Downs was second with 94 plus. After the refreshments a reception to the Union officers was held and the evening's enjoyment was concluded with songs by the entire body of Endeavorers.

A.O.H. AUXILIARY CHOSE OFFICERS

Christmas Sale Followed With Jane Travis, Auctioneer

Ladies Auxiliary, Div. 5, A. O. H., held their annual election of officers at St. Mary's hall, Monday evening. Following the election a Christmas sale was most successfullly conducted by Miss Jane Travis who acted as the auctioneer. Many fancy articles were disposed of by the young lady who stood on a table while she sold out the effects.

The officers chosen were:

President—Miss Catherine Barry.
Vice-President—Mrs. William Byron
Treasurer—Mrs. Hannah McGrath.
Financial Secretary—Miss Alice M. O'Brien.
Recording Secretary—Miss Helen King.
Mistress of Arms—Miss Annie Scanlon.
Sentinel—Mis Mary Sheahan.
Society Physician—Dr. George M. Sheahan.
Pianist—Miss Alice O'Neil.

The committee in charge of the sale were Miss Alice O'Brien, Miss Eliza Sheahan, Miss Louise Eagan, Miss Nellie Joyce, Mrs. Hannah Nimmerskern.

MERIGAN HELD FOR LARCENY

Man Arrested in Quincy Wanted by Police of East Boston

Charles Merigan was arrested Monday in Quincy for drunkenness. After he arrived at the police station it was discovered that he was a man for whom the police of East Boston held a warrant for larceny. An officer from that station came to Quincy this morning and when Merigan was released from court he was taken into custody and carried back to Boston.

MURPHY—CLARK.

Miss Priscilla A. Clark, the 17 year old daughter of Mr. John A. Clark of 12 Thayer street and Leon Francis Murphy were married Monday evening by Rev. B. A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church The bride was given away by her father and attended by the groom's sister Miss Margaret Murphy.

Ducks Ruin Mexican Oil

Tampico, Mex., Dec. 10.—Oil producers lose about $500,000 this year because unnumbered flocks of wild ducks have alighted in great lakes of oil in Mexico, dying there and ruining crude oil.

SINGLE TERM FOR PRESIDENT

Favored by Works In Vigorous Speech In Senate

SHAMEFUL USE OF MONEY

Cash For Campaign Purposes Almost Wholly Supplied by Men Interested In Large Corporations Amenable to Punishment—Roosevelt, Taft and Progressives Bitterly Attacked

Washington, Dec. 10.—Asserting that the "powerful unrestrained and corrupt encroachment of combined wealth" have corrupted the voters' franchise, Senator Works of California announced to the senate that he favored a single presidential term and prohibition against re-election.

The California senator bitterly excoriated Roosevelt and the Progressive party and condemned both Roosevelt and Taft for "degrading, contemptible and disrespectful" wrangles in the campaign. In part, he said:

"When Roosevelt again became a candidate George W. Perkins became his ardent supporter and chief financial backer. Perkins knew, by actual demonstration, that his company would be safe against just prosecution if Roosevelt were elected—unless he should change his views if the Harvester trust or its stockholders should lend him their support. The same comment might be made as to the steel trust.

"I am not saying Roosevelt acted out of improper motives. He may have been perfectly satisfied that the course taken by him was proper and just. I simply call attention to these instances of presidential favor and that power that exists in the hands of a president. Whether rightly or wrongly exercised, the power is there."

Facts brought out in the sensational investigation of campaign expenditures were cited by Works to show the extent to which "trust and their millionaire stockholders" had contributed to campaign contributions. "The investigation of campaign contributions lately made has expressed some of the darkest pages of the political history of the country," he declared. "It has revealed the unpleasant facts that the money used for campaign purposes, both by Republicans and Democrats, in past years was supplied almost wholly by men interested in the large corporations that were amenable to punishment under the anti-trust law.

"The new Progressive party was tainted in the very beginning by putting itself in the hands of interests. It was managed and financed by promoters, corruptionists and trust magnates. Money was contributed to secure election of the man, who, if elected, would be intrusted with the power of determining conclusively whether they would be prosecuted or not.

"What we need are just laws, strictly observed, guarded and enforced that will secure to the voter the freest use of the ballot unmolested and unafraid.

"Under present conditions the White House is turned into the headquarters of a political party, where a press bureau is maintained. The members of the president's cabinet become his political advisers. In this they do not serve their country, but the seeker of a second term. It is a vicious system that cannot be denounced too often.

"As political campaigns are now conducted, money is regarded as one of the most powerful factors in the struggle. That millions have been supplied by the trusts and their millionaire stockholders, has been clearly demonstrated.

"E. H. Harriman was the president of the Southern Pacific company. He and his corporations were subject to prosecutions for violation of the Sherman law. He raised a fund of $250,000 for the Republican campaign of 1894.

"Two candidates in the last campaign traveled the country over making speeches most anywhere they could find standing room. They traveled in their private cars, at immense cost, paid out of contributions for campaign expenses.

"One of them gave time enough from his eager and unseemly quest for office to visit the tomb of Abraham Lincoln and lay a wreath, also paid for out of the contributions, on his grave. What a touching and sincere tribute that was to the greatest president the country ever had."

Sulzer Wants Simple Inaugural

Washington, Dec. 10.—Governor-elect Sulzer announced that he wished his inaugural ceremonies to be as simple as possible. To Edward Lazansky, secretary of state, he wrote: "I hope they will be as democratic as possible."

Earl Russell a Socialist

London, Dec. 10.—Earl Russell, grandson of Lord John Russell, has joined the Fabian society, giving as a reason his general agreement with socialist ideas.

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TESTIMONY OF EXPERT

Handwriting In "Suicide Note" Resembles That of Emelius

Houlton, Me., Dec. 10.—The handwriting in the "suicide note" found near the body of C. A. Jacobson at New Sweden, June 12, 1911, resembles the handwriting of Rev. Charles N. Emelius, the minister, who, with the widow and son of the dead man, is being tried for Jacobson's murder, according to the testimony of William E. Hingston of Boston, a handwriting expert.

Hingston testified also that the signature of the note was a drawn copy of Jacobson's signature, and the note had many characteristics of handwriting submitted to him as that of Emelius. The state then rested its case.

SUES CITY OF BOSTON

Former Woman Probation Officer to Test Pension Law

Boston, Dec. 10.—Mrs. Elizabeth Tuttle, for many years probation officer in the municipal criminal court of the city of Boston, who resigned recently on account of ill health, has brought a test suit against the city to recover two weeks' pay under chapter 723 of the acts of 1912, providing for a pension at half pay for all county officers.

She received $1700 and if the statute is held to be constitutional is entitled to $850 a year.

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CHRISTMAS MAIL EARLY

No Reason For Holding to the Last Minute This Year

The postal authorities have made a concession this year which will be appreciated by general public. Always people have held back until the last minute before depositing their Christmas mail, so that it would not reach its destination until the very last moment, either late Christmas eve, or early Christmas morning. In many cases this has proved annoying. In other words the limit of time was stretched beyond the limit so that gifts were not delivered until after Christmas, a disappointment alike to giver and receiver. But there is always that desire on the part of both to have the things arrive at just the right time. And when they have arrived early not knowing that they were Christmas things the packages have been opened before time, another cause for regret. The Post office officials have solved the problem this year.

Permission has been granted all persons mailing matter or packages to put on the outside. "Not to be opened until Christmas," or words to that effect. This is a boon that will permit of early mailing with assurance of the articles reaching their destination in time and at the same time preserve the articles for the Christmas inspection.

KEEP SCHOOLS IN POLITICS

(Continued from Page One.)

tween the teachers and parents is, well understood but a great work is waiting to be done in interpreting the schools to the newcomers to these shores."

The speaker mentioned the great danger of the schools becoming poor people's schools. She urged the strengthening of the underlying factor of democracy for the benefit of the whole.

In conclusion she favored keeping the schools in politics. "Keep the schools out of politics" was a misleading cry she declared. Politics should be made fit to govern the schools.

A social hour followed in which refreshments were served by a committee consisting of Mrs. Carroll E. Bates, Mrs. Waite, Mrs. Nathan S. Robinson, Mrs. Charles S. Adams and others.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair Wednesday and Thursday. Moderate temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.04
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.08
Moon sets	6.39
High water, A. M.	12.45
High water, P. M.	1.00

Days decrease 6 hours 9 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	42 degrees
Dec. 10, 1911,	55 degrees
Dec. 10, 1910,	23 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

SONDER CLASS BOAT OWNERS

Will Be Active This Winter Turning Out Many New Crafts

There is every indication that more sonder class boats will be built this winter than in any single period before.

There is one started at Lawley's for C. A. Wood of Beatrice fame. Bowes and Mower are the designers, and the boat,according to the lines, will be much like the cima, built from their designs last season for Guy Lowell. Cima was a dandy boat and was invincible on some points. She should be a better boat next season with her tuning up all accomplished and her skipper thoroughly acquainted with his craft.

Of course Charles Francis Adams, 2d is expected to have a boat in place of Harpoon, which, under the rules(in force in international contest, is ineligible. At present he is hanging back, but he is not of the sort that will retire after being beaten in the Quincy Challenge Cup series without a try for a comeback.

If C. P. Curtis, who owns the Quincy Cup this season for the Boston Y. C., gets rid of his boat Ellen, he will most certainly have a boat to take her place. Even if he has the Ellen on his hands it will not surprise his friends if there are two sonders owned in his family, for C. P. Curtis, Jr. has shown himself a wonderful skipper for a youngster and would make good with a boat under his own command.

BRIEFS

Jack Frost has arrived.

The ice is not yet thick enough for skating.

The Christmas shoppers are busy every hour of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kobb of East Braintree spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. Kobb, of Clive street.

G. B. Thomas, the obliging letter carrier is confined to his home on Mechanic street, threatened with pneumonia.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson (Eva Hall Fryer) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Dec. 5th, at their home on Edwards street.

Mrs. Fred Drake, who has been seriously ill for several weeks at Franklin, N. H., was able to be brought home last week. She is slowly improving.

"Nippy" the valuable and pet dog of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Gould of Adams street, had the misfortune to fall down stairs on Friday night, breaking one of his front legs. He is under the care of Dr. Abele.

HER COOKING TOUCHED HIM

It Was the Beginning of Their Pretty Romance

Born over the seas in different countries and married in Quincy Saturday evening by Rev. John Lillback at the Finnish Congregational church is the story of the romance of Miss Mary Stein and John Minihan of 530 South street. The groom is a fireman and was born in Ireland. The bride is a cook at 198 East Howard street. They met at the place where the bride was cooking and the marriage resulted. A large number of parishioners attended the service and the couple were given a reception after the ceremony.

BRIEFS

Only 21 more days of leap year.

The time is short and the opportunities are not numerous.

Most anyone can skate around City Square these mornings and not half try.

The Lyceum course opened to a big house under most auspices circumstances.

Edward Southworth attended the meeting of the Loyal Legion in Boston Tuesday evening.

The local order of Moose have demonstrated that they are a lively and much alive bunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ring of Greenleaf street, have returned from a visit to Atlantic City, New Jersey.

The Granite Manufacturers will have their annual gathering in Boston tonight. It should prove a good time.

Some local political headquarters have a deserted look while many of them are decorated with the "To Let" sign.

The Mission at St. John's Catholic church the last two weeks was a wonderful exemplification of the power of faith.

The man who was struck by every member of his family for a ten dollar Christmas shopping fund, understands why it has been called Xmas.

People who have to rush for the train every day should learn to get up a little earlier mornings, providing they can make good use of the time.

By the way let every one who can do their shopping right here at home. They will find prices reasonable and patronizing home industry is one of the first principles of patriotism.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letter addressed to the following persons remained unclaimed at the Quincy post office for the week ending, Dec. 7:

F. Arenberg, Annie Bowen, J. C. Cabbott, Miss Pearl Cohen, Philip Coyle, F. B. Doran, Dennis Gordon, Lorenzo W. Goss, Nestori Helbari, Fred Lewis, D. A. Lucey, Vingenzo Mezzetti, Charles L. Parker, Mr. Rymain, Luigi Stagi, Philomon Tardif, Mrs. Nellie Washburn.

BRITAIN SENDS PROTEST NOTE

Objects to Favors Granted American Coastwise Shipping

CALLED VIOLATION OF TREATY

Strong Resistance Will Be Offered to Certain Sections of Panama Canal Act—Proposal That Issues Be Settled by Arbitration If They Cannot Be Adjusted by Mutual Agreement

Washington, Dec. 10.—Great Britain's formal note of protest against that section of the Panama canal act which exempts American coastwise shipping from payment of tolls for passing through the Panama canal, a document written by Sir Edward Grey, British minister for foreign affairs, was presented to Secretary of State Knox last night by British Ambassador Bryce, who read the note word for word to the secretary at the latter's home.

It is an elaboration of the points of objection in the note presented to the state department last July.

In brief these objections are: That while it was clearly in violation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, either to remit or refund tolls on all American shipping using the canal, the same objection would apply to the coastwise shipping in view of the probable impossibility of framing resolutions that would not result in a preference to American shipping.

In addition to supporting these points by long arguments, Grey indicates very clearly that strong resistance will be offered to any attempt to exclude from the canal British ships owned by Canadian railroads or whose owners may be guilty of violating the Sherman anti-trust act. He holds this section of the act cannot apply to British shipping, but only to United States vessels.

He also indicates in his note that underlying the objection to the exemption from toll of American coastwise ships is an apprehension that in the future the principle might be extended to cover American ships in the foreign trade.

Otherwise the note is devoted almost entirely to an effort to demonstrate that any such exemption of American shipping as is proposed is in direct conflict with the terms of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty and that President Taft was clearly wrong when he took the contrary view.

Generally, the British note might be summed up as a clear definition of the differences between the two governments regarding the construction of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, winding up with a proposal that the issues should be settled by arbitration, providing they cannot be adjusted by mutual agreement, for which a way remains open.

Secretary Knox listened attentively to the reading of the note and promised to take the matter under consideration, which he felt would require some time. It has been strongly intimated in official circles, however, that it was the president's intention to settle this important question before closing his administration, either by recommending that the senate agree to submit it to arbitration or, probably, by the more direct means of an agreement between the two nations, referred to in the British note.

The ambassador was accompanied by Mr. Innes, the counsellor and first secretary of the embassy, and in reading the entire British note to the secretary, followed precisely the instruction of Sir Edward Grey, the writer of the note.

WARSHIP CONSTRUCTION

United States Leads the World For Speedy Work

Washington, Dec. 10.—The United States leads the world in the speed of battleship construction, according to the annual report of the bureau of construction.

The repair bill of the United States navy for the last year was $2,602,764. Nineteen new war vessels, including two battleships, four torpedo destroyers, three colliers and six submarines, were launched between June 30, 1911, and Oct. 30, 1912.

QUESTION IS RAISED

By Visit of Rescuer of Titanic Survivors to Floor of Senate

Washington, Dec. 10.—Whether a British private citizen, honored with the thanks of congress and a congressional medal, has a right to enter upon the floor of the United States senate chamber is a question which gave the officials of that body some busy moments.

Captain Rostron, rescuer of over 700 survivors from the Titanic, came into the senate under the escort of Senator Smith of Michigan and spent some time meeting members of that body. Officials of the senate have not yet determined whether he was entitled to the privilege of the floor.

The Titanic hero visited both houses of congress with Smith. No question was raised in the house as to his elegibility there, the vote of thanks from congress carrying with it the privilege of entering that body at any time.

BULL MOOSE GATHER FOR CONFERENCE

Roosevelt and Leaders of His Party Meet In Chicago

Chicago, Dec. 10. — Theodore Roosevelt and several Progressive leaders of New England and New York have reached this city for the national Progressive party conference here today and tomorrow. It is expected that more than 1000 delegates will attend the conference.

Senator Dixon will call today's meeting to order. Roosevelt's speech will be the main attraction of the conference. Miss Jane Addams of Hull House, a member of the national Progressive executive committee, will preside over the conference this afternoon.

NOMINATIONS HELD UP

Senate Judiciary Adjourns With Large Batch Not Considered

Washington, Dec. 10.—Evidence that there will be a determined fight against President Taft's nominations in the senate was given when the judiciary committee of that body adjourned without approving any of the presidential appointees.

This action delays all confirmations at least one week. Opposition on the part of the Democrats is responsible for the "hold-up."

Treasurer Thompson Confirmed

Washington, Dec. 10.—The appointment of Carmi Thompson, President Taft's former secretary, as treasurer of the United States, was unanimously confirmed by the senate.

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The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

SOME CHRISTMAS PIES.

MINCE PIES are considered the proper kind for Christmas, though individual taste has much to do with this choice.

Owing to their richness the mince pie should have a crust as flaky and palatable as the pastry maker's art can achieve.

Make the pastry in as cool a place as possible. Use flour of good quality, also good sweet butter, lard or dripping.

Procure water as cold as possible. Everything should be chilly except the oven, which must be heated to a high degree.

Do not use too much flour on the board and rolling pin and avoid heavy and uneven rolling.

Manipulating the Paste.

Avoid rubbing or rolling the butter into the flour heavily and adding too much water.

Add the water freely to the flour when beginning the mixing, but with great caution at the end.

If the pastry contains baking powder put it in the oven as soon as possible after mixing it.

After baking avoid putting the pastry into a cold place. It should gradually cool.

Always use a clean, smoothly grained pastry board and rolling pin.

See that the fire is made up in good time, so that the oven is very hot.

Mince Pie.

Old Fashioned Mince Pie.—Take one pound of suet, one pound of raisins, one pound of tenderloin of beef or pork boiled until done, one pound of citron, one pound of apples that have been peeled and cored. Chop these together. Add one pound of currants, one pound of sugar, half an ounce of mace and allspice each, a tablespoonful of cloves, a teaspoonful of cinnamon, one grated nutmeg and one quart of cider. Bake in puff paste in a deep pan, two inches deep at least. Line the pan with pastry and put on a top crust. Serve hot.

Raisin Pie.

Take one cupful of raisins chopped quite fine, one cupful of sugar, the juice of one good sized lemon and one cupful of boiling water. Place this mixture on the fire; let it come to a boil; then add four heaping tablespoonfuls of flour mixed with a little cold water. After it boils again put in a small piece of butter and a little grated nutmeg. Bake between two crusts.

Mock Mince Pie.—Take one and a half cupfuls of raisins chopped very fine, put through a food chopper if possible; two eggs, one cupful of sweet or sour cream, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful of cloves, one teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of vinegar. Bake between two crusts. This tastes like a mince pie and is not so indigestible.

CHRISTMAS POPCORN.

LAST fall's popcorn is in fine condition for popping now. The best results are attained if corn is first placed under the faucet and thoroughly wet, then shaken dry and left on the back of the stove in the popper, moving it gently back and forth until the corn swells a little and becomes perfectly dry.

Shake over a steady hot fire, when the grains will pop into great kernels, the texture being remarkably light and delicate.

Butter and Salt Dressing.

Salted Popcorn.—Empty the corn into a big tin pan, sprinkle lightly with salt and if desired pour over half a cupful of melted butter to every pan of corn. Shake and toss until every kernel is seasoned.

Little tarlatan stockings overcast with scarlet wool and gathered about the neck and filled with sugared popcorn and candies make a pretty addition to the Christmas tree or supplement the row of stockings hanging in the chimney corner.

With Maple Sugar.

Popcorn Balls.—When the corn is popped cook half a pound of maple sugar with quarter of a cup of water until it threads. Add a dash of vanilla and pour it over the popcorn slowly until it is thoroughly sticky. Then with clean but wet hands form it into balls. Dry the balls on buttered paper.

Popcorn Crisp.—Take a big pan of fresh popped corn, taking care that all the hard kernels are sifted out. Pour over the corn some hot molasses taffy; then work lightly with the tips of your buttered fingers until all the kernels slightly adhere to each other. This can be molded into balls, but is more delicious if left loose.

Cakes or Balls.

Popcorn Candy.—Take some fresh large grains of popcorn and pop over the fire enough to make four quarts. Take two cupfuls of sugar, a cupful of water and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Put these into an enameled saucepan on the stove and boil until the sirup will thread. Then stir in the popcorn, take the mixture from the fire, stirring it until is cools. Then form into little cakes or balls.

Anna Thompson

Taft's Trip to Panama

Washington, Dec. 10.—President Taft's plans for a trip to Panama have advanced to a point where Dec. 19 was tentatively selected as the date of starting. It is understood Mr. Taft's intention to visit the isthmus before he goes out of office was influenced partly by President-elect Wilson's decision not to do so.



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REVEALED BY RABBIT

Bogus Coin Dies, Metal and Moulds Found on Abandoned Farm

Adams, Mass., Dec. 10.—A scared rabbit led four hunters to the discovery of a counterfeit outfit on one of the abandoned farms at Savoy, in a wild part of Hoosac mountain.

The discovery was made when four men chased a rabbit into a hole under an old stump. While trying to dig out the rabbit, the hunters uncovered five moulds for quarters, stamped with the date of 1909. The four men dug in the vicinity until they turned up a number of tools such as might be used in counterfeiting and a melting pot.

They reported their find to Chief Hodecker of the Adams police and he sent a man to the farm. He found two bags of metal, cut the size of dimes, but not stamped. In each bag there was material for a thousand dollars' worth of coin.

In the house other tools were found which might be used by counterfeiters. There were also strips of metal from which quarters could be made. Some were already stamped out. The federal authorities were notified.

Mass In Rome For Peace In Mexico

Rome, Dec. 10.—A special mass for the pacification of Mexico was said in St. Peter's cathedral at 6 a. m., this hour corresponding with midnight in Mexico, the hour when peace prayers began in the Catholic churches.

OLD BRIDGE IS UNSAFE

Ancient Structure Immortalized by Whittier to Be Torn Down

Haverhill, Mass., Dec. 10.—Rocks bridge, a century old wooden structure immortalized by Whittier, is to be torn down and replaced by a steel span. The bridge connects Rocks Village, a suburb of Haverhill, with West Newbury and spans the Merrimac river.

When the commissioners of Essex county and the municipal council of Haverhill inspected the bridge they crossed it, and because the old structure swayed beneath them they promptly declared it unsafe to traffic.

It is one of the few covered bridges in Massachusetts. The bridge was built in 1795 and extensively repaired in 1819, after it had been damaged by fire.

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CONTEST EDITOR

Quincy Daily Ledger

ALL ABOARD FOR WASHINGTON

FOUR TEAMS IN NEW LEAGUE

Old Colony Bowlers to Start Wednesday Night

At the meeting of the Old Colony Bowling league it was decided to open the season, Wednesday night with the four following teams, Weymouth, Norfolk Downs, Coliseum alleys and the City Square alleys.

Wednesday, Weymouth will visit Norfolk Downs, while the Coliseum team will roll on the new City Square alleys.

Prizes have been offered for the first and second teams also prizes for individual rolling.

Great interest is expected and local bowling fans will undoubtedly see plenty of clean-cut sport and warm competition.

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CITY COUNCIL

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strongly condemn such loose practice as it makes impossible any accurate computation of the cost of any given work. The division of the pay roll or bill under those circumstances is too apt to be governed and the exigencies of the case rather than by the merits and the result is a tendency to charge items of current expense to special appropriations. From such evidence as we can obtain, we are unable to say that the cost of labor as shown by the account is not correct, and we make no deduction on account of that item.

"The petitioners also made a general complaint that the street as completed was not what it should be and that it cost too much. The former commissioner explained that as the work progressed it was found that the appropriation was not sufficient to do the work as he had planned and that he gave them as good a job as he could for the money. He said, however, that there is nothing to prevent an accurate estimate being made in advance according to plans and specifications so that the best work obtainable can be had, instead of merely the best that the particular amount appropriated will afford and he believed this should be done in the future.

"In view of all these facts your committee recommends that the assessment of abutters as originally made be revoked and that a re-assessment be made deducting the items of $150 for the use of the steam roller and $5.59 for seed, from the computation of the cost of the work in accordance with the accompanying order. At the same time we take this occasion to express our belief that all work on new streets done hereafter under the betterment act should be done in accordance with the best specifications obtainable and that the work should be done as economically as possible; that in the future no bills whether for pay rolls, supplies or repairs shall be divided and that an accurate account be kept of the cost of construction of such streets."

The order provided for a reassessment of the betterments according to the schedule accompanying the report. This was that the total amount of betterments assessed was $159.95 less than the original assessment.

Councilman Ericson offered a minority report which in brief was that while there might have been an error in bookkeeping the abutters received full value and he recommended that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw.

There was some little discussion on the reports during which the question was raised if the City Council had the right to cancel the first assessment and make a new assessment.

Councilman Thompson asked the City Solicitor this question.

The City Solicitor replied that it was a doubtful question. His opinion was that the Council having once levied an assessment and the Mayor having approved it a grave question of law was raised, if the council could revoke and declare a new assessment. The council however may have power to abate.

The order was then laid on the table that the City Solicitor might look up the law on the question.

A public hearing was held at 8 o'clock on the resolve for the Mayor to petition the legislature to erect and maintain a public bath house along the Quincy Shore reservation.

No one appeared in favor of the order but several against. Edward O. Woodward president of the Park Improvement society said. The use of Wollaston beach was now confined largely to residents of Wollaston. If a public bath house were erected it would have a tendency to draw an undesirable element from Neponset and other places. It would be of no benefit to Quincy. It would detract from the use of the beach by Quincy residents. If controlled by the state no one could bathe unless registered by the Commissioner and they would have to wear a brass tag. Then again if the bath house was used there was a fee and the expense during the season would be considerable especially by families with children all of whom used the bathing facilities during the days when the tide was right. At the present tme there were many bath houses owned by a private party which could be rented for $5 a year. In addition to this many people put on their bathing suits in their own homes and walked to the beach. The owner of the bath houses was ready to build more if needed so that all could be accommodated. There was no necessity for a state bath house and he had found no one in his vicinity in favor of it.

W. M. Burrell also spoke against the order. Wollaston is getting better facilities at the present time than it would under state supervision. If each person using the state bath house had to pay 25 cents every time they used it as was understood the expense for a season would be considerable more than at present. Then he thought that a state bath house would bring in an objectionable class.

Mr. Barbour also objected to having the state erect and maintain a bath house on Wollaston beach. His argument was practically the same as that of the other speakers.

All of the objectors were asked numerous questions by Councilmen Cunningham, C. A. Ross, Studley and Sandberg. The hearing was then closed and the order recommitted.

The Committee on Elections reported the result of the Election last Tuesday. The election was declared to have been as read.

Councilman Bailey offered an order adopting the Rules and Regulations governing the erection of buildings as has been in force in Quincy for some time.

It appears that the city had never accepted the building law and that in reality the building ordinance and regulations in use in Quincy were of little value. The act was accepted however at the recent election. The order was adopted.

An order was offered increasing the salary of the City Engineer from $1,500 to $1,800 per year. Referred to Finance Committee.

Councilman Gauthier offered a resolve that the special committee appointed to consider the site for a public dock also consider the advisability of establishing a dock. Adopted.

Councilman J. R. S. Ross offered an order changing the grade of Palmer street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Cunningham offered an order refunding Ollie F. Bates $33 on account of granolithic sidewalk built on Tyler street. Referred to Finance Committee.

Councilman Cunningham offered an order amending the Ordinance concerning assessors and Collector of Taxes. The amendment provided that "No appropriation or transfer shall be charged to the receipts from taxes assessed in the month of December until all outstanding temporary loans are paid." Referred to Special Committee on Financial Investigation.

Councilman Sandberg offered a resolution that the President appoint three additional councilmen to the special committee of the council appointed to consider the site for a public dock. Adopted. The President appointed Councilmen Sandberg, Richards and Cunningham.

Councilman Abele offered a resolve that the Mayor be requested to file a complaint in writing with the Gas and Electric Light Commissioner against the Citizens Gas Light Co. of the price charged by said company for gas to local consumers. Adopted.

Councilman Devaney offered an order for a street light on Low street. Referred to Executive.

Councilman Studley offered an order making the salaries of the police department as follows: Captain $1300, Lieutenant $1200, Inspector $1200 and Sergeants $1150. per year Referred to Joint Committee of Finance and Ordinances.

On motion of Councilman Sandberg the order for widening and building Sea street was taken from the table. Councilman Sandberg spoke briefly in favor of the order urging its passage. On roll call the order failed to pass 13 voting yes and 8 no. The vote was then reconsidered and the order laid on the table.

On motion of Councilman Abele the Mayor's veto on the Auditors ordinance was taken from the table and the question was on passing over the objection of the Mayor. The veto was sustained 11 voting in favor of passing over the veto and 19 against as follows:

YES—Abele, Bailey, Barker, Craig, Cunningham, Ericson, Gilliatt, Murray, Richards, C. A. Ross, Sodergren. 11.

NO—Beeman, Boyd, Devaney, Forde, Gauthier, Mahoney, J. R. S. Ross, Sandberg, Studley, Thompson—10.

The order establishing an ordinance relative to obstructing natural water courses took its second reading and was passed.

On motion of Councilman Sandberg the order changing the grade of Elm avenue was taken from the table and rejected, 13 voting yes and 8 no. The vote was then reconsidered and the order laid on the table.

Councilman Sandberg moved a committee be appointed by the President to consist of two members and the clerk of the council to arrange for the annual inauguration night banquet. Adopted. The President appointed Councilman Sandberg and Beeman.

Adjourned at 9 o'clock until Dec. 16.

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Thursday, December 19, 1912,

at 9.00 o'clock A. M., for the payment of said Sewer Assessments with interest, costs and charges thereon unless same shall be previously discharged.

WARD ONE

5722
John A. Thayer. A certain parcel of land containing 8200 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the southeasterly side of Edgemere road, bounded southwesterly by land now or late of Anna B. Evans, southeasterly by land now or late of James M. Nowland, northeasterly by land now or late of Annie M. Angell and northwesterly by Edgemere road. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 19, plan 1114. Main Sewer Assessment. $36.00.

WARD TWO

5817
Melora E. Harris. A certain parcel of land containing 7007 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the south-westerly side of Newcomb place, bounded southeasterly by land now or late of heirs of Benjamin Johnson, south-westerly by land now or late of Mary Harkins, north-westerly by land now or late of Reuben Hersey, and north-easterly by Newcomb place, being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 5, plot 17, plan 2041. Main Sewer Assessment $46.80.

WARD FOUR.

5715
Bernard Riley. A certain parcel of land containing 42,530 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the easterly side of Common street, bounded northerly by land now or late of Mary L. Buckley, easterly by land now or late of Mary Carroll, southerly by Morton street, and westerly by Common street. Main Sewer Assessment $120.00.

WARD FIVE.

5759
John Carr. A certain parcel of land containing 5000 square feet, situated upon the westerly side of Farrington street, bounded northerly by land now or late of John Carr, westerly by land now or late of Chas. W. Pickering, southerly by land now or late of Alexander N. Morrisey, and easterly by Farrington street, being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 15, plot 10, plan 5131. Main Sewer Assessment $36.00.

5567
Elizabeth A. Hardy. A certain parcel of land containing 5069 square feet, situated upon the westerly side of The Strand, bounded northwesterly by land now or late of Lara C. Merrill, John F. Mills, Sarah J. McCue and Fred W. Wood, southwesterly by land now or late of Marion A. Wilson, southeasterly by land now or late of Leon E. Brown and easterly by The Strand, being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 111, plot 8, plan 5058. Main Sewer Assessment $41.64.

5563
William E. Harmon. A certain parcel of land containing 320 square feet situated upon the southerly side of Quincy Shore Reservation, bounded southerly by land now or late of Helen L. Mallory, westerly and northerly by Quincy Shore Reservation being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 21, plan 5055. Main Sewer Assessment $8.21.

5628
Sarah J. McCue. A certain parcel of land containing 4000 square feet, situated upon the easterly side of Sachem street, bounded northerly by land now or late of Fred W. Wood, easterly by land now or late of Elizabeth A. Hardy, southerly by land now or late of John F. Mills, and westerly by Sachem street, being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 685, plot 6, plan 5058. Balance of Main Sewer Assessment, $8.80.

5590
James J. Naughton. A certain parcel of land containing 3500 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Watkins street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Maggie Donlan, northerly by land now or late of Leon E. Brown, westerly by land now or late of Margaret H. Larson, and southerly by Watkins street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 95, plot 19, plan 5063. Main Sewer Assessment $25.20

5617
M. Frances Pease. A certain parcel of land containing 3500 square feet with building thereon, situated upon the westerly side of Chick street bounded northerly by land now or late of Christina E. Bettoney, westerly by land now or late of Leon E. Brown, southerly by land now or late of Leon E. Brown and easterly by Chick street being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 25, plot 17, plan 5066. Main Sewer Assessment $25.20.

5451
Gottlieb E. Kamm. A certain parcel of land containing 4475 square feet, situated upon the southerly side of Vassall street, bounded easterly by and now or late of Gottlieb E. Kamm, southerly by land now or late of Wood, Flagg & Thornton, Trs., westerly by land now or late of Wood Flagg & Thornton Trs. and northerly by Vassall street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 451, plot 20, plan 5009. Main Sewer Assessment $32.85.

WARD SIX.

5655
Richard J. Barry. A certain parcel of land containing 18830 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the corner of Walnut street, Oak avenue and Myrtle street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Richard J. Barry and Annie M. Reardon, southerly by Myrtle street, westerly by Oak avenue and northerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 1, plan 6166. Main Sewer Assessment, $77.82.

5695
Richard J. Barry. A certain parcel of land containing 18830 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the corner of Myrtle street, Oak avenue and Walnut street, bounded northerly by Walnut street, easterly by land now or late of Richard J. Barry and Annie M. Reardon, southerly by Myrtle street and westerly by Oak avenue. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 1, plan 6166. Main Sewer Assessment $75.35.

5691
Amy H. Billings. A certain parcel of land containing 2887 square feet, situated upon the northerly side of Myrtle street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Lilla E. Jenkins, northerly by land now or late of heirs of Samuel N. Wood, westerly by land now or late of Thomas Dolan and Mattie E. Kilpatrick and southerly by Myrtle street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 6, plan 6166. Main Sewer Assessment $22.37.

5669
Kate A. Blaisdell. A certain parcel of land containing 1 1-2 acres with buildings thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Walnut street, bounded easterly by Hancock street, northerly by land now or late of Mary F. Frost, westerly by land now or late of George S. Blaisdell and Sara L. Thomas and southerly by land now or late of Patrick Barry 2nd, Sara L. Thomas and by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 11, plan 6167. Main Sewer Assessment $67.08.

5665
John Donovan. A certain parcel of land containing 5325 square feet, with building thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Walnut street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Ann Gilmartin, northerly by land now or late of heirs of Francis Guild, westerly by land now or late of John J. Kerrigan and southerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 4 plan 6167. Main Sewer Assessment $36.00.

5671
Heirs of John Hayes. A certain parcel of land containing 10,270 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Walnut street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Alice W. McGrail, northerly by land now or late of heirs of Francis Guild, westerly by land now or late of John Cashman and southerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 11, plan 6167. Balance of Main Sewer Assessment $20.00.

5651
Lilla E. Jenkins. A certain parcel of land containing 10424 square feet with building thereon, situated upon Hancock, Walnut and Myrtle streets, bounded westerly by land now or late of heirs of Samuel Wood and Harold Wilder, southerly by Myrtle street, easterly by Hancock street, and northerly by Walnut street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 5, plan 6166. Main Sewer Assessment $94.71.

5697
Patrick and Hannah Kerrigan. A certain parcel of land containing 4080 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the westerly side of Oak avenue, bounded northerly by land now or late of Patrick Dolan, westerly by land now or late of Thomas F. Kerrigan, southerly by land now or late of Michael Kelleher and easterly by Oak avenue. Being designated on Assessors' plan as plot 6, plan 6165. Main Sewer Assessment $31.00.

5539
Charles J. Hendrie. A certain parcel of land containing 7725 square feet, situated upon the northerly side of Henry street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Charles J. Hendrie, westerly by land now or late of Fannie A. Coles, northerly by land now or late of Milton L. Conant and southerly by Henry street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 68, plot 52, plan 6017. Main Sewer Assessment $38.86.

5540
Charles J. Hendrie. A certain parcel of land containing 6534 square feet with buildings thereon, situated upon the northerly side of Henry street, bounded easterly and westerly by land now or late of Charles J. Hendrie, northerly by land now or late of Milton L. Conant and southerly by Henry street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 69, plot 51, plan 6017. Main Sewer Assessment $41.56.

5541
Charles J. Hendrie. A certain parcel of land containing 5006 square feet situated upon the northerly side of Henry street, bounded easterly and westerly by land now or late of Charles J. Hendrie, northerly by land now or late of Milton L. Conant and southerly by Henry street. Being designated on Assessors' plan as lot 70, plot 50, plan 6017. Main Sewer Assessment $36.01.

5542
Charles J. Hendrie. A certain parcel of land containing 5000 square feet, situated upon the northerly side of Henry street, bounded easterly by land now or late of Eveline M. Fuller, Northerly by land now or late of Milton L. Conant, westerly by land now or late of Charles J. Hendrie and southerly by Henry street. Being designated an Assessors' plan as lot 71, plot 49, plan 6017. Main Sewer Assessment $36.00.

OSCAR S. SANDBERG,
Collector of Taxes.
26, 3, 10

British Mob Routs Mormons

London, Dec. 10.—The Mormon missionarics have of late been very active in Ipswich and vicinity. This has aroused considerable feeling against them and ended in disorder when one of their meeting was broken up by a mob.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements under this head 25 words or less one time 25 cents Three consecutive insertions 50 cents. 6 consecutive insertions 75 cents.

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WANTED—Boy 16 or 17 years old to work in shoe store Saturday afternoon and evening. High school boy preferred. Heffernan's Shoe Store, 1375 Hancock street, Quincy. 10-3t

ANTOGENOUS WELDING, aluminum cases, cracked cylinders, auto parts, copper coils, made as good as new. Work guaranteed. Edward H. Wight, Souther Place, Quincy. 9-6t

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TO LET—6 room tenement at 317 Copeland street. Rent $12. Apply at Winer's Variety Store, Adams Bldg., Quincy. 10-3t

TO LET—One neatly furnished large front room. Heat, gas and all modern improvements. Five minutes walk from steam and electrics. In private family. 65 Spear street. 10-3t

TO LET—Tenement with hot water heat and improvements; moderate rent. Inquire 70 Glencoe Place. 2-tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, Very large sunny front room, with room adjoining if desired. Also two housekeeping rooms, with heat and bath. 7-6t

TO LET—Three very desirable flats, all conveniences, only $14, $19 and $21; also to a small family of adults, fine old homestead well located in centre of Quincy, all modern conveniences, large comfortable sunny rooms and spacious closets, only $35 a month. Apply at once to C. H. Hardwick, Washington street, Quincy. Tel. Quincy 391-2 or 85-W. 25-tf

TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms and bath, all modern improvements. Apply to C. A. Ericson, 4 Euclid avenue. 11-tf

TO LET—Lower flat, 5 rooms and bath, modern improvements, new house. 2 Allerton road, Telephone Quincy 148-J. 22-tf

TO LET—In Quincy centre opposite Adams Academy, house of 10 rooms and bath. All modern improvements. F. M. Taylor, 527 Main street, South Weymouth. Tel. 263-W. Weymouth. 28-tf

TO LET—The Prescott house on Spear street, 10 rooms, bath, laundry, shades, screens, fireplace, range, etc. To private family only. Telephone Quincy 278 M or apply to Miss Prescott, Ledger Office.

TO LET—Apartments of 6 and 7 rooms on Merrymount road, Quincy. Apply A. W. Parker at No. 87. 23-tf

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Ground Floor—Granite street, near City Square, 22x55 feet. Splendid light—excellent opportunity.
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Offices—large or small—front or back.
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Street Floor Stores—Two—16x20 fee with 4 large windows, and 10x60 feet with fine light and air.
Offices—Large or small, front or back.
Desk Room—Street floor, right in the rear of main entrance, good light and air, $5 up a month.
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Furnished Rooms—With care steam heat, and detached bath with hot and cold water. $1.75 to $6 per week.

HALLS
Music Hall—Music Hall Block—Capacity 912—highest rating by the State of any Hall in the City, "Excellent" in every particular.
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Quincy Real Estate Trust,
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We feel sure that YOU who have not used the FOY LINE of Canned Goods, do not realize the facts concerning these exceptionally high grade goods

EVERY CAN IN THE STORE THIS SEASON'S PACK

We would not make the statements we do concerning them if they were the same as ordinary canned goods. We make the claim that the FOY LINE of Canned Goods are without equal in point of purity, fancy quality and that true natural flavor of the fresh summer fruits and vegetables.

APRICOTS

Brand	Can	Doz
Hatchet	25c	$2.75
Hunt's Supreme	30c	3.30
Sovereign	30c	3.30

PEARS

Flag	25c	2.75
Hunt's Hayward	35c	3.75
Munroe	15c	1.55
Sovereign	30c	3.30

PLUMS

Red Lily	25c	2.75
Garden City	20c	2.25

RASPBERRIES

Tepee, black,	15c	1.65
Hatchet, red,	18c	1.90

PEACHES

Brand	Can	Doz
Griffin's, sliced,	15c	$1.65
Hunt's Supreme	30c	3.30
Hatchet	23c	2.60
Oro	20c	2.25
Sovereign	30c	3.30
Table Sliced	15c	1.65

PINEAPPLE

Aloha, sliced	20c	2.25
Hunt's Supreme	28c	3.00
Sovereign	27c	2.90
Taka, grated	20c	2.25
Manhattan, grated,	12c	1.35

STRAWBERRIES

Hatchet	23c	2.50
Victory	10c	1.10

WHITE CHERRIES, "Red Lily" brand, can 30c doz. $3.30

R. E. FOY & CO.

Dec. 9-10

HARDWICK GOOD FOR ALL-AMERICA

Reed Surprised He Was Omitted From the Camp Lineup

GOOD AS BRICKLEY

The Sportsman in the Boston Globe has the following just criticism on Hardwick the Harvard football player:

"Just to show you how critics of standing in football can differ in their judgment of players, I will quote what Bert Reed ("Right Wing") says of Hardwick of Harvard, a man whom Walter Camp did not even mention in his All-America selection. Reed is one of the best critics of the game, and on his All-Eastern team he places Hardwick alongside of Brickley as a halfback, and here are his reasons:

No team, of course, would be complete without Brickley of Harvard, although to my mind one of the greatest backs in the East is Hardwick of the same institution. Hardwick, I think has done most of the heavy work, and I do not know of any man in the backfield who is better, leaving out kicking.

"Hardwick's touchdown against Princeton was one of the cleverest and most courageous bits of work I have seen in football in many years, and I am so sure of this man in every department of play that I would rather have him on an all-round team than any other man I could think of in the colleges. He is one of the best down the field, one of the best defensive backs, and one of the best all-round football players that I have ever seen.

"It is no reflection upon Brickley and Wendell to pick Hardwick as the great college back of the year."

ICE SKATES

Fine For Gifts

We've just received a large line Famous Barney & Berry Skates in all sizes

75c 98c $1.19 $1.49 $1.75

SLEDS

For Boys and Girls 25c up
Flexible Flyer Styles $1.19 up
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KINCAIDE'S ANNEX

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BRIEFS

Wednesday afternoon is Day Nursery "donation day" at Bethany chapel.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Mr. Alfred Antine Beaulier to Miss Ida Eliabeth Hedman.

Representative Leslie desires the Ledger to state that January 11, is the final day for filing bills in the legislature.

Foreign Christmas mail closes at the Boston Post Office as follows: France Dec. 12; Germany, Dec. 13; and Great Britain and Ireland, Dec. 16

Mayor Stone has appointed two more members of the citizens committee to select a site for a public dock. The two new members are City Solicitor John W. McAnarney and Joseph Walker.

DISTRICT COURT.

Patrick Moffitt was senteneced to one month in the house of correction for drunkenness at Milton.

Morris Shimfeld was fined $25 for larceny of brass from the Fore River Ship Building Co.

Jeremiah Mahoney was fined $15 and Joseph Gravel $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

PERIOD OF TIGHT MONEY

Starts Rush of Sales on Stock Markets and Prices Suffer Decline

Boston, Dec. 10.—It was a day of heavy selling of stocks in the stock markets yesterday. Starting early in the session, the wave of selling orders grew more and more formidable as the minutes passed, the final bell at 3 o'clock finding the market a maelstrom, with one broker trying hard to push out his line of stocks to some other broker.

In New York, Steel common, the most active stock of the day, lost 3¼ points, Union Pacific 4¾, Readville 4¼, Amalgamated Copper 3½, Louisville and Nashville 3, American Tobacco 6, and so on down the list.

In Boston, Butte & Superior lost 2¾ points, Calumet & Heckla 15, Isle Royale 3¼, Lake Copper 3, North Butte 4¼, Osceola 2⅝ and United Fruit 2½.

Brokers seem to be unanimous in the opinion that the period of tight money which has prevailed for the past few weeks is responsible for the present decline.

☞The annual two days Christmas fair of the Dorcas society begins tonight in the Universalist vestry with a supper and entertainment. Pretty Christmas gifts for sale.

CLAN McGREGOR GROWING SOME

700 Membership Goal Now in Sight to Active Workers

OFFICERS ELECTED

Clan McGregor, O. S. C. is fast reaching the 700 mark in its membership. At the regular meeting of the clan Monday night 12 were initiated into the mysteries of the order and 15 applications for membership were received. It is the object of Chief Alfred O. Diack and the members of the clan to pass the 700 mark before the end of the year. In addition to the work of initiation Monday evening the following officers were elected.

Chief—Angus D. Martin.
Thanist—Charles Nicol.
Chaplain—John Bissett.
Corresponding Secretary—Walter Mitchell.
Financial Secretary—James F. Marr.
Treasurer—Alex. W. Russell.
Sr. Henchman—Thomas Melrose.
Jr. Henchman—Walter Nicol.
Seneschal—William Cantley.
Warder—William Summers.
Sentinel—William McIntosh.
Trustee—John C. Murray.
Physician—Dr. R. McLennan.
Auditor—William Ross.
Finance Committee—Alex. Clark, William Taylor, John Russell, Pianist, Charles Joss.

FLIMSY TALE OF SHIMFIELD

As to Taking Find to Office Would Not Hold

HE WAS FINED $25

As Morris Shimfeld one of the employees at the Fore River was about to leave the works Monday night it was noticed that he walked as though carrying a load. He was held up and a search made. The search brought to light two heavy pieces of brass casting which he had in his trousers legs and which were held up by his belt. He was placed under arrest and in court this morning was fined $25. He claimed to have found the brass which was valued at $20 in the yard and was taking them to the office.

DONATION DAY.

Tomorrow is "donation day" at Bethany chapel for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery. Each year the ladies of Bethany Circle set aside a day for this worthy cause and Wednesday from 3 to 5 they will receive donations of any kind, provisions being especially desirable, but anything that can be used in the work of the Nursery will be welcome.

WOHLANDER—LINDBERG.

Miss Mary Cecelia Lindberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lindberg of 1 Arthur avenue and David Timothy Wohlander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wohlander of 18 Centre street, were maried Saturday by Rev. Carl E. Rydstrom. The groom is a carpenter and the bride is a housekeeper. Both were born in Sweden.

(ADVERTISE.)

MARRIAGES

WOHLANDER—LINDBERG —In Quincy, December 7, by Rev. Carl E. Rydstrom, Mr. David T. Wohlander to Miss Mary Cecelia Lindberg, both of Quincy.

MURPHY—CLARK—In Quincy, Dec. 9, by Rev. B. A. Willmott, Mr. Leon Francis Murphy to Miss Priscilla Arabella Clark, both of Quincy.

BIRTHS

McCORMICK—In Milford, N. H., Dec. 5 a son to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McCormick, nee Susan McRitchie, formerly of this city.

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PROVOKING WAR WITH SERVIA

Many Acts of Austria Tend to Increase Bitter Feeling

MASSING TROOPS ON FRONTIER

Seizure of Flour Destined For Servian Army and Arrest of Servians on Charge of Spying May Lead to Hostilities—Roumania Ready to Fight For Her "Interests"

Belgrade, Dec. 10.—The accumulation of Austrian troops on the Servian frontier and the provocative language of the Viennese newspapers have led to a recrudescence of excitement and embitterment of feeling in Servia. The newspaper Pravda, voicing the prevailing irritation, says:

"If Austria desires war with Servia let it come. It will be the most bitter fight in history. Every Servian man and woman, young or old, will take part in it and Austria will have to exterminate the entire Servian nation before conquering it."

Many Servians visiting Austro-Hungarian frontier towns on business have been arrested on charges of spying. The Servian government has protested to the Austro-Hungarian authorities.

The Austro-Hungarian authorities stopped at Fiume the steamer Hegelisch with a cargo of 800 tons of flour, destined for the Servian army at Durazzo. It is announced that Austria intends to confiscate the flour for the use of her own army, thus creating a similar situation as brought about by the stoppage by Turkey of Servian guns.

Attitude of Roumania

Bucharest, Dec. 10.—King Charles of Roumania, in his speech from the throne at the assembly of the Roumanian parliament yesterday, asked the legislators to give the Roumanian government the support necessary for the fulfilment of the hopes of the nation in the forthcoming changes brought about by the Balkan war. At the same time he significantly remarked that the country's confidence in the Roumanian army was fully justified and the troops would be found ready to fulfil their mission.

"Roumania's policy," declared the king, "is for moderation and peace within the limits compatible with the higher interests of the country."

After remarking that Roumania had preserved strict neutrality during the Balkan hostilities, King Charles proceeded:

"We have the right to hope that this attitude will give favorable results for our relations with the Balkan states in their new construction, and that our interests will be respected. Roumania is an important factor in the concert of Europe, and in the definite settlement of the questions raised during the Balkan crisis Roumania's word will be listened to."

It was anonunced in the speech from the throne that the Roumanian parliament would be invited to vote increased appropriations for military purposes.

WORSHIP MUSIC

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quartette was a fine example of the modern church music and is known in every church in America. J. Wesley White interpolated the aria from Mendehlsoms St. Paul with the quiet, grave and suave setting the quality deserves.

Mrs. Holt sang Allitsen's "The Lord is my Light" and Harling's "Sing unto God" by the quartet and ensemble was the closing number.

The program was as follows:

Hebraic.
Psalm CL — Lewandowski
Ensemble
Shema, Mi chomocho, and Va'anachnu
(Traditional and modern)
Cantor and Ensemble
Kol Nidre (traditional)
Contralto Solo
Sanctification — Spicker
Cantor and Ensemble
Universal
The King of Love — Shelley
Quartet
Aria from St. Paul — Mendelsshon
Night Song — Rheinberger
Quartet
The Lord is my Light — Allitsen
Soprano Solo
Sing unto God — Harling
Quartet and Ensemble

Mayor Eugene R. Stone appeared on the platform shortly after eight o'clock and introduced the singers. In a few words he added his mite of praise to the course and asked for a hearty endorsement of the four events to come.

☞Get busy now and shop at home. Look over the stock of local merchants. They need the trade and you need their stores. Be one to show your civic pride by shopping at home.

ASHLAND ALIBI UNDISPUTED

Police Could Find Nothing Against Him in Fire Cases

HE WAS RELEASED

Harry R. Ashland, who was held for examination Monday on suspicion that he knew something about the fires at Solomon's premises was released by the police this morning. Monday the police made a thorough investigation of Ashland's connection with the last fire and it was learned on good authority that he was in his room undressing for bed quite a while before the fire was discovered and that he was in his room when the fire was discovered. The police found nothing upon which they could hold the man and he was released.

AUTO CRASHED INTO FENCE

Landed in Swamp, But Occupants Escaped Injury

A. P. Benson of Dedham and a party of autoists escaped serious injury Sunday evening when his auto crashed through a wooden fence on Coddington streets after the steering gear broke. The auto reached the mud flats between Valley and Coddington streets where it stuck. The break was repaired by Charles P. Gould and the machine was immediately placed in commission.

PRESIDED THE FIRST TIME.

Grand Knight Bernard O'Neill, presided over the first meeting since his election to the honored office of the Ave Maria Council, Knights of Columbus at St. Josephs hall on Monday evening. The entire corps of officers were present

Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady was the guest of the evening and spoke in praise of the auspices beginning of the Grand Knight O'Neill's term.

GIRLS BASKET BALL.

The Randolph-Stetson high school girls basket ball team meet the Quincy gym girls at St. Mary's hall this evening. The game will be one of the fastest that will be played on the floor this season and although "Our Girls" have the reputation of giving the genuine article, the reputation which preceds the visitors unquestionably means action from the blowing of the referees whistle.

ROUNDS ARRAIGNED ON FORGERY CHARGE

He Goes to Jail In Default of Bonds of $10,000

Boston, Dec. 10.—George H. Rounds, paymaster and head bookkeeper at the Parker House, arrested on the charge of stealing $31,000 from the hotel within the past five years, was arraigned in the municipal court and held in $10,000. The bail was not forthcoming and he was taken back to jail. All his friends appear to have deserted him.

Rounds was arraigned on the charge of forgery in connection with one transaction of last week in which, it is claimed, he raised a check made out for $5 to $5000 and cashed it. The police say Rounds has confessed to the thefts charged against him.

HOUSE VOTES $34,900,583

Provision For Maintenance of Commerce Court Is Defeated

Washington, Dec. 10.—Carrying appropriations aggregating $34,900,583 for the operation of three great departments of the government during the next fiscal year, the annual legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed by the house late yesterday.

Just before the vote was taken, Representative Gillette of Massachusetts made an unsuccessful effort to have inserted an appropriation of $54,500 for the maintenance of the commerce court. His motion was voted down, 83 to 33. Provision for the commerce court up to March 4, 1913, was made at the last session.

THREE BY 1300 IN R. R. LEAGUE

Shipfitters Made Great Spurt Against Hull Draftsmen

SOME FANCY FINISHES

There was close bowling in the Fore River league at the Coliseum alleys Monday night. The Pipefitters took three out of four points from the Government Draftsmen, the latter taking the third string by two pins, and the game by a total of three pins. The Electricians and Machinists Floor split even, and the Shipfitters got three from the Hull Draftsmen, rolling a tie in the last string and in the roll off won by 18 pins, 87 to 69. Smith of the shipfitters was high single man with 116, Williams of the Machine Floor being high total with a score of 305.

Good scores were made by the teams, three of them rolling above the 1300 mark. The scores are as follows:

PIPEFITTERS.				
Kateon	104	71	84	259
Hough	90	87	101	278
Smith	83	79	85	247
Stevenson	89	81	75	245
Biln	86	106	85	277
Totals	452	424	430	1306
GOV. DRAFTSMEN				
Green	80	95	71	246
Cantwell	85	105	93	283
Kelley	76	76	83	235
Melendy	74	84	88	246
Poehler	113	87	93	293
Totals	428	447	428	1303
SHIPFITTERS				
	1	2	3	Totals
Hanson	80	94	92	266
Fields	83	77	84	244
Hynes	86	96	86	268
Smith	116	82	89	287
Burke	91	99	78	268
Totals	456	448	429	1333
HULL DRAFTSMEN				
Bohlken	88	72	98	258
Butler	77	81	76	234
Fraser	89	77	77	243
Fromin	92	80	91	263
Olson	113	77	87	277
Totals	459	387	429	1275
ELECTRICIANS				
Lincoln	88	94	82	264
Andrews	90	82	67	239
Malnati	86	96	93	275
Sonden	103	68	76	247
Porter	99	82	81	262
Totals	466	422	399	1287
MACHINISTS' FLOOR				
Adroyd	78	84	82	244
Williams	88	108	109	305
Casey	75	75	81	231
Ford	80	86	93	259
Hoyt	77	72	56	205
Totals	398	425	421	1244

FIRE IN PEAT BOG.

The alarm from Box 612 at 1.44 this noon was for a fire in the peat bog in the rear of the Boston Gear Works plant at Norfolk Downs.

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

Too Late For Classification.

TO LET—Furnished room, heat and bath, at 26 Chestnut street. Also for sale a violin. 10-3t

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

a Wollaston — f Harrison Square
b Norfolk Downs — g Savin Hill
c Atlantic — h Crescent Avenue
d Neponset — i South Boston
e Pope's Hill — r Quincy Adams
* Saturdays Only — † Except Saturday
Exp.—Express train.

TO BOSTON		FROM BOSTON	
Leave Stop	Arrive	Leave Stop	Arrive
r 5 14 abcdefghi	5 41	5 45 ihgfedcba	6 14 r
r 6 16 abci	6 35	6 12 ihgfedcba	6 39 r
r 6 33 e	6 49	6 30 a	6 47
r 6 40 abcf	7 00	7 15 hgfedcba	7 41 r
r 7 08 abcd	7 30	7 41 a	7 58
r 7 25 d	7 42	7 45 c	8 03 r
r 7 33 Exp	7 48	8 35 ca	8 52
r 7 42 ab	8 00	8 42 b	8 59
7 57 a	8 13	9 10 fedba	9 32 r
r 8 09 abcd	8 31	9 45 a	10 01 r
r 8 29 a	8 46	10 15 ihgfedcba	10 41 r
r 8 53 ad	9 10	10 55 Exp	11 10
r 9 15 abc	9 33	11 15 hgfedcba	11 41 r
r 10 03 a	10 20	11 50 a	12 07
r 10 19 abcdefghi	10 45	12 15 hgfedcba	12 41 r
11 12 a	11 28	12 37 a	12 54
r 11 24 abcdefgh	11 50	12 50 Exp	1 05
12 04 a	12 20	1 17 fedcba	1 44
r 12 19 abcdefghi	12 45	1 45 a	2 01
r 1 20 a	1 37	2 15 fedcba	2 37 r
2 04 a	2 20	2 35 Exp	2 50
r 2 19 abcdefgh	2 45	3 15 hgfedcba	3 40 r
r 3 13 Exp	3 28	3 45 a	4 02
4 04 a	4 20	4 12 fedcba	4 34 r
r 4 26 abcdefgh	4 52	4 41 c	4 58
5 06 Exp	5 20	4 57 a	5 11
r 5 30 abcdefg	5 55	5 14 a	5 31
6 12 ab	6 32	5 24 a	5 42
*6 59 a	7 16	5 31 dcb	5 50 r
†7 05 b	7 22	5 43 a	6 10 r
r 7 22 Exp	7 37	5 55 ledcba	6 21 r
7 29 ab	7 46	6 14 Exp	6 30 r
r 8 07 abcdef	8 30	6 31 ecba	6 52 r
r 9 10 abc	9 28	7 00 fedcba	7 24 r
*9 17 Exp.	9 32	7 12 a	7 28
r 10 07 abcdef	10 30	8 05 fedcba	8 28 r
*10 19 a	10 35	*8 20 Exp	8 35
r 11 25 abcd	11 45	9 25 dba	9 46 r
		*9 35 Exp	9 51
		10 35 fedcba	11 01 r
		*11 07 a	11 25 r
		†11 10 fedcba	11 35 r
		*11 26 ba	11 43 r
		†11 30 ba	11 49

SUNDAYS

r 7 43 abc	8 03	6 30 ba	6 48 r
8 30 Exp	8 45	8 45 ihgfedcba	9 13 r
r 8 46 bcdefghi	9 13	9 05 Exp	9 21
r 9 13 abc	9 33	10 15 ihgfedcba	10 42 r
9 31 a	9 47	12 15 ihgfedcba	12 42 r
10 23 ac	10 40	12 45 Exp	1 01
11 05 Exp	11 22	1 30 ihgfedcba	1 57 r
r 11 16 abcdefghi	11 43	2 15 hgfedcba	2 42 r
1 02 Fxp	1 17	3 15 ihgfedcba	3 42 r
r 1 16 abcdefgh	1 43	4 27 cba	4 48 r
r 3 10 abc	3 30	5 15 ihgfedcba	5 42 r
r 4 16 abcdefghi	4 43	6 15 ihgfedcba	6 42 r
r 5 07 abc	5 27	7 00 cba	7 19 r
r 6 16 abcdefghi	6 43	8 15 ihgfedcba	8 41 r
7 15 Exp	7 30	8 45 a	9 01 r
r 7 21 abcdefghi	7 47	9 30 ihgfedcba	9 57 r
r 8 16 abcdefghi	8 43	10 45 cba	11 04 r
9 12 a	9 30		
r 10 46 abc	11 05		

West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)-6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.12 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)-6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.25 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.20, 11.20 P. M, **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10.15 P. M.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 3, 1912.

(Subject to change without notice.

Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15, 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00,7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

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TWO DAYS FAIR OPENED WELL

Dorcas Society More Than Made Good With Goods and Food

The annual two days Christmas fair of the Dorcas society was opened last night in the Universalist vestry. The decorations of red and green gave a holiday appearance to the vestry and the booths looked very attractive with their wares. Those in charge of the tables were:

Candy—Miss Florence Holton, Miss Maud Cudworth and Miss Annie Hobart.

Aprons—Mrs. B. G. Barnes, Mrs. Sidney Lermond, Miss Lillian Gay.

Fancy—Mrs. George E. Sprague, Mrs. George W. Wheeler, Miss Bertha Newcomb.

Punch—Mrs. T. W. Smith and Miss Mary Blake.

Ice Cream—Mrs. E. H. Wight and Mrs. Etta Lakin.

The Murray Club girls served hot chocolate and sandwiches in a cosy corner while the Play Square boys conducted a Chinese laundry.

An appetizing supper was served at

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A SURPRISE

You will receive a different and entirely favorable impression of Canned Goods when you have eaten the specially chosen brands of the

Foy Line of Canned Goods

(Every Can This Season's Pack)

Not a can of last season's in the Store

The entire line is absolutely superior in every way. Personally selected and tested for flavor, quality and freshness. Not a can of last season's goods in the store insures you fruit or vegetables that has all the natural, fresh, delicious flavor of fresh picked fruit or garden truck.

APRICOTS

Brand	Can	Doz
Hatchet	25c	$2.75
Hunt's Supreme	30c	3.30
Sovereign	30c	3.30

PEARS

Flag	25c	2.75
Hunt's Hayward	35c	3.75
Munroe	15c	1.55
Sovereign	30c	3.30

PLUMS

Red Lily	25c	2.75
Garden City	20c	2.25

RASPBERRIES

Tepee, black,	15c	1.65
Hatchet, red,	18c	1.90

PEACHES

Brand	Can	Doz
Griffin's, sliced,	15c	$1.65
Hunt's Supreme	30c	3.30
Hatchet	23c	2.60
Oro	20c	2.25
Sovereign	30c	3.30
Table Sliced	15c	1.65

PINEAPPLE

Aloha, sliced	20c	2.25
Hunt's Supreme	28c	3.00
Sovereign	27c	2.90
Taka, grated	20c	2.25
Manhattan, grated,	12c	1.35

STRAWBERRIES

Hatchet	23c	2.50
Victory	10c	1.10

WHITE CHERRIES, "Red Lily" brand, can 30c doz. $3.30

R. E. FOY & CO.

Dec. 11-2t

RELIEF CORPS ELECT OFFICERS

Four Members of Paul Revere Corps Died During the Year

The Annual election of officers of Paul Revere Corps, 103, W. R. C. took place at the regular meeting Tuesday evening and the following were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Cylinda Richardson.

Senior Vice President—Mrs. Idella Savage.

Junior Vice President—Mrs. Exelis E. Nason.

Chaplain—Mrs. Marian Baker.

Conductor—Mrs. Mary Spooner.

Guard—Mrs. Mary Fox.

First Delegate to Department Convention—Mrs. Ella Hayden.

Second Delegate to Department Convention—Mrs. Annie Grignon.

First Alternate—Mrs. Susan Hewson.

Second Alternate—Mrs. Samuel Oxford.

The Corps has lost four members by death this year, Mrs. Harriet C. Joy, Mrs. M. H. Peverly, Mrs. M. Emma Newcomb, Mrs. Louise R. C. French.

CITY COUNCIL ANNUAL DINNER

Plans For a More Elaborate Affair Than Usual

The committee of the City Council on the annual inauguration banquet have completed the arrangements The affair, as last year, will be held at the Parker house, Boston, on the evening of Inauguration day, Jan. 6. From 6 to 7 o'clock, there will be an informal reception, and at 6 o'clock the dinner will be served at the latter hour. The committee extends a cordial invitation to the members of the City Councils of 1912 and 1913 as well as city officials and department heads and ex-Councilmen. It is the intention of the committee to make this year's affair even more enjoyable than that of last year. Tickets may be had of the following committee. Edward J. Sandberg, Herbert G. Beeman or of George T. Magee, clerk of Council.

NEW CANDIDATE IN NINTH PLACE

Annie Lamont Moves Up to Number Six

WILLIAMS INCREASES LEAD

Germantown now has a candidate in the Washington contest of the Daily Ledger, and Miss Anna Gustafson makes a good showing, for she has jumped into ninth place in the list.

Mrs. Annie Lamont of the Ladies Loyal Orange Lodge makes a gain of 520 votes, and passes Mrs. Marnock of the W. R. C. and Miss Nellie Morrissett.

Sam Shellman, the boarber has forwarded another buach of coupons, and also another letter, further explaining his views on Woman Suffrage The letter will not be printed until Thursday.

Fred Williams has increased his lead, while Sturgis Hunt and Mrs. Marnock have a larger total than yesterday.

Other gains were made by Richard Larkin, John T. Cain, Angus Kerr, Ambrose O'Dowd, Walter A. Pendis, L. Lindville, Dan Scouler, J. H. Hyland and Fred M. Dolan.

LEDGERS AT WHOLESALE.

Back numbers of the Daily Ledger with 5-vote coupons may be obtained at the Ledger office at wholesale at these rates:

By the 100, at 1 1-2 cents each .

By the 1,000, at 1 1-4 cents each.

The Contest Editor guarantees one price to all candidates. No lower rate will be granted than the above, whether 1,000 or 10,000 or more are purchased. But the supply is limited, and it is possible that the demand cannot be met.

Coupon dances and Coupon whist parties will soon be popular, with 10 or 20 Ledger coupons for admission. Or the net proceeds to be used in purchasing Ledger subscriptions for a candidate.

PRIZE CERTIFICATE.

A prize certificate, good for 200 votes is offered by the Contest Editor this week. It will be awarded at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 16, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 9—16. Note this is not necessarily for the leader but for the "biggest gain." The

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THE RASHLEIGHS MUCH SURPRISED

Christian Endeavor Society Turned the Trick

About sixty young people of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church, gathered in the vestry last evening to tender a surprise party to Mr. and Mrs. John Rashleigh. Mr. Rashleigh has been a faithful member of the society for many years and lately married Miss Edith Kyto of England. The first part of the evening was spent in playing games in which all joined and later in the evening a fine program having been arranged which consisted of selections by a male quartet, Mr. McArthur, Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Alex Kemp and Mr. Everett Clark, a solo by Miss Minnie Miller, a solo by Everett Clark and quartet singing by Miss Minnie Miller, Miss Margaret Michael, Mr. Everett Clark and Mr. McArthur was enjoyed.

After the program, Rev. Mr. Matheson, was called on for a few remarks and presented Mr. Rashleigh with a beautiful morris chair and spoke of his faithful work here and that he hoped he would always be a member of the society.

Mr. Rashleigh responded in a very able manner and thanked the society for their gift and hoped the society would prosper and continue to be of great service to the church.

Refreshments were then served by the Social committee, after which a social hour was enjoyed. The committee in charge of the affair were Mr. Wendell Clark, president, Miss Susan Tytler, chairman of Social committee, Misses Margaret Michael, Jessie Shirley, Minnie Miller and Edith Elrick.

DO YOU WANT BUSINESS?
ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

NOTICE.

November 25, 1912.

His Honor the Mayor, the Committee of the City Council and the Committee of Citizens appointed to act with the foregoing in the selecting of a

SITE FOR A PUBLIC DOCK,

will give a hearing to all citizens interested, in the Council Chamber, City Hall on Thursday, December 12, 1912 at 7.30 o'clock P. M. Any persons desiring to submit plans for such a site, or any proposals for the same may do so at this meeting.

Per order of the Committee,
CHARLES W. BAILEY, Secretary.
2t Nov. 27-Dec. 11

NATIONAL GRANITE CONVENTION BOOKED FOR BOSTON COMING YEAR

Quincy Stone Men, Eat, Drink and Be Merry But Do Not Forget Business Obligations

Annual Business Meeting and Banquet Largely Attended

The annual dinner, it might be called the annual reunion and business meeting of the Quincy Granite Manufacturers Association, held at the American House, Boston, Tuesday evening, proved like so many of its predeccessors, an occasion long to be remembered, pleasant, a relaxation from the cares of business, yet with a note of concern relative to the business situation, threading its way skilfully through the pathways of mirth and leaving their tracings behind silently, but none the less sure to be thought of and carried along until the next annual for comparison.

Nearly 150 members and friends had a thoroughly good time in every way, which was marked by a dignity which seldom predominates at gatherings of this kind, yet have always been distinctive features of the Granite men's gatherings. One of the pleasant features of the session was the announcement by John L. Miller that the necessary sanction of the Executive committee had been received and the National Association would hold its annual convention in Boston the coming year.

This means of course that Quincy will be the centre of attraction and that it will be up to the local members of the trade to do their part to make the visitors welcomed and provide for them a good time, during the period which they remain in the east.

The business meeting preceded the banquet and aside from the re-election of the old board of officers no business outside of that vitally concerning the association was taken up and considered.

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A CHRISTMAS GIFT.

Beauty and Charity Combined.

A unique and beautiful Christmas gift, growing out of one of the Charities of a Quincy girl, is awaiting a purchaser at Pettengill's jewelry store. The late Miss Elizabeth Perry was much interested in welfare work for Quincy girls, and her family have left for sale at Mr. Pettengills, a beautiful pair of Opera glasses bought for her in Paris, the proceeds to be given to the Associated Charities of Quincy. Dec. 10-2t

THE LONDON FUR COMPANY

MR. M. E. LEE MR. S. AUSTIN

Owing to the Furrier's Strike in New York, we have to sell a surplus of fine furs.

Fine Black Belgium Lynx, sets $12.75
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Fine White Fox, sets $17.50
Fine Blue Fox, sets $25.00

Sale will be held at business place of H. M. Levinson, Ladies' Tailor, Johnson Building, room 17, Hancock Street, Quincy, **SATURDAY,** all day, from 9.30 A. M. to 8 P. M.

Tel. 1057 W. Dec. 11-3t

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

It seems somewhat strange for a place to go on record against a public building even if it is a bath house.

The Boston City Council in their wisdom have refused to limit the length of the hatpin. They knew the consequences of interference.

There may be a limit to the efficiency of the big guns now being tested.

The Bridgewater man who has been carrying around 40 bullets in his skull for 12 years could not be blamed if he experienced a top heavy feeling once in a while.

The cabinet making still goes on and the people who predict dire results for president-elect Wilson appears to be the only ones worrying.

Commissioner Cole claims that Boston faces a big loss of life from fire traps. Where is the mayor that he has not already taken steps to remedy that evil?

The Greenfield bank, solvent and with a surplus cannot do business which speaks volumes for the intelligent and up to date banking laws of Massachusetts which were not prepared to meet such an emergency.

There are a few who are still figuring on the world's series and how it was done and taking themselves seriously.

Mrs. Ella F. Young as big a teacher as she may be has shown that she is liable to make mistakes, when she contends vocational training is overdone.

Secrecy it is claimed is maintained in the money inquiry. For a wonder the legislators are doing something under the rose.

That Archbald investigation is certainly throwing some light upon some rank proceedings.

The Progressives held another convention and as usual there was one central figure around which the others rated.

The vacation for the firemen will give five other good men a chance to engage in an honorable calling.

Trailing a rabbit led to a counterfeiting outfit in the western part of the state which all leads to the remark, you can never tell where you are in thick weather.

The granite men had a good time at their annual banquet in Boston last night.

The regret is that any local organization which desires an up to date event of this kind has to take a trip up the line.

It is not philanthrophy but a shortage of labor which accounts for the Pittsburg men giving jailbirds jobs.

President Taft has selected a head of the pure food department. If he is as successful as Dr. Wiley his tenure of office cannot be to short to satisfy the interests

By the way there is a law that requires restaurants to post in conspicuous places if they use substitutes for butter. As no signs have been noticed lately in any place around the state, every one must be using butter.

The speaker who has asked for the unity of all political parites must desire the revival of the Kiklenny cats or transplanting Donny brook fair to this side of the ocean.

Gov. Blease was somewhat emphatic, but then he had just come to the end of a successful political campaign. It should likewise be borne in mind that bigger men have tried to put a crimp into constitution, but so far they have not been successful.

There are said to be hundreds of oil wells in the Phillippines. Some one should immediately communicate with coal oil Johnny.

A revision of the school system in many places would not do much harm.

The Solomon fires are still shrouded in mystery.

LETTER WRITING.

Letter writing seems to be a fad or fancy or a particular bent of some people. Gifted with a delightful ability to discount the King's English, they never deprive themselves of the pleasure which this pastime affords them. Some times it is in a harmless manner, which no one can take offense at. At other times, it has a dreary tendency, as though the writer were drifting with the tide, while still other lighter minds, turn their devotions to the poetic tenor of scratching.

Each of those particular divisions have their own little coterie of friends, we might say admirers, who bow reverently at the shrine of their divinity. Each is at times exalted by the superiority some particular effort but never cast down by what to some people would appear like hopeless defeat.

There are many letters in the world today, which the writers would undoubtedly freely give millions for if they only once more had those terrible missives in their possession that they might destroy them on the altar of forgetfulness.

Politicians also write letters. Some of them are of the diplomatic kind. Others are frank, open, possibly may not be quite clear as to their intent. Politicians write all kinds of letters. When they get along a year or two after and some one bobs a copy of a letter, which they had forgotten all about and which they cannot deny and will not be downed, they hopelessly castigate themselves for ever being so unwise as to indulge in this perilous form of campaigning, but regrets are useless, the evidence is before them, at hand and there is no escaping it.

THE DOCK QUESTION.

The public dock question which every one should take an interest in will be given a try out at the City hall, Thursday evening, when the special committee appointed by the Mayor to consider the project, will give a hearing to all concerned. This is not a matter confined alone to the members of any particular craft or branch of trade in Quincy. It is a subject in which all are dominantly and vitally interested in to a great extent.

The public will have to pay the bills and in that way they are certainly the most deeply concerned. It is said that the rentals already assured afford more than sufficient to meet interest returns on the money invested.

It is a project on which no one feels like throwing cold water on at the present time. It is likewise an enterprise which every one does not feel like supporting off hand without knowing something more about it. The chance for this latter is afforded at the hearing Thursday night. If the further development of the granite industry in this city, or any other branch of trade requires the outlay of a certain amount to place it on a paying basis and it is demonstrated that this goal will be reached by that channel, then there are few people who would desire to offer any obstacles to the march of progress or commerce.

If on the other hand the contrary is shown it will be wise to hesitate before committeeing the city to any large amount which in the end might not produce the desirable results. At the same time, it would be well to consider the position of the Port Directors of Boston with regard to this or any other water front proposition as it is understood that they have certain powers of jurisdiction and it would be preferable what ever move is made that it should be accomplished without friction. Every one should attend the hearing Thursday night to receive enlightenment upon this important subject.

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EX-CHIEF HALL LAID AT REST

Friends and Associates Pay Tribute to His Memory

The funeral of ex-Chief Engineer, John Whitney Hall was held Tuesday afternoon from his late residence, Hancock street. The services were very largely attended and were conducted by Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson of the First church assisted by Rev. Arthur S. Burrows of Cambridge. During the services the Temple quartet sang, "Lead Kindly Light", "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Jesus Lover of My Soul."

In addition to many of the Quincy friends of the late chief there were many others present including Samuel Mandell and Edward C. Johnson of the firm of C. F. Hovey & Co., with which firm the deceased was associated for many years, and several of the employees.

The Massachusetts Fire Chief's club was represented by Chief John Mullen of Boston, Chief Frank Turner and ex-Chief Thomas McGowan of Malden, Chief William Arnold of Salem, Chief Timothy Murane of Fitchburg, ex-Chief J. R. Hopkins of Somerville, Chief H . L. Marston of Brockton, Chief William Cate of Wakefield, Chief George Cahoon of Swampscott, Chief F. O. Whitmarsh of Braintree, Capt. Brophy of Boston, Chief A. L. Litchfield of Quincy, ex-Chiefs Walter H. Ripley and Peter J. Williams of Quincy.

Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F. was represented by Past Grands, Walter H. Walker, Arthur H. Dunston, Arthur W. Stetson, Thomas E. Furnald and Frank L. Carleton.

The flowers were very many and beautiful and included Wreath galaxy leaves, roses and violets, C. F. Hovey & Co.; Standing wreath, Geo. L. Gill Rebekah lodge; Cross of white roses and greenery, Fire Chiefs club of Mass; Wreath of roses and calla lilies, Washington M. French Hose Asso; Pillow of roses, pinks and chrysanthemums, Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F., Wreath of pink roses and chrysanthemums, Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows.

In addition to these there were many flat bouquets from friends and neighbors.

The pall bearers were ex-Chief Thomas McGowan Malden and ex-Chief Peter J. Williams of Quincy representing the Massachusetts Fire Chief's club and Frank L. Carleton and Thomas E. Furnald representing the Odd Fellows.

The burial was in the family lot at Mr. Wollaston cemetery. As the funeral cortege left the house one blow was struck on the fire alarm circuit and as it passed down Coddington street the number "78" the age of the ex-Chief, was also struck on all fire alarm bells and whistles. The usual method is to strike the blows at thirty second intervals. As this would have been confusing had an alarm of fire been sounded the 78 blows were struck at one time first a seven and then an eight.

$40,000 FURNITURE SALE.

The furniture house of W. G. Shaw was closed yesterday and today that prices might be slashed for a big $40,000 sale which begins at 9 o'clock Thursday morning. Shaw proposes to make it the grandest Christmas ever for the people of Quincy and vicinity, all goods being plainly marked at a big discount from their real worth. The sale will continue until Saturday, Dec. 21, and is a grand opportunity for all housekeepers. The store will be open every evening during the sale. There are gifts for the first 200 ladies to enter the store tomorrow morning, and other attractions which will make it worth while to attend this sale. Christmas money will do double duty at Shaws.

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DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

Unity Circle Gave Pleasing Entertainment

Bethany church vestry was the scene of a pleasant gathering Tuesday evening, when the Unity Circle of the King's Daughters presented a very delightful entertainment.

It was a smiling and appreciative audience which greeted the artists, Miss Elsie Leighton Livermore, reader.

Miss Katherine W. Stone, violinist and Miss Agnes B. Ruggles pianist.

The first number Mischa Elman's Canto Amoroso, was very finely interpreted by Miss Stone, who played with much expression and ability receiving merited applause.

The original monologue, by Miss Livermore, "A Parish Call," was exceedingly funny. Miss Livermore portrayed the scene, the lady of the house mistaking the minister for a sewing machine agent with a delightful sense of humor. Her pianologue, "It goes"—"His Buttons are marked U S.—"Shopping" and "Foolish Questions," were full of fun and pathos, which display Miss Livermore's unique power of observation. Her original monologue, "The Demonstrator" depicted a type of character one often meets in a department store.

Miss Stone again favored with Melodies by Pschaikowsky, ably accompanied by Miss Ruggles, rendering it exquisitely, and with much character. The audience manifested its approbation and loud encores.

Miss Livermore's original monologue, "A Sidewalk Conversation," was prolific in incidents of every day life and her pianologues, "When Grandma was a Girl", "Philosophy" and "The Last Waltz" abounded in humanity and tragedy. The monologue, "The Pudding" was intensely amusing and brought down the house. Miss Livermore responded with, "The Little Boy who Stuttered," and "The Little Girl who Lisped." Miss Livermore is wonderfully gifted in partraying contrasts of character and held the audience in sympathetic attention.

The patronesses of teh affair were: Mrs. George L. Badger, Mrs. Frank W. Crane, Mrs. William H. Doble, Mrs. Franklin P. Horton, Mrs. Edward E. Miller, Mrs. John D. Mackay, Mrs. M. M. Newcomb, Mrs. H. Gerrish Smith, Miss Mona Birse, Mrs. H. Everett Crane, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mrs. Theophilus King, Mrs. J. Gilbert Miller, Mrs. Frank J. Moore, Mrs. William G. Shaw, Mrs. John F. Welch, Mrs. Walter E. Burke, Mrs. Horace G. Crocker, Mrs. Charles W. Guy, Mrs. Myles J. McInnis, Mrs. V. E. Miller, Miss Addie J. Park, Mrs. Cyrus T. Sherman.

TWO DAYS' FAIR

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6.30, the menu including cold ham, baked beans, macaroni and cheese, pickles, fancy pies, hot rolls and coffee. A second table was necessary to accommodate the hungry crowd. The supper was in charge of MrMs. Frank Hobart, assisted by Mrs. Smith, Miss Hanson, Mrs. Sprague, Mrs. Keene and Mrs. T. WW. Smith.

At 8 o'clock the Zoboe band made its appearance, marching through the vestry and up on to the stage headed by the drummer boy. The costumes were original to say the least and the band played with vigor and enthusiasm under the direction of its leader Miss M. Lizzie Furnald. The accompanist of the evening was Mrs. Gus White of North Weymouth. Two violin solos by Miss Marion White were received with applause and she graciously responded to encores. The reader of the evening was little Miss Horton of Campello. Her repetoire was unlimited ad of wide variety, and for a little Miss of eleven years old she was a wonder as a reader and imitator. She was called back repeatedly and always responded with a selection most particularly appropriate. The sales tables were well patronized, the fancy table being especially besieged where many pretty things for Christmas gifts were displayed. The fair closes tonight when the Weymouth Dramatic club will present the farce "Done on Both Sides." The fair will continue tonight.

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ELKS LODGE BOOMING

Five Candidates Initiated at the Last Meeting

That the new officers have enthused new life into Quincy lodge of Elks was manifest by the unusually large attendance at the regular meeting Tuesday evening. There was considerable business which included the initiation of five candidates into the mysteries of Elkdom. At the close of the business session an adjournment was made to the club rooms where several artists presented a pleasing program which included fancy dancing by the Gilder sisters; songs and monologues by William Baker with Miss Bessie Beasley as accompanist.

At the conclusion of the entertainment a salad supper was served.

A collection was made among the members of the lodge for the annual Christmas baskets which are to be distributed to people in the district. It required but a few minutes to raise $80 for this most worthy purpose. Contributions will be gladly received by the members of the committee at any time.

SLIGHT FIRES.

The central station auto and Wollaston apparatus responded on a still alarm at 11 o'clock Tuesday night for a grass fire on Newport avenue.

The alarm from box 25 at 11.52 this noon was for a slight fire on the roof of a small house near the corner of Canal and Brackett streets, occupied by an Italian family. The fire started around the chimney. There was no loss.

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MR. McQUILLEN BURIED.

The funeral of the late Robert C. McQuillen, business associate of Hon. Charles M. Bryant of Wollaston, was held Tuesday afternoon from his late residence, 901 High street, Dedham.

As a token of respect, and esteem to the deceased the places of business, stores and offices in the town were closed from 2.30 to 3.30 o'clock, the hour of the funeral. Interment was at Brookline Cemetery.

The late Mr. McQuillen was a most popular Dedham resident and well known throughout the South Shore. He was a member of the firm of A. Storrs Bement Co., of which Mr. Bryant is the treasurer.

TEAM FAILED TO APPEAR.

Probably through a misunderstanding of the date ,the Randolph-Stetson High school team, did not appear at St. Mary's hall Tuesday evening to play the Quincy Gym Girls in their scheduled basket ball game.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

WHAT THEY ARE DOING AND SEASONS' PLANS

Because of the busy season and the Christmas holidays the Quincy Women's club only has one meeting this month that of Tuesday afternoon. Two fine meetings are scheduled for January. Jan. 14 Mrs. Christobel Kidder will read "The Blot on the 'Scutcheon" and Jan. 28 will be the annual musical an event always looked forward to by club members.

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With Miss Elizabeth Cook as chairman of the afternoon, the Atlantic Shakespeare society will take up for study Thursday act three of King John.

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The Christmas meeting on Monday afternon of Quincy Alliance was the only one for this month, as there will be none during the Christmas holidays. The next meeting will be on Jan. 13th.

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"Holland, the Land of Dikes" is a subject which should prove very entertaining at the travel talk to be given by Miss Edith Randall at the next meeting of the Quincy Young Women's club Saturday evening at the clubhouse.

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Next week Wednesday the Katharyn Craine Memorial club is to meet with Natalie Saville of Saville avenue.

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With Mrs. Frank A. Page as hostess and Mrs. Ernest Cockayne as the committee the Friday club will take up the "Plays of Sophocles" at its meeting this week.

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Charitable Ten Circle of King's Daughters meets Monday afternoon, Dec. 16th with Miss Annie Newcomb, 35 Bigelow street.

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Wollaston Alliance holds its annual Christmas meeting on the 18th with Mrs. William F. Atwood, president in charge. A fine program has been arranged and it promises to be one of the best ever held.

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Junior Friday club goes to Wollaston Monday afternoon to meet with Mrs. Alfred P. Thompson of Brook street. Miss Abigail B. Wood will have the program in charge, subject: "Elizabeth's Reign: Plantations and Rebellions," in continuation of the study of Ireland.

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Mrs. June Richardson Lucas is to lecture on "The Woman who Spends" at the next meeting of the Milton Woman's club on Monday afternoon. The program will be in charge of the Household Economics committee.

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The state society of the Daughters of the Revolution is to observe Tea Party day on Monday, Dec. 16 at Hotel Vendome, Boston, at 2 P. M. Mrs. Mary A. Chapman will read a short paper pertaining to the day and there will be music, songs by Mrs. Eleanor Fox Allen, cello solos by Miss Mildred Ridley and piano solos by Mrs. Florence Starr Ronimus and Miss Marion Whiton. Tea will be served by member s of the Dolly Madison Chapter gowned in old-time costumes.

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The Philergians of Braintree are to debate at their next meeting, Dec. 17, "Annexation of Braintree to Boston." Those in favor will be Mrs. William Gallagher, Mrs. Harry W. Hall, Mrs. George G. Ellsworth, Mrs. Walter A. Poore and Mrs. Lily B. Porter. Those against: Mrs. William F. Rogers, Mrs. Henry F. Knight, Miss Jane F. Edgcomb, Mrs. N. S. Gould, Mrs. George W. Stevens. The judges wil be Mrs. Arthur W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Walter E. Morrison and Mrs. Otis B. Oakman.

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QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

Another early session of the Quincy Women's club was held Tuesday afternoon that the club might continue the consideration of the by-laws as recommended by the committee. Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, president, called the meeting promptly for reports of the secretaries, treasurer, and committees and then proceeded to take up the by-laws section by section. They were put through expeditiously and unanimously, the only discussion being over the guest privilege and the removal of hats at all club meetings, the club voting that all hats must be removed.

The new by-laws increase the club membership from 350 to 500, which goes into effect at once, so that 150 out of the 161 on the waiting list may enjoy most of this season's program.

By vote of the club the annual musicale at Music hall will be held Monday Jan. 28 instead of the regular afternoon as scheduled.

Owing to the Christmas holidays the next meeting of the club will be on Jan. 14, when Mrs. Christobel Kidder will read "The Blot on the 'Scutcheon."

In the absence of Mrs. Robert E. Park, chairman of the Legislative committee Mrs. Walter S. Pinkham introduced the speaker, F. Schuyler Mathews of Cambridge whose subject, "Wild Birds and Their Music," proved an hour of delight.

Mr. Mathews showed remarkable versatility as an artist, musician and naturalist, which combined with a pronounced literary style and delicate humor made him an entertaining speaker; one to interest old and young, even those who thought they knew nothing about birds and could not learn.

In Mr. Mathews the winged minstrels of the field and woods have an enthusiastic interpreter of their songs, his imitations of the bird-notes being marvellous. When to this is added the ability to produce the songster in his true colors are illustrated by some forty water-colors exhibited by Mr. Mathews it would seem that nothing more could be desired, but that was not all for Mr. Mathews to further illustrate his lecture used the piano, showing remarkable ability and artistic temperament in his enterpretations. The piano selections were a pleasing feature, in which were shown the similarity of several bird songs to passages from the great composers among them Beethoven, Chopin and Schubert and club members would have liked more than the mere illustration called for.

A fitting close to the lecture was the group of songs, sung by Mrs. Minetta Dyer Long of Boston with Mr. Walter Rogers at the piano. Mrs. Long is contralto soloist at the Wollaston Congregational church and received a warm welcome from Wollaston club members. She sang "Rose in the bud," "Till I wake" and "Goodbye sweet day" and in response to the encore a "Bowl of Roses." Mrs. Long has a voice of remarkable depth and strength and sings with clear enunciation and appreciation.

Mrs. Barker of the hospitality committee served delicious hot chocolate, the pourers being Mrs. William Wilson and Mrs. Frederick Barnicoat. The committee presented a large bunch of cosmos to the president. During the social hour many were interested to talk "birds" with Mr. Mathews and to inspect his water-colors at closer range. It was a very delightful afternoon in every way.

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ALL LEADING GROCERS

TALK ON STATE INSTITUTIONS

Those Not Playing Politics Know Prisons Are Well Managed

"Our state institutions" was the subject of Hon. Elmer E. Stevens, state treasurer, at the monthly meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club, Tuesday evening.

At the head table were: President, Louis F. R. Langelier; Hon. Elmer E. Stevens, Rev. Carl G. Horst, Rev. W. S. Key of South Carolina, first pastor of the church, Hon. Eugene C. Hultman, Rev. Alfred Cross of Scotland, Rev. Archibald Howe of Cambridge, Walter J. Wellington, W. E. Simmons and Otho A. Hayward.

President William A. Mann of the Wollaston Congergational club on the proposed federation of Men's clubs announced a meeting early in January.

Mr. Stevens said that besides the duties of the office he is a member of several committees including the board of appeal for tax cases, the board of banking corporations and the state house commission under whose supervision plans for enlarging the state house are being prepared.

At present $75,000 a year in rentals is being paid for extra rooms outside the statehouse. In 20 years this would amount to almost a million and a half. The new addition will cost $800,000 and in payment of bonds and interest less will fall due each year than is now paid in rentals.

SQUANTUMITES UP IN ARMS

Demand For Better Car Service Will Be Pressed

RECOGNITION DEMANDED

Charges that the City of Quincy have failed dismally in recognizing the needs of Squantum and of realizing that it would be to its own advantage to expend money in that section for municipal improvement were made freely Tuesday night at the meeting of the Squantum Improvement association at the bungalow of John W. Nelson. There was a large attendance and many plans were outlined for committee work before the new city council. Vice President Herbert A. Smith presided.

Treasurer T. H. Callahan said: "I have lived in Squantum for 18 years and have seen the progress that has been made in the past few years. It is marvelous. For 12 years before the Squantum Inn was built there was not a load of shingles or a load of lumber came over the Squantum road. During that time Quincy collected $2000 a year taxes. Then came the change at first gradual and then like a Western town boom. I have counted 200 houses, all of them fine residences, go up within the past few years. In that time Squantum residents have paid into the tax collector of Quincy over $100,000. And what has this community received in return? It has had about $18,000 spent upon the causeway from Quincy Shore drive to the postoffice. How about the other $30,000 that Squantum has paid into the Quincy city treasury. It is deplorable to hear members of the Quincy city council come down here and admit that they have never been here before. They have never seen this thriving community and have never inquired into its needs. Yet when we go before members of Quincy city government we are told that 'there is nothing doing' or words to that effect because the city has no money. We are called kickers and are told that we want everything in sight. Is this fair treatment? I believe that we have got to kick if we are to receive anything and make the city fathers of Quincy realize that they have a gilt edge investment in Squantum instead of a place where money will be spent at a loss. I can confidently predict that the newly elected city council will give Squantum a fair show.

"We must go at the new council hard for the acceptance of Huckins avenue and Bellevue road. The Atlantic fire truck has made a record of 12 minutes in a run to Squantum and return. But what would be their time in the spring of the year when ordinary carriages go into mud to the hubs when they strike one of our streets. This is a situation that must be recognized. I believe it is up to the citizens of Squantum to show the Quincy city government that by the expenditure of a few thousand dolars upon our streets it will cause a boom of building here that will pour another hundred thousand dollars in assessed valuation into the Quincy tax collector's office and will be a gilt edged investment for the City of Qiuncy. If we get the reputation of being kickers by such methods I for one stand ready to be a kicker and a good one."

Mr. Callahan's remarks were greeted with enthusiasm.

Edward F. Eager seconded Mr. Callahan's remarks. He said that Squantum was known to the world before Atlantic or Norfolk Downs were heard of. He said that when a land company was offering prizes for a name for those sections of Quincy, Squantum was historically famous. Yet, today Atlantic and other sections of Quincy are lined with granolthic sidewalks, paved streets, well lighted thoroughfares and properly policed, while Squantum has to grope in darkness after sundown, wallow in mud when there comes a thaw and go without police protection. He said he was in favor of becoming a kicker and a good one if that was the only way that Quincy could be impressed with the fact that Squantum must be given a fair show and assistance in its development.

The committee on garbage reported that there has been no colection of garbage in Squantum since September. Mr. Eager believed that this matter should be reported to the State Board of Health. A member from Atlantic said Atlantic people had their garbage collected regularly. The committee was instructed to take up the matter at city hall and see what the trouble was.

Charles Watts of the electric express committee reported that the car which during the summer months made trips to Houghs Neck would undoubtedly run to Squantum during the summer months. John R. Nelson, John Holmes and several others spoke of the electric express and said that everyone should patronize the electric express as it was doing a good work.

John R. Nelson of the street railway committee reported that the matter of a turnout on Hancock street and larger cars was in the hands of the Boston officials of the Bay State street railway. After considerable of car service the following motion was passed. "That the street railway committee be instructed to work for a half hour service beginning April 1st upon a more satisfactory schedule and that a larger and better car be provided for the Squantum run."

The matter of streets lights was taken up and discussed and the committee was instructed to do everything possible to get a few more street lights.

The question of a schoo l house came up for active debate. It was the opinion of members that to secure a school house would take three or four years so that work upon this matter should be begun at once. A new committee was appointed to take up the matter of a school and that a thorough investigation be made and an effort to secure noonday rides for school children be taken up with the school authorities. It was pointed out that many of the pupils were compelled to take lunches and that they had to eat them in the basement of the Atlantic school where the surroundings were not of the best. At present the parents have to pay for these noon rides and where there are several children in a family this has been a severe tax upon many parents.

President Smith appointed the following additional members to the street committee, Messrs. Eager, Nelson, Berghaus and Callahan.

A unanimous vote of thanks was tendered the Quincy Ledger and the Squantum correspondent of the Ledger for the excellent reports of Squantum doings published in the eLdger.

The next meeting of the association will be Tuesday evening, Jan. 14 at the home of Herbert A. Smith, Wedgewood street.

VOTING CONTEST

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leader may gain only 1000 during the week, but a new candidate may enter with 2000 and win the certificate, or one with 25 votes might gain more than the leader. It gives all an equal chance.

Candidates should not hesitate to ask ANY of their friends for a year's subscription to the Daily Ledger to help them win the Washington trip or the diamond ring. If already a subscriber, they may be willing to pay another subscription NOW, that you may have a certificate for 1000 votes. Certificates are also issued to all new subscribers who send cash with their order. All subscriptions for one year are good for 1000 votes, whether from December to December, or March to March, or July to July, or October to October.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	9,550
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	8420
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
A. MacKay, Heptasophs	1055
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	755
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	660
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	635
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	170
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Sam Shellman, Granite street	165
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
Thomas J. Welsh, Div. 5	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Richard Larkin, High school	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
Galen Bowditch, messenger	70
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	60
John T. Cain, K. of C.	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	55
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	55
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	55
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	50
Granville Sweetland, Johnson's	45
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	45
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	35
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	35
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	30
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
John Mahon, organist	15
Walter Mead, High school	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

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BRIEFS

The annual election of officers of Maple Lodge K. and L. of H. will be held this evening.

The Parents' and Teachers' Association of the First Presbyterian church will hold a social and entertainment in the vestry of the church this evening.

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MISCHA ELMAN'S RECITAL.

For the first time in two years Mischa Elman, the greatest of Russian violinists and one of the two or three truly great violinists of the world, will give a recital in Symphony Hall next Sunday afternoon, December 15, at half-past three o'clock. Elman is one of the most extraordinary personalities in music. He illustrates that fortune knows no classes when it seeks to bestow genius on anyone.



MISCHA ELMAN.

Mischa was one of several children of a poor school teacher in an obscure town in Southern Russia. His father had some little knowledge of music and realized when Elman was little more than a baby that his boy was a genius. The difficulties surrounding Elman's education were enormous despite the fact that his genius soon attracted the attention of powerful people who became his friends. Ultimately by a special dispensation of the Czar, Elman was allowed to go to St. Petersburg and study under Leopold Auer, the greatest of modern violin teachers. At fourteen he made his debut and when he first came to this country he was but eighteen and made a success the most sensational of its kind since Paderewski first came to the United States. His success has continued and no violinist of our time plays to such uniformly large audiences. His superb glowing tone, his command of the technique of his instrument and his fine musical nature unite to make him a most extraordinary artist. He will have the assistance at this concert of Percy Kahn, a distinguished pianist. The programme is as follows:

Sonate, F major Beethoven
Allegro—Adagio molto espressivo
Scherzo (Allegro molto)
Rondo (Allegro ma non troppo)
Concerto, F-sharp minor Ernst
Sonate D major Handel
Adagio
Allegro
Larghetto
Allegro
Nocturne, No. 2, Opus 27
Chopin-Wilhelmj
Waltzer Hummel-Burmester
Love Song Sammartini-Elman
Hungarian Dance, No. 7
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front of the package. All mail matter which cannot go forward because these non-postage stamps are affixed is sent to the Dead Letter Office, unless the name of the sender appears thereon, when it is returned. To avoid disappointment both to the sender and the intended recipient of the mail matter, the post office officials should be consulted regarding the use of "Christmas" stamps in the foreign mails.

In an order issued by Postmaster General Hitchcock, the regulation causing all domestic mail, with charity stamps affixed to be sent to the dead letter office has been suspended until Jan. 1. This action by the postal department is of great benefit to the Red Cross Society in behalf of funds for carrying on the work for the prevention of tuberculosis.

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DEATHS

PURTELL—In Scituate, December 8, the beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Purtell, nee M. Ella Willoby, aged 6 months.

SULLIVAN—In Quincy, December 1, Thomas A. Sullivan, son of Cornelius J. Sullivan, of 468 Sea street, Adams Shore, aged about 20 years.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Thursday probably fair and cooler. Friday fair.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.04
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.08
Moon sets	7.44
High water, A. M.	1.30
High water, P. M.	1.45

Days decrease 6 hours 9 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	48 degrees
Dec. 11, 1911,	62 degrees
Dec. 11, 1910,	20 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

WILL WELCOME MR. A. C. BOYDEN

He Will Speak at Coddington Parents-Teachers Association

The Parents-Teachers Association of the Coddington school will hold a meeting in the assembly hall of the school tonight. Arthur C. Boyden, Principal of the Bridgewater Normal school will speak on "Schools of Today."

This topic is of great importance to Quincy because of the large school attendance and the percentage of non graduates. Although an industrial department has been established and works in conjunction with apprentices the present day problems of the school board remains as complicated as in the past.

Mr. Boyden has taught many of the Quincy school teachers and no doubt will feel that when he appears here that he is in the hands of his friends.

Music will be furnished by the Quincy High School Glee Club, with Miss Emma A Perkins, director of music in the public schools as the soloist. Refreshments will be served by a committee of parents and teachers.

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HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP

Goes to Seniors Although Sophomores Fought Hard

REGULAR TEAM TRYOUT

With the basket ball championship of the Quincy High school going to the seniors who defeated the Sophomores by a score of 23 to 11, Tuesday the losers are credited with playing a wonderful game against a team which outweighed them by at least 20 pounds to a man. The result, while deciding the best quintette in the school, will probably be figured as the real tryout for the regular team about to be organized.

Leon White aided the big scoring and aside from making five baskets, he was prominent throughout the battle. W. Brown, Hunt and Hadlock of the Sophs played a neat game and despite the size of their opponents kept them busy in both halves.

The score at the end of the first half was 7 to 4. The increase in the last half was due to good shooting, but the weight was the big factor which the Sophs could not overcome although they played like fiends.

The contest opened up the blinkers of many of the rooters who are now convinced that Quincy high will have a team that will be a credit to the school and while the prospects are that they will be light it is admitted generally that they will be fast.

Sam Prout, one of the most popular school athletes will not play this season. Choosing hockey for his winter pastime Prout feels that he could not play both games without harmful effects. The hockey fans are mighty pleased with his decision and the basket ball gallery is howling inasmuch as Prout was one of the most promising of the candidates. The score:

1913		1915
R. Larkin	rf	lb R. Hadlock
R. Prout	lf	rb S. Baird
L. Andrews		
W. Safford	c	c S. Hunt
L. White	rb	lf W. Brown
R. Crane	lb	rf E. Bates

Score 23—11. Goals from floor White 5, Brown 3, Hunt 2, R. Prout 2, Larkin, Safford, Crane, Andrews. Goals from fouls Safford, Hunt. Referee LaRose, Umpire S. Prout. Scorer Mansur. Timer Mansur. Time 2 15m. Attendance 100.

WEYMOUTH BASKET BALL.

Although but few of the players on last year's Weymouth High basket ball team were available, the prospects for a winning quintet this season are regarded as very bright.

The team will be coached by Louis A. Carter, a star centre for a number of years. Herman Bates is manager, but no captain has as yet been selected. A large number of candidates has reported.

Games scheduled include Dec. 13th. Provincetown at Provincetown; 18th, Oliver Ames at North Easton: 20th, open.

Jan. 1. Taunton at Weymouth; 7th, Quincy at Quincy; 10th, open; 15th, Milton at Milton; Thayer Academy of Braintree at Weymouth; 21sst, open; 24th, open; Oliver Ames of North Easton at Weymouth; 30th, Melrose at Melrose.

Feb. 5. Taunton at Taunton; 7th, Clapp Memorial at Weymouth; 12th, Rockland at Rockland; 10th, Thayer Academy at Braintree; 19th, Wellesley at Weymouth; 22d, Wellesley at Wellesley; 25th, Quncy at Weymouth.

TEMPLARS MOURN LOSS

Of Past Commander L. G. Blair Who Died in Watertown

The Sir Knights of Quincy Commandery were pained to learn of the death of Lafayette G. Blair Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island who passed away at his home, Watertown, Saturday after a lingering illness. Past Commander Blair was particularly popular with the Sir Knights of Quincy Commandery for it was he who constituted the commandery and who was later made one of its honory. A large full length portrait of Past Commander Blair in full regalia ornaments the walls of the Asylum and has been draped in mourning. Ex-Councilman John Moir of Atlantic has for many years been associated with Past Commander Blair in his Boston law office.

Mr. Blair was born, May 8, 1849 in Cumberland, Md., the son of Mr. and Mrs. David G. Blair. His father came from Waynesboro, Penn., and his mother was Miss Mary J. Pierpont of Baltimore formerly of Virginia. There were five other children, Miss Mary P. Blair of Cambridge, Charles W. of Euroke, Ark; Wesley G. of St. Louis, Frank S. of Kansas City, Mo. and David I. who is also living in the west.

The parents moved to Kansas City when Mr. Blair was in his youth and he was brought up in that city. He came East in 1870 and entered Phillips Exeter Academy graduating in 1874. He was of the Harvard class of 1878 and from that university he received the degree of AB. He studied law in Boston University also in the office of Hale & Walcott and was admitted to the bar in 1881. He has practiced in Boston ever since and had an office in the Tremont Building.

BRIEFS

Rev. I. W. Sneath, of Wollaston attended the 40th anniversary of the Wood Memorial church of Cambridge, of which he was formerly a pastor, Sunday and delivered an address and preached the evening sermon.

Mrs. Hallie Hill of New York, National Organizer of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will speak in the vestry of the Wollaston M. E. Church, Thursday evening at 7.45 o'clock. The ladies of the different church societies of Wollaston are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Hill captivated the people of Northfield at the home conference and was a great favorite at the International organization luncheon at Boston, last month.

Several Past High Priests of St. Stephen's Chapter Royal Arch Masons attended the 114th annual meeting which was held in Masonic Temple Boston Tuesday night. The annual report showed that Capitular Masonry has 23,487 members in Massachusetts. Among the appointments of the new Grand High Priest, Eugene A. Holton, was that of Bernard B. Winslow of Brockton as District Deputy, Grand High Priest of the Seventh Capitular district which includes St. Stephen's chapter of Quincy.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from Page Three.)

UNIVERSALIST MISSIONARY CIR.

The Woman's Missionary circle of the Universalist church, met Monday with Mrs. Thomas A. Addison 603 Washington street with a large attendance. At roll call each responded with a poem or quotation containing the word fulfillment.

Mrs. Addison gave an interesting report of the convention in Boston, where missionary societies of all denominations met and gave an account of the work showing an encouraging outlook. It was inspiring and the results obtained wonderful.

Rev. Fannie Austin, also spoke upon the subject of Missions, both home and foreign, telling the experiences of zealous workers who are accomplishing splendid achievements.

It was voted to give money each year to the Day Nursery fund. Arrangements were made for Christmas services, and assistance will be given for a Christmas tree for the children.

During the social and informal hour, the hostess, served refreshments. Mrs. Robert J. Read presiding at the cocoa urn and Mrs. John Hyland at the tea urn. Cake and dainty confections were served.

Mrs. Harriet Lombard will entertain the circle at her home on Cherry avenue the first Monday in January.

D. A. R. MEETING.

Mrs. Ralph of Elm avenue was the hostess for the Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter, D. A. R. of Wollaston at its December meeting, the regent, Mrs. Jameson, presiding. The resignation of the historian, Mrs. Warner, was read, and accepted with regret. A new name was added to the list of members, that of Mrs. Lydia Wood from the Silence Howard Hayward Chapter of Maine. The Chapter decided to entertain at state headquarters in Boston, March 24, in connection with the Old State House Chapter.

The program of the afternoon was opened by recitations by Mrs. MacDonald. Mrs. Titus, regent of John Adams Chapter, D. R., was the speaker of the afternoon. Her topic was "Reminiscences of Old Houses." She told first of the Fairbanks house in Dedham, which was about to be sold to statisfy a mortgage, given by the last member of the Fairbanks family owning it; and how, in two days, $4500 was given to preserve it.

The second house was the Howland house of Plymouth, the only house remaining in Plymouth on which the eyes of any of the Mayflower passengers could have rested. It has been purchased, and it is expected that its restoration will be completed by 1920, when Plymouth celebrates the 300th anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims.

The third, the John Adams house of Quincy, was of special interest, as Mrs. Titus personally supervised its renovation. We heard of the finding of a brick, having on it the date of the erection of the building, 1681. We learned of the tearing away of layer after layer of bricks to find the actual dimensions of the hugs old chimney, and the falling from it of a pig's head which years ago, had been hung on a peg to smoke and left forgotten.

The fourth house, the Shirley-Eustis house of Roxbury, is in imminent danger of destruction. In this house, Mrs. Titus, as a child, had often been entertained, and her personal recollections of Madam Eustis were most delightful.

During the informal discussion that followed this most interesting paper, Mrs. Titus told of Mrs. Darling's connection with the founding of patriotic societies, and expressed her wish that the D. R. and D. A. R. might unite in a suitable memorial to her.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Titus, after which refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Sayward and Mrs. Jones, assisting.

VISITING NURSING.

The report of the Visiting Nurses for November is as follows: Number patients 50; number visits 283; doctors calling nurse 18; free patients 23; pay patients 22; Metropolitan Life Insurance cases 5; number first calls in obstetrical cases 4. Four different doctors called the nurse on these cases.

Cases visited: Cardiac 2, Cancer 6, Abscess 2, Rheumatism 1, Obstetrical 7, Colitis 5, Bronchitis 2, Tumor 1, Fractured hip 1, Appendicitis 1, Burns 2, Nephritis 5, Neuritis 1, Operations 11.

Districts visited were Quincy, West Quincy, South Quincy, Quincy Point, Wollaston, Norfolk Downs, Atlantic and Houghs Neck.

Donations for the month were: King's Daughters six sheets, a friend muslin curtains for nurses' room; Henry L. Kincaide, white iron bed; old linen, Mrs. Bainbridge; Mrs. Wm. M. Southworth, partly worn clothing including 3 dresses, 5 shirt waists, 2 boys' suits, 5 pair rompers, childrens stockings, 5 pairs shoes, 1 pair slippers, 2 pair mittens, 1 pair gloves, 1 hat.

Subscriptions for this work will be printed in the Quincy Daily Ledger each month. The following are subscribers for November Philanthropic Committee of Quincy Women's club proceeds, January breakfast; Unity Circle of King's Daughters; Panditta club Wollaston Baptist church; Miss Ethel M. Campbel's class Wollaston Baptist church; Mrs. E. J. Cumimngs, Mrs. Thomas Lacey, Mrs. Frank B. Tracey, Mrs. Herbert Pinkham, Mrs. Leila Goodspeed, Mrs. Frederick Percy, Mrs. C. B. Hall, Mrs. Mabel L. Blaisdell, Mrs. Ruth M. Leitch, Mrs. W. C. Brady, Mrs. J. Henry Emery, Mrs. J. C. Brady, Mrs. William Sayward, Mrs. C. F. McClure, Mrs. A. J. Barry, Mrs. Joseph Clarke, Mrs. L. D. Gurney, Mrs. Laurence H. Sturtevant, Mrs. Harry L. Rice and six friends from Rock Island and Mrs. W. E. Rowe.

QUINCY ALLIANCE.

Quincy Alliance held its regular meeting in First church chapel, Monday afternoon with a large attendance Mrs. George G. Saville, president, presiding.

Mrs. Frank S. Davis who had charge of the afternoon's entertainment presented a very interesting and delightful program. Rev. A. L. Hudson read impressively Sam Walter Foss' poem, "Let me live in my house, by the side of the road and be a friend to man." Mrs. Mary Hastings Slade gave two songs, which were admirably sung and especially well adapted to her pure round voice, which always pleases, "Noel," by Holmes, and "O! Little Town of Bethlehem." William Weston, organist of First church, ably accompanied her.

Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis read, "For Love of Mary Ellen," a story of an aristocratic little girl named Susan Randolph Peyton Carter, whose loyalty and devotion to her friend, Mary Ellen, a dirty faced daughter of the streets, told in a delightful sympathetic way, and read so expressively by Mrs. Davis, that it brought tears to the eyes of her listeners.

Mrs. George G. Saville read, "Kin," a poem of engrossing interest and pathos, very effectively During a pause in the reading Mrs. Slade sang, "My Old Kentucky Home," accompanied by Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis, which was a beautiful conclusion to the afternoon's entertainment.

The audience joined in singing a Christmas carol, as the meeting was a Christmas one. Miss FRlora Underwood was at the piano.

A social, informal hour followed, during which refreshments were served. Mrs. James Edwards and Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis were the hostesses Miss Flora Underwood and Mrs. Davis presided at the chocolate urns. Miss Belle Nightingale, Mrs. John Christiansen and Miss Harriet Pierce, assisting in serving

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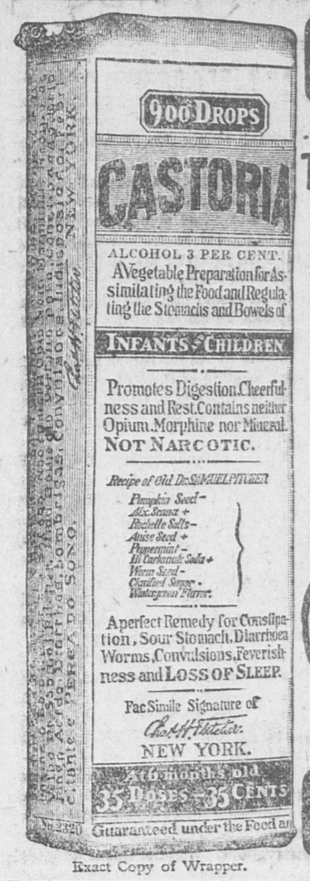
CARROLL PASSED BOGUS CHECKS

Man Held In Boston Wanted In Quincy For Similar Offence

VERY ACTIVE IN HIS LINE

William P. Carroll alias William Taber who was arrested at the Shawmut National bank in Boston Saturday for passing worthless checks is also wanted in Quincy for the same business. It is alleged that on Nov. 6 he deposited a check with the Granite Trust Co. for $285 endorsed with the name William Taber and that later in the day he attempted to draw $10 from his account. His request however was refused. Two days later he drew four checks aggregating $99 which he cashed at the First National bank in Boston. A few days later he presented a Granite Trust Co. check for $45 at the Hibernian bank in Boston.

Quincy is not the only place that he has been operating for it is said that he has made many such transactions in Cambridge and it was for the police of this city that he was arrested. His practice has been the same in every case. First he would deposite checks for large amounts with forged signatures and later draw on the deposite for small amounts. Carroll or Taber is said to reside in Lynn.



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ATTACKS COURT DECISION

Roosevelt Also Takes Up the Cudgel In Behalf of Perkins

Chicago, Dec. 11.—Theodore Roosevelt and George W. Perkins of New York were the leading figures at the national conference of the new Progressive party here. Roosevelt, digressing from a prepared address, attacked the Idaho state supreme court for its decision during the recent campaign regarding presidential electors.

Certain Progressives had started a movement to oust Perkins from the national executive committee because of his former corporate connections.

Roosevelt waged the fight for Perkins during an address to delegates at the conference. He declared the New York financier was one of the men that he was proud to have as a fellow worker in the Progressive party.

Perkins later made a speech in which he asserted he always had been for Progressive causes and measures.

MURDERED IN BARN

Body of Vermont Farmer Found With Throat Cut and Purse Gone

Bristol, Vt., Dec. 11.—Henry Ward, an 85-year-old farmer of New Haven Junction, was found murdered in his barn. His throat was cut and there was a bruise on the side of his head, believed to have been made with a club.

A pocketbook, in which Ward is known to have had considerable money, was missing. Halsey Bristol and Bert Estey discovered the body of the murdered man when they went to the barn for their horse.



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Said premises will be sold subject to restrictions referred to in deed recorded with said Deeds, Book 857, page 509, and to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments.

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LAND COURT.

To Christie Brown of Townsend, in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth; Olin A. Holbrook, Emma C. Felt, Eric Oscar Felt, Minnie E. Lowe and Catharine Clifford, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; the International Trust Company, a duly existing corporation having its usual place of business in Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Dennis J. Bergin, Mary E. Bergin and Frank Wood, of said Boston; Martin W. Frolund, of Youngstown, in the State of Ohio; John W. Matheys, of Chicago, in the State of Illinois; Paul Perley Baxter of Ansley, in the State of Nebraska; the trustees of the Bellevue Park Land Associates formerly doing business in said Quincy, or their successors or assigns, and any heirs, devisees or legal representatives of Carl C. Mortensen formerly of said Quincy, deceased; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by John M. Quale, of said Quincy, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded southerly by Broadway fifty (50) feet; easterly by Harvard Street eighty-one and 6-10 (81.6) feet; northerly by Lot No. 2 on Plan of Property belonging to the Bellevue Land Associates fifty (50) feet; and westerly by the remaining portion of Lot No. 1 on said plan by a line drawn parallel with Harvard Street and distant fifty (50) feet westerly from the westerly line thereof eighty-one and 6-10 (81.6) feet; containing 4080 square feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year nineteen hundred and twelve.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.
(Seal.)
4-3t 4-11-18

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Mary McGillvray late of Quincy in the County of Norfolk deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called to make payment to

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Nov. 27, 1912. 27-4-11

HEPTASOPHS HITTING PINS

In Better Form Than at Their Earlier Trials

FAIR SCORES BY WINNERS

An improvement over past scores was evidenced by the Heptasoph during their society match at the Coliseum alleys, Tuesday evening. Capt. Gibneys men quietly picked four points from Capt. MacKays boys, Capt. Dacker's five beat Capt. Brown's line three to one and "Big Chief" Mullen captured three points from the Irvings

Dackers snapped 116 for high single and Wilson broke them for a three string honors with 289. The summary:

(CAPT. DACKERS)

	1	2	3	Totals
Austin	89	71	79	239
Conroy	86	79	81	246
Farnham	76	78	72	226
DeCosta	85	87	82	254
Dackers	79	72	116	267
	415	387	430	1232

B (CAPT. BROWN)

S. McKay	84	81	79	244
Byron	79	67	81	227
Longmar	68	69	75	212
Brown	73	110	85	268
Healey	90	86	82	258
	394	413	402	1209

D (CAPT. GIBNEY)

Cuniff	70	85	76	231
DsCosta	64	75	69	208
Stevens	90	78	75	241
Gibney	81	90	90	261
Robinson	95	84	89	268
	400	412	399	1211

F (CAPT. MacKAY)

S. York	85	89	87	261
Barnes	48	69	49	166
Hinckley	89	80	84	253
A. MacKay	85	72	81	238
Kalson	81	78	82	241
	388	388	383	1159

A (CAPT. MULLEN.)

Canty	103	78	98	279
Deneen	57	62	95	208
Lecco	78	85	78	241
Haynes	73	77	75	225
Mullen	83	108	94	285
	394	410	434	1238

E (CAPT. IRVING.)

Cahill	86	78	78	242
Heald	67	83	74	224
Provost	74	75	71	220
Irving	89	71	82	242
Wilson	98	91	100	289
	414	398	405	1217

DOCK QUESTION TO BE PROBED

Citizens Will Have Chance to Present Views

The public hearing on the question of a site for a public dock will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Thursday evening before the City Council and Citizens' committee. Under the original order the powers of the committee were limited to the selection of a site, but under the resolve passed at Monday night's meeting the committee is now impowered to consider the advisability of establishing a dock as well as the question of a site.

Q. H. S. BASKET BALL.

The rivalry between the classes of the Quincy high school was keen on Monday afternoon when the class basket ball games were played in the gym. Capt. Safford's 1913 team walloped Capt. Jenkin's 1914 team by the large score of 41 to 3. Capt Hamlin's 1916 met a similar fate at the hands of Capt. Hadlock's five who put it over with a 31 to 2 score.

The games were of especial interest inasmuch as they were expected to be the means of causing more candidates to appear. Undoubtedly the school team will be picked from the teams which play this afternoon.

L. La Rose will in all probability do the coaching for the year. He has had good success in all his Y. M. C. A. athletic connections and the students are greatly pleased with the choice that has been made. Many of the characteristics of the boys are well known to Coach La Rose and he will readily understand how to overcome obstacles to individuals as well as to the team.

GRANITE CONVENTION

(Continued from Page One.)

It was shortly after six o'clock when the body marched into the new dining hall on the ground floor which has just been fitted up. The scene was a decidedly pleasant and attractive one. The tables with their silver and glass ware were further beautified by ferns and cut flowers. An orchestra furnished music during the progress of the banquet.

There was little time wasted in preliminaries at a word from President Joseph A. Diack, every one was seated and presently quite diligently discussing the following menu:

Oysters
Soups
Mock Turtle, A l'Anglaise. Consomme
Olives Radishes
Baked Halibut Delmonico
Duchess Potatoes
Roast Rhode Island Turkey,
Cranberry Sauce
Delmonico Potatoes Green Peas
Roman Punch
Fried Bananas, Southern Style
Rice Souffle, Au Bordeaux
Frozen Pudding, Vanilla Ice Cream
Assorted Cheese, Toasted Crackers
Demi Tasse.

Seated at the head table were toastmaster Alfred O. Diack, president of the association; Seward Jones, president of the National Association of the Granite Industries; Robert D. Smith, secretary of the National Association of Granite Manufacturers, Rupert F. Claflin, Wellington Mitchell, John L. Miller, James Joss, Thomas J. Dunphy, John Q. A. Field, Frank Morrison, Hon. William T. Shea, Edward Marnock, Peter J. Cahill, James E. Burke of the Monumental News.

Among others present were Patrick W. Driscoll, John Igo, Frederick Barnicoat, Andrew Milne, Jr., Richard Bishop, John Goldbranson, Edward Pierce, Alexandie Howie, William Birnie, James Reed, Thomas Bishop, Joseph Walker, William C. Adrian, James H. Elcock, Neil Anderson, Charles Leander, James C. Murray, Peter T. Fallon, Ernest Bizzozero Walter M. Jackson, Oscar Djerf, Charles H. Hardwick, Joseph Malnati, Richard T. Clark.

John C. Ballou, Thomas Milne, Archibald Grassick, Angus D. Martin, Lewis J. White, Louis K. Badger, Patrick Mannix, Harry McGrath, William Farquharson, Joel Moorehouse, Stanley Collins, William McIntosh, James McIntosh, George S. Murray, Roland Hughes, James Robbie James Smith, Armand Vendret, James Mavers, Robert Mavers, Alexander Emslie.

Edward J. Sandberg, Daniel F. Fitzgerald, David J. Farrell, James Hector, Charles Bishop, J. P. Smoots, Forbes Craig, Charles Hutt, John Clark, Alexander Kirkland, William Smith, Patrick Flannagan, Alfred Bishop, Robert Craig, James C. Desmond, William Deacon, Walter Deacon, Harry H. Jenkins, Oscar Peterson, Lawrence Butler, William J. McLeod, William Richards, Gus Lundberg, Thomas W. Cole, George B. Howie, Herbert Collins, William Gellotte, Denis Leahy, Andrew McIntosh, Jr., John Horrigan, John Pearson George Prout, Alfred Watters, Joseph Bishop, Joseph Casna, William T. Spargo, Richard Prout, August Johnson, Joseph B. Grossman, William G. Spargo, J. S. Swingle, Albert L. Hayden, George F. Collier and J. McLaughlin of Granite, Marble and Bronze.

Dinner ended a post prandial exercises were in order. President Diack welcomed all present, thanked the association for the courtesy of re-electing him president, and held out hopes for a brighter and more prosperous future. He sounded an optimistic note all through.

It was not a frivilous gathering. It was an assembly of hard headed business men, who were gathered for the purpose of talking business and the lighter things did not enter into consideration. The speakers included, Steward W. Jones, president of the National association, Rupert F. Claflin, John L. Miller, Hon. William T. Shea and John Q. A. Fields.

All of them spoke briefly but entertainingly. They showed that they appreciated the oft tortured phrase, "Brevity is the soul of wit," and they lived up to that tradition from all its angles. They did not waste words. They all talked sense. What they had to say they said it without unnecessary verbiage or frills and when they finished one felt that each one had said something worth retaining.

President Jones, of the National Association referred to the aggravations which are time and time appearing in the trade. Things which were unavoidable yet had to be met. He urged a unity of action and purpose on the part of the granite manufacturers which could only resolve itself into good and benefit for the entire industry. He told of the manner in which figuring was done in Scotland and other places and left it for the association to determine upon something which would be better than all he referred to yet and be able to meet the problem fairly.

Rupert F. Claflin said the question confronting the manufacturers was that of co-operation in increasing the value of their product and frowning on men who cut under. He said he was glad Quincy was the home of moderately comfortable men who worked hard to make a decent living and closed by asking the dealers to continue in a more friendly basis.

John L. Miller, was introduced as our next mayor. He replied that he had been listening to this taffy some time and that it brought him nothing. "Some day," he said, "I am going up to Common street and ask "Bill" Shea how it is done." (applause).

He said a delegation had gone to the Detroit convention to secure the 1913 convention for Boston and he read a telegram from President Fred R. Stewart of the National Association which confirmed the action of the convention in naming Boston. The announcement was loudly applauded.

He further said that Mayor Fitzgerald and the Chamber of Commerce were hand in glove in extending a welcome to the granite men and said that if Quincy did not arise to the occasion its dealers deserved no patronage.

Toastmaster Diack next introduced "Bill"" Shea who said he would tell Mr. Miller all about how to be mayor some day, but not here before this great crowd. He said the council had recognized the demand for a public dock and asked for a large attendance at the public hearing Dec. 12. He thought the Granite Manufacturers Association should not be called upon to guarantee anything since some of their business will be given as well as other business. The city he felt, could secure a rental equal to the money invested and as a whole does not realize the importance of it.

He went again on record as favoring a two year Mayor's term, a council of nine members, and favored the Mayor as chairman ex-officio of the school committee.

John Q. A. Fields was the last speaker. He brought the message from the old to the new field of operations. He pictured the industry as he knew it, the wharves, the water front, the dock facilities, and the vessels employed. In closing he assured those present that he was not opposed to a public dock if it was deemed necessary and found to be productive of good, but in the light of past events, he should have to be convinced that the benefits were certain to arrive before he would favor the project. It was nine o'clock when the assembly arose and sang "Auld Lang Syne," and every one then left for home.

The committee in charge of the banquet and to whom much credit is due for its success, included: Joseph A. Diack, Francis Morrison, and Thomas J. Dunphy.

The officers elected at the business meeting were:

President—Joseph A. Diack.
Vice-President—Francis Morrison.
Treasurer—James Joss.
Secretary—Thomas J. Dunphy.
Executive committee—Joseph A. Diack, Francis Morrison, James Joss, Thomas J. Dunphy, Thomas Bishop, Joseph Walker, Andrew Johnson, Edward Marnock, George Clark, and John C. Murray.
Membership Committee—P. J. Cahill, P. W. Mannix, Joseph Casna, Richard Bishop and Alex D. Smith.

BRIEFS

Mrs. H. H. Kitson opened her studio this afternoon to members of the Quincy Women's club that they might have the pleasure of inspecting her latest piece of sculpture.

There is to be an evening of Scotch readings and recitations at the Quincy Mansion school Friday evening by Mr. John Anderson and Miss Mary Anderson.

Among those in court Tuesday was one Henry Moffatt of Milton for drunkenness. The court imposed a sentence of one month in the house of correction and then suspended sentecce. Immediately after court Moffatt began to fill up again and early this morning he was found disrobing on one of the streets, believing that he was at home and that he was going to bed. When he appeared in court this morning he was on the verge of delirim termens, and the court continued the case until Thursday morning to see if he would sober up.

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Jones Objected and the Affair Will Be in Court

Harry Jones of Weymouth was arraigned in court this morning for assaulting Edward Sanford. The assault is alleged to have taken place last November although a complaint was not brought until this month. The assault is alleged to have grown out of a dispute because Sanford brought a skunk skin into the house. Sanford declared that the piece of skunk skin which he brought into the house did not smell bad but Jones claimed it did smell so loud that his boarders threatened to leave.

According to Sanford, Jones came up behind him after some argument and gave him one behind the ear. He thought best not to bring a charge of assault at that time. A few days ago however Jones refused to allow him to get any water and threatened to knock his block off if he did not keep away. The court continued the case until Jan. 31.

FIRST IN SERIES.

The first of a series of socials by the Neckern Choral society was given at Protection hall, Tuesday evening. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight and refreshments were served.

The committee in charge was Mrs. Selma Johnson, chairman; Miss Hilda Nyman, Miss Esther Anderson, Eric Mortenson, Carl Swensen.

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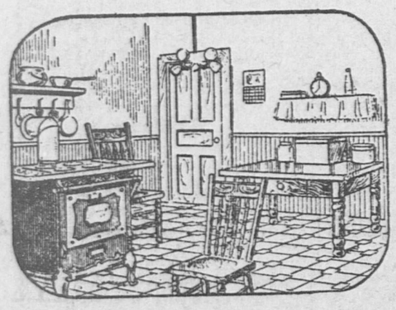
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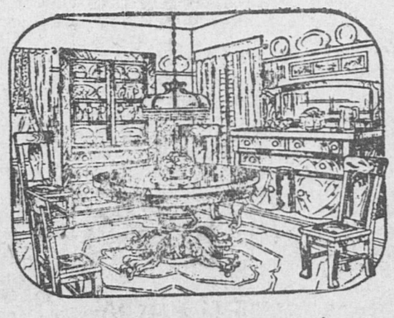
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COMMITTEE FIVE TO FOUR WOULD LET DOWN TAX BARS

Minority Would Establish a $15 Limit to Meet Present Emergency

Opinion Divided as to the Best Plan to Solve Problem

By a vote of 5 to 4 the joint special Legislative Committee on Municipal Finance declared Wednesday for the abolition of statutory limit of municipal taxes. In other words, the committee voted to repeal the law of 1885 which imposed the tax limit of $12 on the municipalities of the Commonwealth, Boston being exempt.

The consensus of opinion of the committee was that if any limit was to be continued it should be $15 instead of $12.

The vote was as follows:

For Abolition of the Tax Limit—Representatives Alvin E. Bliss of Malden (House chairman,) Alexander Holmes of Kingston, Andrew P. Doyle of New Bedford, Martin Hays of Boston, Timothy J. Meade of Brockton.

Against Abolition—Senators George H. Newhall of Lynn (chairman), Frederick M. Hersey of Hingham, Joseph P. Lomasney of Boston and Representative John C. Mahoney of Worcester.

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Fore River Lodge Will Have 15 In Class Initiation

BANQUET TO FOLLOW

The committee on class initiation of Fore River Lodge, I. O. O. F. M. W. met Friday night and made the final arrangements for the same. The class initiation takes place Saturday night at 8 P. M. in Protection Hall, Johnson's Block. There will be about 15 candidates.

The initiatory staff of the Waltham lodge is to do the work, about 17 members on the staff and they are coming over the road in autos.

The meeting will start at 6.30 P. M. so to have all the business over when the staff arrives. The district Grand Master and suite will be present and members of the Dorchester, Cambridge, Waltham, Milford, Irving and Natick lodges will also attend. There will be a banquet after the class initiation, speech making and a social hour with an entertainment.

BIGGEST GAIN BY MACKAY

Williams Passes 10,000 Mark and Hunt Gains

VOTES FOR MANY OTHERS

A. R. MacKay of Atlantic, the Heptasoph candidate, made the largest gain in the Washington contest of the Daily Ledger today, and is well up in the list. Good gains were also made by Fred Williams, Sturgis Hunt, Galen Bowditch, Miss Morrissett, Ambrose O'Dowd, Mary S. Summers, Hannah Sandberg, Michael P. Barry and others. Williams has passed the 10,000 mark.

Relative to the comments of the Contest Editor on the Woman's Suffrage platform of Sam Shellman, the latter replies as follows

Contest Editor:

In your comment upon my platform and policies you have ventured where angels dare not tread. In fairness to myself and to those whose rights I am to defend (if successful) I feel it my duty to encrouch once more upon your valuable time and space.

Out of deference for the feelings of my companion, I could not take the public into my confidence. You know dear sir, that the governor of Alabama said that the "First thought of a manly man or a womanly woman, was a consideration for the feelings of others." So out of consideration I must refrain from mentioning names.

There is but "one shaver" in my family and he you perhaps know too well.

As to the industrial question, I must say I'm obliged to go at that phase with fear and trembling, I can best answer that question by recalling to your mind, the action of a jury,

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DORCAS FAIR BIG SUCCESS

Closing Night Marked By Clever Amateur Performance

Wednesday night in the Universalist vestry the Weymouth Dramatic club presented the farce in one act, entitled Done on Both Sides, with the following cast of characters: Mr. Whiffles, Lyman C. Williams; Mr. John Brownjohn, Fred Phillips; Mr. Pygmalion Phibs, Franklin P. Whitten; Mrs. Whiffles, Carrie S. Robinson; Lydia, F. Adelaide Whitten.

Frequent applause greeted the performers and all carried their parts well. The role of Pybmalion Phibbs played by Franklin P. Whitten was a difficult part to portray but he was extremely successful in his conception of the character. This was the last night of the Dorcas society fair and the remaining articles on the tables were quickly sold. Mrs. Geo. F. Spooner, president of the society had general charge of the fair, and through her faithful and untiring work and that of her assistants the success of the undertaking is due.

SWITZERLAND THE BEAUTIFUL

Theme of Illustrated Lecture by Edward N. Schnerck

Many excellent views were shown by Edward N. Schnerch of Boston, at a largely attended meeting of the Bethany church Brotherhood, Wednesday evening, when he gave an illustrated lecture on Switzerland. Mr. Schnerch was born in that country, but is now a master in the Boston schools. He recently made a tour of Europe with friends and his talk included the ocean voyage with glimpses of England, Holland and Germany as well as Switzerland. His familiarity with the Swiss country and the people made the lecture particularly interesting. Rev. B. A. Willmott, the president presided, and Edward Southworth introduced the speaker. Ice cream and cake were served.

S. V. AUXILIARY CHOSE LEADERS

Officers Who Will Conduct Women's Lodge for the Year

The annual election of officers of the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, was held Wednesday evening, when the following officers were elected:

President—Abbie Our.
Vice-president—Annie E. Merritt.
Treasurer—Emma Ela.
Chaplain—Ethel French.
Guide—Idella Savage.
Assistant Guide—Delphine Kidder.
Patriotic Instructor—Cora Johnson.
Inside Guard—Alice McNeil.
Outside Guard—Clara Stoddard.
Color Guards—Jennie Hayden and Luella Thayer.
Trustees—Delphine Kidder, Alice McNeil and Mildred Dexheimer.

MUSIC LOVERS PLEASED.

One of the treats given lovers of music in Quincy, was Prof. Frank Wrigley's organ recital at the Christ church on Wednesday evening. By request, he played "The Storm," and his interpretation exceeded the expectations of those present. Members of the parish and friends attended in large numbers.

Solo numbers were rendered by J. W. McLeod of London, England, who is visiting here. He sang "O Lamb of God," "Ever Safe with God," and "The Publican."

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BOY PROBLEM DIFFICULT ONE

F. H. Duckles Advocates Sunday Sports For Boys

URGES BIG BROTHER IDEA

"The Boys Problem" was the topic discussed at the meeting of the Parents-Teachers Association of the Adams school at their assembly hall Tuesday evening, by Frederick M. Duckles, Field Secretary of the Federated Boy's Clubs.

The meeting opened with songs by Miss Hernan's class who sang "The First Christmas," "Song of Home Work," "Santa Claus," and the "Doll Song."

President Robert E. Foy introduced the speaker who related his experiences with this problem.

Mr. Duckles said that there were as many problems as boys, that we had the parent's, policeman's, neighbors' teacher's and boy's problems. He said that the three causes were leisure time, broken homes and defective children.

With regard to leisure time he said that parents did not know how to meet it because regular home duties did not demand attention and therefore a policeman is obliged to deal with it.

The broken home is the most serious and divorce, the effect of the imprisonment of one or both parents, and such influences had bearing on the boys' conduct. Juvenile court records, demonstrated that the lack of a strong masculine influence was bad.

He cited instances of the home environment, parents disagreeing and other incidents, and said children learn through example. He decried cigarette smoking and said that he knew of boys who dropped it because it affected their athletic prowness.

Defective children, should not be blamed, but they increase the complexity of the problem. He knew that we were bound to have criminals but juvenile courts show, he said, that delinquent children are much to blame. The question of how to meet the problem, in summer and winter, is being solved by cities. Investigations showed that delinquent children were often the product of idleness and that more criminality stalks afoot in the summer when the teacher is not in control.

Summer gardening, with a trophy for neatness and product, had been successful in concentrating the mind of the child and camps in the woods, where boys could get close to nature were a grand thing. He related some of the questions asked by the boys and said that an unusual line of inquiry followed such visits.

He said that the work being done in the West was by the cities and in the East through private means. He mentioned the benefits accruing from

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PROBATION SYSTEM WORKING WELL FOR DRUNKS IN COURT

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Judge Avery Would Like Business Men to Aid in Uplift Move

One of the many good points in the probation system as practiced in the Quincy court is shown by the annual report of the Probation officer for the year ending last month. Before the probation system was inaugurated the practice was that if a small fine was imposed for drunkenness, or a similar offense, and the party fined, did not have the ready money he went to the house of correction to work it out. This not only placed his family in straitened circumstances while he was confined, but imposed a sort of humiliation upon the party, that did not tend toward his reformation. Under the present system however, thep lan has been if a man did not have the money to pay his fine the court suspended sentence and allowed time to pay the fine, on what might be called the installment system.

In other words the offender is placed under the care of the Probation officer, to whom he reports every week, and to whom he pays a weekly stipend of $1 until the fine imposed has been liquidated. In this manner the humiliation of having served time in jail is obviated and the family of the man has the benefit of his support during the probation period.

The extent to which this system has worked out in the East Norfolk district may be better understood when it is known that during the last fiscal year nearly $3,000 was paid to the Probation officer in fines on the installment system. As a man is supposed to remain in jail one day for every fifty cents of a fine it can readily be seen how many days service in

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MRS. CARA NEARLY ENDED CAREER BY TAKING SUBLIMATE TABLETS

In the Dark She Mistook Them For Medicine Ordered By Her Physician

Prompt Action of Husband and Doctor Saved Her Life

Mrs. John Cara, who took a corrosive sublimate tablet by mistake Monday night and was removed to the Quincy City Hospital is today doing well and will probably be discharged within a few days fully recovered.

About 11.15 Monday night she decided to retire, and after bidding her husband good night went to her room. In the dark she took a box of tablets from a shelf and placed one in her mouth thinking they were medicine which her doctor prescribed.

The unusual taste made her feel that all was not well and she called her husband. He found her violently ill and immediately ran to the home of Dr. W. E. Sargent.

Dr. Sargent applied first aid treatment and ordered her removed to the hospital in the police ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Cara live in the rear of Welsh block and are the parents of two children. Both were born in Italy and came here a few years ago. The husband is engaged in the fruit business.

CONCERT POSTPONED.

The concert of the Wollaston Glee club, which was to have been held, December 18th, has been postponed until January 14th.

FIRE MARK AT FORE RIVER

Will No Longer Be a Mark for the Incendiary Brand

WILL BE TORN DOWN

The building on Sargents lane occupied by William G. Solomon and which has been the scene of numerous incendiary fires of late, will soon be no more for the building is to be torn down and sold for old lumber. A few days ago the Fore River Co. who own the building, sent one of its men to examine the building to see what repairs were necessary for the winter. His report to the President showed that the expense of the repairs was more than the building was actually worth, and the order went forth to tear it down and sell the old lumber.

CHRISTMAS

Gifts for Men

CHRISTMAS comes but once a year 'tis true, and it is none the less a fact that Christmas is only **one day** out of the year. So the Christmas gift to be **ideal** should be useful **throughout** the year to remind us of the single, happy gift Day.

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Tosca must be changed to meet with the approval of the Boston opera going people. As they pay the freight no one objects to their having the thing to their liking.

Apropos of the indignation of Mayor Fitzgerald that the Boston Americans are supported by Boston people and a Boston man should be secretary how many of the players even hail from New England, how much of the stock is owned in Boston, do Boston people have a voice in the management of the club and was it not possible to find a man somewhere around Boston who knew a thing or two about running Boston schools?

When it comes to importing talent few have a thing on the versatile mayor.

Mr. White rather put his foot in it at Washington, but later apologized. How does the "old boy" feel over the first public appearance of his economic board chairman?

The Boston street commissioners are hugging themselves that their "don'ts" work well. Wait until the last few days before Christmas when the rush commences as usual.

No one should be backward in stepping forward and expressing an opinion with regard to the public dock proposition at the hearing tonight.

The Hon. Mr. Shea admits he has hobbies, but as they are common sense and practical he is forgiven.

Alabama has had another lynching bee. Has the governor any appropriate remarks to make befitting the occasion?

Why indeed should Germany take any notice if an American officer decides to take a fling at poetry even if the feathers of some German officer are ruffled.

Another New England base ball league has been started. It will be known as Class G., it will not be a great while before an N is placed in front of the G.

One paper rises to remark that while the Gridiron club exists a dictator in this country would be laughed off the map. The Gridiron club takes itself too seriously. There are a great many Dictators today, but nothing has been said about their being laughed off the map. They are husky personages of untold wealth and they come pretty near getting what they want.

Harness up the Mississippi and utilize the power and then there will be less damage from floods.

By the time the doctors get through with Copely square it will be hard to tell if the place is afoot or a horseback.

The plans as presented look like a nice piece of irregular crochet work.

Franchises in the past have been freely given. In the future a proper value should be placed upon them and the seeker made to produce.

GOING TO EXTREMES.

Communities as well as people are liable to go to extremes in the carrying out of certain things which may be styled hobbies. The city beautiful is the great cry of the period, yet in every city, the same dirty old, bill boards with the same flaming signs are beheld on every hand. Just now Boston is passing through a spasm looking towards the beautifying of Copley square. A well kept green plot with a few fine trees would be all the adornment necessary.

Thousands of dollars could be thrown away on the adornment of this particular spot of Boston, which would cripple the public service and in no way be of great benefit to the public, which could be expected to good advantage in putting streets in the tenement house districts of the city, particularly around the North End and Atlantic avenue, so that they would not be tortuous to the feet of the poor weary down in the heel person who has to travel them. By the way there was not so much clamor for this change of Copely square until recently, since a new hotel has found its lodgement there. It would be more humane and christian like to clean up and improve those streets of the poorer districts than add extravagant adornment to a section already very passable.

SUNDAY SPORTS FOR BOYS.

Frederick H. Duckles who lectured before the Adams school Parents-Teachers association, undoubtedly knows a lot about the boy problem from his contact with so many but there are a great many people who would honestly differ with him and take strong exceptions to his views, when he advocates Sunday sports for boys. The boys of the present period have an abundant of sports. If anything there is too much tendency in that direction to be productive of any great good for their future. They have afternoons and Saturdays and they can very well get along without the sporting field on the Sabbath. Mr. Duckles' suggestion that it would keep them away from craps and other vices, is hardly to be considered. There may be obscure cases where youths turn to such effort. Of the majority this cannot hold true. If it should why the whole social structure is undermined. When one seriously states that Sunday sports must be provided to keep boys from evil and pernicious ways, it is time that the boys were put some place out of the way of temptation or the evils to which his feet are led completely removed.

China is doing good work in killing the opium habit. We would blush to say we could not accomplish what a Chinaman can accomplish. If the boys are in danger from craps then eliminate the craps and at the outset, prohibit the manufacture, sale or importation of the most vicious form of gambling in existence today.

CLEVER YOUNG DANCERS.

Miss Esther Gordon entertained 25 of her young friends at her home 22 Guild street Monday evening the occasion being her tenth birthday. The house was tastefully decorated with holly and evergreen. The table was very attractive, a large birthday cake adorned the centre and streamers of red and green were festooned to each cover on which were some very pretty favors. A pleasing entertainment took place on which Miss Violet Smith rendered several selections on the piano. A "snow dance" was given by Miss Dorothy Smith and Miss Esther Gordon gave a "butterfly dance."

NEWMAN TRAVEL TALK.

The fourth Newman travel talk will be given at Symphony Hall, Boston, on Friday evening and Saturday afternoon, Dec. 13 and 14. It will include a tour through Eastern Germany from "Munich to Berlin." Historic Eisenach, Munich with its monuments and museums, Bayreuth, where Lizt and Wagner composed many of their masterpieces—Hildesheim and Nuremberg antique cities; Weimar, the home of Goehe and Schillert; Leipsic, the bookbinding centre of the world, and Berlin, the modern capital, will all be included in the itinerary. In response to many requests Mr. Newman will again show his remarkable motion pictures of a storm on the North Sea which created such a furor.

New Haven Has $50,000 Fire

New Haven, Dec. 12.—Fire in a four-story factory building on Park street wrecked the building, burning out several small manufacturing concerns. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

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PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

The Public Library has gradually been adding to its shelves copies of the Musicians Library, which many people have already enjoyed. In order to fill all demands for both instrumental and vocal music, a new collection has just been selected including many of the famous opera scores, piano compositions for beginners as well as the advanced student, and songs for all voices. The following list covers all the music now in circulation which will be loaned to any borrower for two weeks without renewal.

Next week Thursday a list of books about music, and musicians will be published in this column.

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YUCATAN LITTLE KNOWN COUNTRY

All Soul's Church Men's Club Heard Lecture on the Subject

The December meeting of the Men's club of All Soul's church, Braintree was held in the parish hall, Wednesday evening with a very large attendance. A pleasing touch were the huge bouquets of carnations on the head table. Supper was served at 6.30 o'clock the hot roast beef being only the forerunner of many good things including cabbage salad, fried parsnips, coffee, rolls, celery and some Indian pudding which was conceded by all to be a dish fit for the gods.

The speaker of evening was Professor Alfred M. Tozzer of Harvard University who gave a lecture illustrated by stereopticon views on "Yucatan; its people and its monuments." The professor spent several years in this little known part of the world studying the evidences of a prehistoric civilization as shown by the ruins of cities, temples, etc.

Professor Tozzer's remarks were highly interesting and instructive and illumined by flashes of dry wit which greatly pleased his hearers. The slides were of a fine variety and showed to what extent civilization must have advanced in this land in centuries past.

There were shown the ruins of huge temples covered with wonderful carvings and hieroglyphic inscriptions the ancient structures being sometimes nearly buried by the rank growth of tropical vegetation which greatly impedes the work of exploration and of excavation.

The vault style of construction peculiar to these strange peoples showed that the arch was an unknown factor in building. The grotesque and intricate decorations of the temples was a most curious sight.

The ancient manners and customs as depicted in the picture writings are still carried out by the natives of Yucatan but the people are absolutely ignorant of the meaning of the ruins. This seems to prove that they are descended from the slaves and that the learned people or priests who understood the writings were all killed by the Spanish conquerors who wished to stamp out a heathen religion.

Professor Tozzer's remarks showed him to be master of his subject and an authority second to none. His efforts were rewarded with long and loud applause which was redoubled when it was stated that although suffering from a sore throat he had delivered four other lectures during the day before coming to Braintree. After a committee report the meeting was adjourned at nine o'clock.

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SCHOOLS OF THE PRESENT DAY

Discussed by Mr. Boyden Before Coddington Association

A large number attended the meeting of the Parents-Teachers Association of the Coddington school in the assembly hall Wednesday evening. Arthur C. Boyden, Principal of the Bridgewater Normal School spoke on "Schools of Today."

The Quincy high school glee club sang the "Winter Song" and a double quartet rendered "The Rosary" with J. Lawrence Martin as the soloist. Miss Emma A. Perkins, director of music in the public schools rendered three solos. "The Four Leaf Clover," "The Night has a Thousand Eyes," and "The Nightingale has a Lyre of Gold" She was accompanied by Miss Ethel Humphrey.

Mr. Boyden opened with a description of teaching by the old system and compared it with the present day. He said that vocational suggestion was the idea on which the pupil developed.

The schools are trying to open the door of life to every child so that he may get as much as possible out of it. Parents are striving and working hard to give children more education than they themselves had. The main idea of teaching is to get the child to think straight. All large questions can be solved if the essentials are figured out and the child is being taught this principle.

The schools are also trying to aid the pupils by having them do something, the exhibition of which is a source of gratification to the observers and satisfaction to the performer.

To have children appreciate the best things in life is another feature of school life on which Mr. Boyden dwelt at length. He spoke of the back to nature studies, the observation classes conducted by teachers in general, the explaining of the beauties of music and the lecturing on art in all its phases and forms. He said he believed that a Victor talking machine, producing the best selections of noted composers would have a good effect on school children in classes that would never be effaced.

In closing he said that teachers were trying to train the children habits which are necessary to success. He spoke of building up character so that punctuality, silence, obedience, order and industry would be the rule of life.

Mr. Boyden said the teaching of religion was barred from school rooms but that truth, justice, patriotism, sympathy and self control was very close to religion and a man possessing such qualities could not be a barnacle to the progress of his neighborhood.

Refreshments were served by Miss Elizabeth Pope, Miss Mary Bragdon, Miss Ethel Marsh, Mrs. Cyrus T. Sherman, Mrs. Alex Russell and Mrs. C. F. Rassmussin.

INSTALLATION OF DIVISIONS

Hibernians Plan a Triple Event In January

At the annual meeting of Division 5, A. O. H., at Hibernian hall Wednesday evening five candidates were initiated and 10 applications received. New officers were elected and plans completed for a joint installation at Hibernian hall, Jan. 8 at which the new officers of Div. 17 of Atlantic and Div. 5 will be inducted into office.

The officers elected were:

President—Patrick J. Ferguson.

Vice President—Daniel Mannix.

Financial Secretary—David M. Warner.

Recording Secretary — James M. Cantfill.

Treasurer—Edward Powers.

Sentinel—James Doherty.

Sargent-at-Arms—Daniel J. Donahue.

Division Physician—Dr. George M. Sheehan.

Standing Committee — Thomas Welch, chairman, W. Shang, C. Sullivan, D. Shea, J. Kelley and W. O'Shaughnessey.

PARTY POSTPONED.

The Whist party of the Town River Yacht club, set down for this evening has been postponed owing to the death of Mrs. William E. Lee, wife of one of the members of the club.

Capital $150,000. Surplus $200,000

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FLIP OF A CARD SHOWS WINNER

Granite City Club Planning For Christmas Eve

Ten tables were in play Wednesday evening at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City club. The usual twenty-five hands were played after which the committee served a lunch, including hot frankfurts, saurkraut, hot rolls and coffee. The best score was made by H. E. Child. John Curtis and F. E. Wharton were a tie for the second position and a turn of the card gave the prize to Mr. Curtis.

The entertainment committee is planning for its annual Christmas entertainment the night before the holiday. Just what form the entertainment will take this year has not been announced as yet.



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IN OPPOSITE DIRECTIONS.

Chief Litchfield responded in his car at 4.45 Wednesday afternoon for a grass fire on the old golf links at Montclair. About the same time the auto chemical of the central station responded on a still alarm for a lively woods fire in the rear of the Kelliher estate off Quincy avenue.

DISTRICT COURT.

James Meany was fined $5 and $10 on two complaints for drunkenness at Quincy.

William Oswell, Jr., was fined $5 and $3 costs on two complaints for drunkenness at Quincy.

The case of Joseph Sylvia for assault on his brother Charles was continued on probation until Jan. 31.

Harry Jones was arraigned for assault on Edward Sanford at Weymouth. Case continued until Jan. 31.

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EVENING SCHOOLS.

The evening industrial classes will close their term of 20 nights on or before the close of the regular term Dec. 18, as will also the evening drawing class and the commercial courses. The schools for non-English speaking people will continue for a few weeks in January after the opening of the new term. The attendance at all these classes has been larger and more regular this winter than ever before in the history of the city. Petitions have been received by the school department from the members of all the high school classes asking for another term of 20 nights. These petitions are in the hands of the subcommittee on evening schools for reference to the school committee at the next meeting.

MUSIC SUPERVISOR RESIGNS.

Miss Emma A. Perkins for the past three years, a supervisor of music in the Quincy public schools has resigned her position to take effect at the close of the present term. Miss Perkins has worked hard and faithfully in the schools of the city and has successfully inaugurated the Weaver or individual method of teaching in the elementary grade. The several musical organiaztions at the High school have come in to being under her leadership and are doing earnest work. Miss Perkins resigns to teach or train college classes in the Weaver method of teaching.

MR. BOYDEN AT THE CODDINGTON

Mr. Boyden was welcomed at the Coddington school Wednesday night by large numbers of his former pupils who are now teaching in the schools of Quincy. As a matter of fact the majority of the teachers of Quincy are Bridgewater graduates and have enjoyed Mr. Boyden's inspiring teaching and training.

SCHOOL DECORATION.

During the past few weeks a large number of fine pictures have been added to several of the school buildings of the city, contributing much to the pupils' pleasures and profit. In addition the old pictures which came from the Wollaston building and which were hardly fresh enough for the walls of the new building have been freshened up and repaired by the boys in the schools and are now good for many more years of service in the new building.

CODDINGTON SCHOOL.

A very interesting and largely attended meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association was held in the Assembly Hall last evening.

Mr. Arthur C. Boyden, Principal of the Bridgewater Normal School, gave a most instructive address on "The Schools of Today." Mr. Boyden is a progressive educator and a keen observer of the demands of the times in the field of education. His many suggestions should prove helpful to both parents and teachers.

Miss E. A. Perkins sang most artistically a group of songs, accompnaied by Miss Ethel R. Humphrey, and the Quincy High School Glee Club rendered in a most pleasing manner several vocal selections. At the close of the program light refreshments and a social hour were enjoyed.

DANCING AND DINNER GOWNS.

Draperies and Fancy Sleeves—Sashes and Leather Belts—Brocades in Fascinating Patterns and Materials—New Jewelry.

From now on festivities come thick and fast and all the world of womenkind is interested especially in "fussy frocks" that go to dinners, dances and all sorts of other functions big and little. Draperies and fancy sleeves are features or gowns of this sort and as the little dressmaker in the home or out can now procure satisfactory simple patterns for these, it is not difficult to turn over pretty, modish loking outfits at a moderate cost. Slight drapings are pretty even where velvets or cloths are employed, and the softer silks and combination fabrics woven especially with reference to their draping qualities make up beautifully in the more elaborately draped models. Home makers will, however, do well not to attempt too complicated drapery and to follow the pattern marks closely in models selected, for nothing is quite so unattractive as badly managed drapery lines.

LEATHER BELTS.

Paris set the style of using leather belts with all sorts of handsome silk and velvet coats and frocks as well as with cloths and woolens and the shops are showing no end of pretty styles in these desirable fixings. Belts are best perhaps with tailored dresses and blouses of Russian persuasion, but the girls wear them with almost anything and look so attractive that one can only admire the effect, hence a smart belt is sure to be an acceptable gift if the waist of the recipient is under 30 inches. Silk belts and sashes are good looking for all size figures, as they can be draped or dipped to increase apparent width or slenderness and figured silks and Bengalines vie with moire for these, nor is velvet out of the running for this use.

NEW JEWELRY

The old time jewelry of silver filagree is again fashionable and lovely necklaces in daisy and other flowers forms are to be had in silver and silver gilt. Garnet clusters are also very much in favor and one can get bracelets, brooches, earrings, necklaces and pendants in these stones, in a great variety of designs. Bracelet watches are popular also, and are to be had at all sorts of prices and "Pomanders" little pierced boxes of silver, or gold that hold a cotton pad is perfumed with one's special essence, are another "new" old favorite.

Verona Clark.

New York, Dec. 10, 1912.

Can you think of a better Christmas present to give your family than a year's subscription to the Quincy Daily Ledger? Just think of it, when you subscribe for the Ledger it means pleasure for you each day of the coming year and only costs $5.00. Start the year right, don't go to bed during 1913 until you have read the newsy little "home daily." tf

H. C. R. JOYCE IS EXPECTED

To Officiate at the Foresters Installation

The Irish National Foresters elected officers at Hibernian hall, Tuesday evening. Reports show the local to be on a firm financial basis. The installation will be on Jan. 14, and it is probable that High Chief Ranger Martin Joyce of Charlestown will direct the ceremonies.

The following were elected:

Chief Ranger—Thomas Rogan.
Vice Chief Ranger—James Morrissey, Sr.
Treasurer—James M. Cantfill.
Financial Secretary—Daniel Scully.
Recording Secretary—Richard J. Gray.
Woodwards—John McNeil, Cornelius Driscoll.
Senior Beadle—John Curry.
Junior Beadle—Patrick Monahan.
Court Physician—Dr. John H. Ash.

HYDE ADMITTED TO BAIL

Certificate of Reasonable Doubt Granted After Sentence

New York, Dec. 12.—Charles H. Hyde, former city chamberlain, convicted of bribery in connection with the manipulation of city funds, was sentenced by Justice Goff to serve not more than three years and six months and not less than two years in state prison.

The justice, however, granted a certificate of reasonable doubt and issued a stay of sentence, agreeing to admit the prisoner to $25,000 bail, pending argument of his appeal.

TWO SUSPECTS HELD

Thought to Be Possible Slayers of a Farmer In Vermont

Bristol, Vt., Dec. 12.—Another man was taken into custody by the police, who are seeking the murderer of Henry Ward.

The suspect was found in the woods near Chimney Point, twelve miles from the scene of the crime. An Italian previously taken into custody is still detained.

Ward was found in his barn with his throat cut and a bruise on the side of his head. A pocketbook, which was said to contain considerable money, was missing.

Mexican Bandit Slain

Mexico City, Dec. 12.—Choche Campos, one of the most bloodthirsty bandits and insurrectos in southern Mexico, was killed in a quarrel with followers over loot.

DANIEL B. SNOW DIED IN MAINE

Was a Civil War Veteran and Lived In Quincy 14 Years

Quincy friends will regret to learn of the death of Daniel B. Snow, which occurred at his home in Vassalboro, Maine, December 1. Mr. Snow was born at Madison, Maine, Jan. 16, 1841. He enlisted for the civil war at Augusta, Maine, June 6, 1862 in the 16th Maine Infantry, Company G.

He was in the battles of Gettysburg, Chancellorsville, Antietam, and others, was taken prisoner and sent to Libby Prison where he remained six months.

The close of the war brought his discharge. He was twice wounded in battle. In 1869 he married Ellen C. Folsom of Augusta where they made their home for several years and where their children, two daughters were born.

From Augusta the family moved to Quincy, where they resided for fourteen years.

During their residence in Quincy, death entered the home in 1904 taking the youngest daughter, (Nellie Louise) Mrs. William H. Young.

On account of failing health Mr. and Mrs. Snow left Quincy three years ago and settled on a farm in Vassalboro, Maine.

For the last six months his health had been steadily failing but death came as a shock to relatives and friends.

A widow and daughter survive him.

PROBATION SYSTEM

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the County detention buildings has been saved.

This is but one of the plans that is being practiced in the East Norfolk court. Another plan is this. Occasionally a man is brought into court for a minor offense, such as drunkenness who is, so to speak, down and out. A man who no one seems to care anything about and who if some protecting care is not placed over him is liable to go from bad to worse.

In many of these cases the plan has been to place the man on probation for a period, of say, three months, during which time he must report weekly to the Probation officer. This is not all for the Probation officer makes an effort to get the man employment. Employment for many such men is found at the Fore River where the officers have been only too willing to cooperate with the Probation officer. The superintendent of the Rice & Hutchings shoe manufactory at Braintree has also cooperated in along this same line.

Judge Avery in conversation with a representative of the Ledger this morning said that he wished that he could get the business men of Quincy and towns in the East Norfolk district interested in this plan. That is interested to the extent that they would also be willing to co-operate with the court and find employment for some of the unfortunates who have arrived at that stage where they need help more than ever before and to have the right hand of friendship extended to them that they may be given an opportunity to become useful citizens.

There is no question but what the business men could aid wonderfully in this line of work if they would but become interested and it is hoped that such business men will take an inteerest in what the court is doing and not only visit the court and see for themselves but, meet Judge Avery and the Probation officer that they may become better acquainted with the work which the courts are trying to do, which is not to administer punishment but more in the line of reformation.

Of course there are some who it is almost useless to try and reform and make a man of, but these cases are in the minority. There are very few men, in whom there does not lurke a feeling that they would like to give up their present mode of living and try and do better, and it is these men that the court desires to extend the helping hand and for which it asks the co-operation of the business men of the district.

KNIGHTS OF MALTA SOCIAL.

John Adams Commandery, Knights of Malta, held a Christmas party at Protection hall, Wednesday evening. Dancing and games were enjoyed and refreshments were served. Music was furnished by Mellville's orchestra. The committee in charge was O. A. Barron, A. W. Coates, Robert Falconer and Frank Mellville.

LABOR MEN HOLD DANCE

Quincy League Have Annual Concert and Ball

The annual concert and ball of the Quincy Labor League Branch 8, was held at Music hall Tuesday evening.

The grand march was led by Miss Sadie Mader and Elmer Baker, followed by Samuel Wolfe and Miss Ida Katz, Abe Weinhouse and Mrs. Annie Weinhouse, William Asnes and Miss Rose Katz, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kapsis and 100 couples.

Dancing was enjoyed until two o'clock, supper being served in the banquet hall at intermission. Music was by Wilson's orchestra.

The officers of the ball were: Floor director, Samuel Wolfe; assistant, William Asnes; chief of aids, Phillip Kapsis, with the following aids, D. Baden, B. Schwatz, A. Tobin, A. Barry, H. Sollow, M. Goldstein, E. Sternberg, H. Rapoport, N. Sternberg, M. Weinstein, H. Katz and L. Bille. The committee includes Phillip Kapsis, chairman; D. Baden, secretary; D. Gurvitch, treasurer; I. Sternberg, W. Asness and A. Weinhouse.

The officers oft he league are A. Weinhouse, chairman; L. Diamond, secretary; Phillip Kapsis, recording secretary; D. Gurvitch, treasurer; A. Tobin, H. Rapoport and George Schwartz, board of trustees.

MOFFATT HAD BAD CASE OF D.T.

Wrecked Door in the Detention Room at Court House

Patrick Moffatt who was brought into court Wednesday on the verge of delirium tremens was still in bad shape when he was brought in again this morning and the court sent him to the house of correction for thirty days. Wednesday after arraignment he was taken down stairs and placed in the detention room, which is separated from the corridor by a wire door. When left alone, the man who is a blacksmith by occupation, seized the door and exerting his strength wrenched it from its hinges, and made a wreck of it. He was then taken to the police station where he was in the care of City Physician Ash during the day. This morning he was placed in one of the cells at the court room provided with a steel bar door that resisted his attacks upon it. He however succeeded in tearing down a toilet paper rack on the wall and would have wrecked anything else in the cell, if there had been anything there he could have got hold of.

LOCAL EAGLES ELECT OFFICERS

Adams Aerie Plans Big Initiation Next Week

John Adams Aerie, the local organization of Eagles, elected officers Wednesday evening at Electa hall. Final arrangements for the annual ball on Jan. 24 at Alpha hall were completed.

The Quincy degree team will install the officers of Brockton Aerie on Jan. 7.

A class initiation at which 50 candidates will be presented is scheduled for Dec. 18 at Electa and Protection halls.

The officers elected are:

President—John J. Feeley.
Vice-President—Harry Powell.
Secretary—John Bouden.
Chaplain—Harry Marr.
Treasurer—Michael Welch.
Trustees—John T. Larkin, John Powers, George Woodman.
Inside Guard—William Allen.
Outside Guard—William Shaw.

The entertainment committee is Gus Trettin, chairman, Harry Powell, Henry J. Langelier, J. J. Feeley, M. J. Boyle, Adam Slavin, Angus McArthur, George Woodman, William McCune, William J. Childs, J. T. Larkin, F. W. French and Philip Pitts.

READ LEDGER ADVS.

AGREEMENT IS MADE PUBLIC

Text of New Haven-Grand Trunk Deal Read to Committee

BEARS SIGNATURE OF MELLEN

Not Signed, However, by Chamberlin—Committee on Rules Likely to Recommend Investigation of Railroad Transportation In New England, According to Resolution

Washington, Dec. 12.—That an inquiry into the charge that the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company enjoys a monopoly of transportation facilities in New England will be recommended by the house committee on rules is the conclusion reached by those who have followed closely the hearings on Congressman O'Shaunessy's resolution that came to an end last night.

This resolution provides for the creation of a special committee of the house to investigate the transportation conditions in New England, with special attention to the charge that the New Haven road entered into negotiations with the Grand Trunk that contemplated a conspiracy in restraint of trade.

With the closing of testimony last night the committee took the case under advisement. The prospects are that it will vote in favor of a congressional investigation. Whether it will recommend that the work be done by a special committee or one of the standing committees of the house is a question that will be decided by the rules committee later.

An important development of the day incident to the hearing of the New Haven case was the production for publication in the record of the agreement with the Grand Trunk line that is alleged to be the basis of the violation of the anti-trust laws.

This document, a copy of the original that has been submitted to the grand jury in New York by order of Attorney General Wickersham, was presented to the house committee by E. G. Buckland, vice president of the New Haven road.

On its face the New Haven-Grand Trunk agreement appears to be only a traffic agreement under which the Canadian line was to be given access to certain tracks and terminals in exchange for a division of rates.

There is nothing in the document to show the Grand Trunk agreed to cease work on its proposed extension known as the Southern New England railway.

This agreement, which forms the basis for the pending proceedings before the grand jury in New York and directed against the New Haven road, has never been in operation. It was not signed by E. J. Chamberlin, president of the Grand Trunk. However, it bears the signature of C. S. Mellen, president of the New Haven.

Vice President Buckland could throw no light on the negotiations that resulted in the framing of the agreement. They were conducted, he said, by Mellen, who was perfectly willing at any time to tell the committee the story.

HUNDRED THOUSAND OUT

Man Who Drank Two Hot Rums Brings About Big Strike

London, Dec. 12.—The strike situation in northern England is becoming worse daily. One hundred thousand are idle. One-fifth of these are miners and the price of coal is to be raised, inflicting hardship upon the poor.

Will two hot rums intoxicate? That is the all-absorbing question growing out of the strike that is agitating England. Knox, the demoted engineman, who brought about the strike, in his appeal to Home Secretary McKenna, admitted he drank two hot rums before reporting for duty, but declared he was not drunk.

LAWYERS QUIT JOHNSON

Will Not Defend Him Because of His Marriage to White Woman

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Jack Johnson's attorneys, W. B. Anderson and E. H. Wright, appeared in the United States district court to ask that their names be stricken from the records as counsel for the fighter.

The lawyers, who are both negroes, said Johnson's recent marriage to Lucille Cameron, a white girl, was disapproved by them to an extent that they did not care to be longer associated with them.

To Fly Across the Atlantic

Cologne, Dec. 12.—Richard Beckman is building a hydro-aeroplane of extraordinary size, in which he says he will cross the Atlantic in forty-eight hours, starting from the Azores and landing at Halifax.

Earthquake Down East

Calais, Me., Dec. 12.—A slight earthquake lasting several seconds was felt here. The shock was preceded by a heavy rumbling noise. St. John and the surrounding country also was shaken.

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NONE SUCH SOUPS

Tomato
Tomato Okra
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Chicken
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The best recipe for making good soup: Add a can of boiling water to a can of None Such Soup, using the can as a measure. Heat to the boiling point and serve. Simple, and the same recipe makes 15 kinds—10c a can.

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POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE WEDDED

Julia Irene Thomas Becomes the Bride of Roy Prout

One of the prettiest weddings that Quincy, has ever seen took place Wednesday night at the home of Miss Julia Irene Thomas who was married to Roy Prout.

The young couple are well known in Quincy. They were married by the Rev. R. E. Armstrong of Christ church. An exquisite gown of white satin trimmed with venise lace was worn by the bride who carried a shower boquet of lovely white bridal roses.

Mrs. Carrie E. Jones, the matron of honor, wore a prety gown of pink marquisette over pink messaline and carried a large bouquet of beautiful pink roses. George F. Purrington of Winchester was best man.

The bride was given away by her brother, F. W. Thomas of Worcester. Wilson's orchestra officiated during the evening, while Chester Brown kept time to its sweet strans in the capacity of usher.

A large number of friends from, Worcester, Pawtucket, Providence, East Milton, East Braintree, Brighton, Winchester, Boston and Quincy were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Prout will spend their honeymoon visiting New York, Philadelphia, Washington.

They will be at home to their friends at 97 Putnam street, Quincy, after February 1st, 1913.

BOY PROBLEM

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athletic leagues and placed himself on record as favoring Sunday sports of boys because they drew them away from other vices such as crap shooting and hanging on corners.

He said that playgrounds were a help because of the standard of fairness displayed in clean sports. He sympathized with the overworked teacher, but advised her to throw aside reserve and join the boy in play instead of retaining her school room demeanor.

According to the speaker, Sunday was made for men and not for boys. He urged churches to lay aside sect beliefs and unite in solving the problem by establishing boys' clubs, where the business men could become interested and lend their influence. He spoke of the Big Brother effort, where a man personally acquaints the boy with his interest in him and the pride with which the boy accepts the attention and tries to show his spirit.

In conclusion he said that the personality of the teacher was important and should not be overlooked. He said it was the main thing in directing children and that through the personal touch of elders the principles of honesty and the finer qualities of manhood and womanhood could be easily inspired.

Mr. Duckles was given fine applause and a vote of thanks. A short business meeting followed, and there was a short talk by School-committee men Arthur Newcomb and Joseph H. McPherson.

Refreshments were served by Miss Elizabeth Ross, Mrs. Roderick McLennan, Mrs. Benjamin Bishop, Mrs. David Muckle and Mrs. Alfred Pinel.



If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

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A Few Specials

Leg of Lamb, winter	14c
Fresh Pork, to roast	15c
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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Friday fair and continued cold. Saturday fair and warmer.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.05
Sun sets	4.12
Length of day	9.07
Moon sets	8.48
High water, A. M.	2.15
High water, P. M.	2.30

Days decrease 6 hours 10 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	36 degrees
Dec. 12, 1911,	61 degrees
Dec. 12, 1910,	31 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

INSPECTION AND ELECTION.

At the regular meeting of Antietam Camp, No. 32, S. of V. held in G. A. R. hall, Tuesday evening, the camp was inspected by Division Aide Harry E. D. Gould of Colonial Abner B. Packard Camp, No. 95 of Quincy.

At this time the annual election of officers was held with the following results:

Commander—Albert L. Moors.

Senior Vice Commander—Henry H. Marston.

Junior Vice Commander—L. Elmer Tower.

Camp Council,—Alfred H. Holbrook, Irving N. Holbrook, Henry H. Marston.

BROTHERS AS BEARERS.

The funeral of Thomas A. Sullivan, son of Cornelius J. Sullivan, who died Sunday night was held from his late home 468 Sea St., Wednesday morning A high mass of requiem was celebratted at St. John's church by Rev. Father John J. Coan. Music was by the choir and burial was in St. Mary's cemetery. A profusion of floral tribute covered the casket. The bearers were William J. Sullivan, Cornelius J. Sullivan, Jr., Francis P. Sullivan, James T. Sullivan, brothers of the deceased; also John J. Gallagher and Harry Howie.

TO INSPECT SEWING.

The Ladies of Quincy are invited to inspect the work done by the Evening Industrial classes in sewing, on Friday afternoon at four o'clock in Room 20. Quincy High School.

NOBODY SPARED

Kidney Troubles Attack Quincy Men and Women, Old and Young.

Kidney ills seize young and old.
Often come with little warning.
Children suffer in their early years.
Can't control the kidney secretions.
Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.
Women worry, can't do daily work.
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If you have any form of kidney ills
You must reach the cause—the kidneys.
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CABARET SUPPER A BIG SUCCESS

Men Justified Their High Opinion of Their Cooking Skill

A large number turned out at the cabaret supper held by the men's club of St. Chrysostom's church, Tuesday evening.

Under the direction of E. J. Morgan chef of the Wollaston Golf club the following menu was served:

Celery Olives
Grape Fruit Maraschino
Cold Philadelphia Capon, Dressing
Roast Prime Ribs of Beef
Baked Virginia Ham
Vegetable Salad
French Peas
Baked Sweet Potato
Harlequin and Country Club Ice Cream
Assorted Cake
Demi-Tasse

The supper was served by members of the club spick and span in white coats and red carnations. The waiters were: A. E. Holland, Archibald Briggs, George B. Curran, Mr. Walters, J. A. Severance, George P. Parker, Percy L. Davidson, George Parlee, George Poch and W. L. Purdom.

The parish rooms were decorated with Japanese lanterns and paper streamers. Between the numbers of the entertainment popular songs were indulged in by the diners. The program included solos by Miss Ida Sanford of Somerville, selections on the 'cello by Master Theodore Smith accompanied by his sister Violet, both of Wollaston, songs by Charles Wade and piano selections by James Wickham, the accompanist of the evening. A clever exhibition of ledgerdemain and sleight of hand was given by Lewis Carter of Roslindale assisted by Roy Perkins. The usual handkerchief and hat tricks were performed.

Stereopticon pictures were thrown on the screen intermingled with slides of popular songs. The program closed with the "Star Spangled Banner."

The committee included Edward F. Parlee, Mr. Walters, F. G. Schahrer, A. E. Holland, George B. Curran and Archibald Briggs, much credit is due Mr. Schahrer who instigated the affair.

TREAS. STEVENS' ADDRESS.

Among other things which state treasurer Elmer E. Stevens said during the course of his lecture at Wollaston, Tuesday night, was that the incoming Legislature would pass the bill and that work would be started early in the spring. It was regarded as a marvelous thing that state taxes were collected so well. Each year they are collected within $3000.

The prison and charitable work of the state was being carried on in an efficient and up-to-date manner and although expenses had been rapidly increasing it was a wonder that the Commonwealth had been able to do so much at so little expense.

Almost 4,500,000 dollars is spent yearly on charity alone and this with the expenses of penal and correctional institutions amounts to $5,750,000, or 39 33-100 per cent of every dollar spent by the Commonwealth.

"In no department have the burdens and expenses increased so rapidly as in the charitable departments of the Commonwealth. I am proud that Massachusetts has met the problem fairly and squarely and is a leader in this line of work. It is useless to handle the matter in a slipshod manner.

"In prison methods the state was progressing in a safe and sane way. People come from other states to study our ideas and pick off the superintendents of our institutions. In the winter of 1850 the warden of the Charlestown States prison was praised in the newspapers for putting four stoves, one in each corner of the prison.

"The state must consider, the good of the community, the safety of the community and the reformation of the men. This can only be accomplished through strict discipline and steady labor.

"Some say there are men in prison that ought to be out, I say 'there are a great many out of prison that ought to be in.'"

The many modern methods in force in training illiterates and reforming the men were related, "The prisons are well managed," said Mr. Stevens," and those who are not playing politics know it and admit it."

The work going on at Concord, Rutland, Foxboro, Sherburne, Tewksbury and other places were thoroughly treated as was the care of the women.

The problem of the feeble minded and paupers was also taken up.

(ADVERTISE.)

WROTE LETTERS AFTER ARREST

Missives Useless as Evidence In Blackmailing Case

TRIO OF DANGEROUS FELLOWS

Said to Have Not Only Threatened President-Elect Wilson but Other Persons In North New Jersey as Well—Examination of Uneducated Prisoners Is Renewed In Jail

Newark, N. J., Dec. 12.—That the evidence obtained by the postoffice inspectors against the three men arrested in the North Jersey mountains, charged with having attempted to blackmail President-elect Wilson, cannot be used against them, was the declaration made by attorneys who investigated the case.

The inspectors who made the arrest have stated that the chief evidence they have comprises letters written by the men after they were arrested, which show the same misspelling of words that characterized the letters sent to Wilson. Under the federal law such writing cannot be introduced in evidence.

Because of this development the three men were subjected to a severe cross examination by the officials in the Newark jail, where they are being held pending an examination before a United States commissioner next Monday. It was reported one of the Dunn brothers had made incriminating statements.

According to the sheriff, Jacob Dunn has been employed as a guard on the Hudson and Manhattan railroad, running between this city and New York. He was said to have a good reputation in his home community. Peter Dunn and Seeley Davenport admitted to the sheriff they had been arrested for stealing chickens.

The trio, Seeley Davenport, Jacob Dunn and Warren Dunn, are admittedly not highly intelligent. They are types of the barren North Jersey mountains. None has even a common school education. And because of this fact, the postoffice inspectors who made the arrest do not believe their attempt at blackmail, of which the government claims it has positive proof, was anything more than the general belief of the district in which they have lived their lives that those who have much should give to those who are less fortunate.

But it is admitted the men are of the type who could be depended on to try to carry out any threats that were made. This is the real danger of the present case, according to the officials. And because of this, an attempt will be made not only to convict the trio of sending the threatening letters to Wilson, but also to other persons in North Jersey who have been threatened.

The first of the letters was received by Joseph L. Tumulty, secretary to Wilson, Nov. 22. It demanded $5000 in gold to be sent by mail. No attention was paid to it. But five others in the same handwriting were quickly received and then the postoffice inspectors were called into the case. While they were working on the clues available they received two additional missives which had been forwarded to Bermuda.

Inspectors Butler, Larrabee and Beekman, going to the address mentioned in the letters as the place where the gold was to be sent, which was rural free delivery route No. 2, box 43, Wharton, N. J., found that the box in question was in front of the summer home of Pearl Utter, a resident of Newark, whose house was closed for the winter.

It is some miles out from Wharton and accessible to the mountain cabins where the men arrested live.

Inspector Beekman, as a hunter, hired guides from the mountain colony and, securing the needed evidence, reported to his chief.

The arrests were ordered and Tuesday night the three men were arrested and brought to Newark.

SICKLES IS REMOVED

Another Takes His Place as Chairman of Monument Commission

New York, Dec. 12.—Announcement was made that at the next meeting of the New York Monument commission, Colonel Lewis R. Stegman of Brooklyn will preside as chairman in place of General Daniel F. Sickles.

General Sickles was relieved from further service as chairman at a meeting of the commission coincident with the demand on Sickles by the state comptroller for an accounting of funds contributed to the commission by the state. The amount unaccounted for, according to the comptroller, is $29,246.

Death of Author Kaler

Portland, Me., Dec. 12.—James O. Kaler, author of a large number of books for boys, died at South Portland. Kaler had been superintendent of schools at South Portland since 1889. He was born at Winterport 65 years ago.

ACCUSED OF MURDER

Mrs. Annie Jacobson and Her Son, Edgar



C. Augustus Jacobson, a farmer of New Sweden, Me., was murdered on the night of June 11, 1911. His wife, Mrs. Annie Jacobson; his son Edgar and his son-in-law, Rev. Charles N. Emelius, are now on trial at Houlton, Me., charged with the crime.

DEFENDANTS TO TESTIFY

Medical Experts Say That Suicide of Jacobson Was Possible

Houlton, Me., Dec. 12.—The three defendants on trial in the supreme court here for the murder of C. A. Jacobson, the New Sweden farmer, will be called to the witness stand today, said senior counsel for the defense at the close of court last night.

That they regard it as possible, but not probable, that a man would be able to inflict upon himself the wounds described to them as causing the death of Jacobson, was the testimony of the five medical experts for the defense yesterday.

HOSFORD'S PLEA TO CUT BAIL REFUSED

Counsel Asks Court to Reduce It From $20,000 to $10,000

Boston, Dec. 12.—Counsel for Edward H. Hosford, vice president and treasurer of the James Donovan Slipper company, who is in jail charged with larceny and forgery and uttering, appeared in the superior criminal court and asked that the bail be reduced from $20,000 to $10,000.

Hosford's attorney contended that he could not give his client fair legal treatment unless communication with him was possible at any time. Assistant District Attorney Webber objected to the motion on the ground that the alleged thefts were too large to permit the defendant being at large on such low bail.

Judge Brown denied the motion and said counsel for the defense would have to see his client as best he could.

That Hosford has induced young women in his employ to commit forgery, innocently, thereby assisting him to falsify the accounts of the Donovan company, and that he has defrauded a Connecticut woman of several thousand dollars, are the latest charges which have been registered against the man.

SAYS HE DIDN'T SAY IT

Webber Denies Repudiating Story Told at Rosenthal Murder Trial

New York, Dec. 12.—"Bridgie" Webber, one of the four informers in the Rosenthal murder case, quoted as repudiating his testimony given at the trial of Becker and the four gunmen, in saying that there was no plot to slay Herman Rosenthal, sent a letter to District Attorney Whitman saying the statements attributed to him were "absolutely false."

"Any time you wish me to make an affidavit to this effect," he added, "I shall be glad to do so."

Thief Gets Ten Thousand Nickels

New York, Dec. 12.—After saving up nickels since 1883, Mrs. Edith Kuhn lost the entire bagful—10,000 in all—to a burglar. A collection of German coins was not touched.

Live Fowl by Mail

Philadelphia, Dec. 12.—Postmaster Smith as gone to Washington to find out if chickens, turkeys, butter and eggs will be allowed transportation in the new parcels post.

House Votes For Vacation

Washington, Dec. 12.—Representative Underwood's resolution to adjourn on Dec. 19 to Jan. 2 was adopted by the house.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

NOVEL CHRISTMAS CAKES.

EVERY country in which Christmas is recognized has some particular cake of more than local fame. For instance, there are the Italian pasties, the gay French and German cakes and the English loaf cakes.

English Mistletoe Cake.—For the layers allow three ounces each of butter and sugar, three eggs, one-half pound of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder and one wineglassful of orange flower water. Separate the eggs and beat the whites to a stiff froth, the yolks to a cream. Beat the sugar and butter together, add the yolks of the eggs, the flour sifted with the baking powder, the orange flower water and, lastly, the whites of the eggs. Bake in three layers.

A Handsome Decoration.

For the filling whip one-half pint of cream until stiff, sweeten slightly and divide in two portions. Color one with spinach green and add grated cocoanut to the other. Spread the green cream over the first layer of the cake, cover with the second, spread over the white cream and place the third layer on top. Ice thickly with plain boiled icing and decorate while fresh with bits of candied citron cut to represent mistletoe leaves, using silver comfits for the berries.

German Christmas Cakes.—These delicious little sweets can be cut into as many shapes as the housewife has fancy cutters and can also be made to take a variety of colors by dividing the icing in parts, tinting it green, rose or yellow with vegetable colors and using chocolate for a fourth.

A Rich Combination.

To four eggs allow one pound of pastry flour, three-fourths pound of sugar, one-half pound of almonds well blanched and one-fourth pound of candied orange peel or citron, as preferred, one lemon, one large juicy orange, one-half ounce of ground cinnamon and one-fourth teaspoon of good cloves, one-half teaspoon of allspice, one teaspoonful of baking powder and one-half cup of honey. Beat the eggs and sugar to a cream. Blanch, dry and pass the almonds through a meat chopper. Beat the eggs without ceasing for twenty minutes, then add eggs and sugar, and little by little the flour and the almonds. Grate the rinds of lemon and orange into the mixture, add the strained juice and the honey, then the baking powder. Mix well and if not stiff enough to roll out add more flour. Roll into thin cakes, cut into fancy shapes, bake in a moderate oven. When cold spread with boiled icing colored.

NUT SWEETMEATS.

DAINTIES for the Christmas dessert, for the children's stockings or to fill fancy boxes often presented as Christmas souvenirs are in demand at this season. The most delicious sweetmeats may be made with nuts. Almonds are considered especially suitable for the more delicious and expensive confections sold in the shops.

Choice Confections.

Chocolate Almonds.—Take a pound of almonds and blanch them by pouring hot water over the meats. Allow them to stand for a few minutes; then replace the hot water with cold, rubbing off the skins from the nuts. Melt sweet chocolate in a dish over boiling water; then dip in the meats, one at a time.

Lay the dipped almonds on oil paper and when they are dry dip a second time.

Carameled Almonds.—Take a cupful of sugar and a quarter of a cupful of water and boil to the caramel stage. When it has reached the right condition pour in a few drops of lemon juice. The sirup should not be stirred after the sugar has dissolved. Blanch some almonds and heat them without browning. Drop these nuts, one at a time into the cooked sugar without stirring and then lift out on oiled paper. Should the sirup become too cold reheat it and if it is too thick add a few drops of water and cook it again.

Toothsome Nougat.

Almond Nougat.—Take a quarter of a pound of gum arabic and soak in a cupful of cold water for several hours; then boil until clear. Strain and add a pound of confectioner's sugar. Cook in a double boiler until it is thick. Then beat light, add the white of an egg beaten to a stiff froth and beat these together until light and stiff. Flavor with vanilla and stir in two cupfuls of blanched and chopped almonds. Mix well, pour into shallow oiled pans and when nearly cold cut into squares or bars. Wrap each piece in oiled paper and pack in tin boxes to keep fresh.

French Nougat.—Take half a pound of shelled almonds, blanch and cut each almond into eight long strips. Spread these on a pan or paper and place in the oven to dry. Put two-thirds of a cup of granulated sugar in a saucepan and stir carefully over the fire until it is a light brown, then add the almonds, which should be taken right from the oven. Mix and pour into a well oiled pan. Cut into strips.

Anna Thompson

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OUTRAGES IN MEXICO

Taft Is Urged to Protect Americans In Disturbed Country

Washington, Dec. 12.—President Taft listened last night to some startling disclosures about present day conditions in Mexico.

Four American business men with Mexican interests, two members of the senate and a congressman heard the story, vouched for by all, told to the president by one man who had been in the southern republic within the last few weeks.

It was a tale of outrages on Mexican women, of murders and hold-ups of Americans, of bandits who seized Americans and held them for ransom, of general lawlessness and disorder, such as has seldom come to the ears of the president since trouble began in Mexico nearly two years ago.

The president was urged to see that Americans were protected and that life and property be made safe. The president promised to take up the case presented with the departments concerned.

AT $18,000 YEAR

Chance to Become Manager of New York American League Team

Chicago, Dec. 12.—One managerial problem was solved and another semi-completed by the American league moguls gathered in annual session. When the club owners convene again the case not completed at adjournment time will probably be cleared, making Frank L. Chance leader of the New York Highlanders.

As manager of the Highlanders Chance will receive $18,000, the highest salary ever paid a player. He will be given free rein by President Farrell and will have sole power to buy, sell or trade players.

Chance's former first mate on the Cub machine, Joe B. Tinker, reached the goal for which he has striven since last October—the berth as manager of the Cincinnati Reds.

SEARCH HAS COST $100,000 THUS FAR

Two Years Since Miss Arnold Disappeared From Home

New York, Dec. 12.—It is just two years since Dorothy Arnold left her home, 108 East Seventy-ninth street, to vanish, leaving no clew to her whereabouts. Her disappearance is still the mystery it was on the day the search began.

It is estimated the search for the missing girl has cost to date fully $100,000. The approximate cost has been figured as follows: Expended by newspapers, $50,000; expended by the family, $35,000; expended by the police, $15,000.

Baby Nurseries on Trains

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Special cars with nurseries for babies were proposed as an addition to the equipment of overland and limited railroad trains at a meeting of passenger agents of a western railroad system here.

INAUGURATION TRIPS
TO WASHINGTON

To Witness the Administration of the Oath of Office to President-Elect Wilson; also Trips to Mount Vernon, Alexandria, New York, Etc.

A WEEK'S TRIP WITH ALL EXPENSES PAID

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER proposes to send two people to Washington in March to enjoy the inauguration and sightseeing in our beautiful capital. We have selected one of the best tours on George E. Marster's schedule, and his name stands for a good trip every time. All the expenses will be paid the man or woman in Quincy who receives the most votes.

The winner of contest will be allowed to choose a companion for the trip whose expenses will also be paid.

DIAMOND RING

The person having the SECOND highest number of votes will be awarded a DIAMOND RING.

CONDITIONS

The contestants must be residents of Quincy. None others will be accepted as candidates.

None of the employees or agents of the Ledger will be eligible in this contest.

Every issue of the Ledger will contain a coupon good for FIVE votes.

Every new subscription received for the Ledger for one year, accompanied by $5.00, will count for 1000 votes; new subscriptions for six months, accompanied by $3.00 will count for 600 votes; three months, $1.50, 300 votes.

All subscription votes must be countersigned at the Ledger office.

Send in your votes to the
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ALL ABOARD FOR WASHINGTON

SHIPS CLEAR THEIR DECKS

Turks Prepare to Go Against Greece In the Aegean Sea

REAL NEGOTIATIONS FOR PEACE

They Will Not Begin Before Monday, the Intervening Time Being Given Over to Informal Discussion of Terms—Greece Expected to Sign General Armistice on Friday

Constantinople, Dec. 12.—A decisive naval engagement between the fleets of Greece and Turkey seems imminent. The Greek vessels in the Ægean are under a full head of steam. All the available Turkish warships have been moved to the western end of the Dardanelles and are being held under steam at Kale Sultane.

The decks have been cleared for battle. Destroyers began a reconnoisance, and it is believed that the fleet will move out into the Ægean at once.

Peace Envoys In London

London, Dec. 12.—Peace delegates who will take part in the Turko-Balkan peace conference have begun arriving in this city. The first delegation to reach London were the Montenegrins.

The Montenegrin plenipotentiaries are former Premier Miguskovitch, M. Popovitch, formerly Montenegrin minister to Turkey, and Count Veyovitch, chief of King Nicholas' staff.

The Greek delegation, headed by Premier Venizelos, reached London last night. Twenty-two rooms have been reserved at Claridge's for the Greek envoys.

It is now said that Friday and Saturday will be given over to informal discussion of the terms and that the real negotiations will not begin until Monday.

Greece Indorses Peace Terms

Sofia, Dec. 12.—Greece has formally indorsed the peace terms to be presented to Turkey, it was stated here by a Bulgarian government official. Greece will probably sign the general armistice Friday, so that her envoys may have a place in the peace conference.

Servians Fortify Port In Dispute

Vienna, Dec. 12.—A dispatch from Antivari in Montenegro says Servian troops occupying Durazzo have begun to fortify the town. This is interpreted to mean that Servia intends to hold the port permanently, thereby directly defying the demand of Austria-Hungary. Durazzo is the Adriatic seaport seized by Servia several weeks ago.

GOING AFTER SOLID SOUTH

Roosevelt Will Lead Bull Moose Herd In Next National Campaign

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Progressive leaders at the new party's conference generally expressed it as a settled fact that Theodore Roosevelt will lead the Moose herd in the next national battle. All the speakers referred to him in the attitude of the next candidate of the new party.

The solid Democratic south was the goal the new party conference set out to capture.

Speakers from the southern states occupied the day's session and told of how the Democracy is slipping and the revolt against Republican rule is sending converts to the Progressive cause.

TWO DETECTIVES KILLED

Dozen Men Wounded When Strikers Fire Upon Unarmed Breakers

Hackensack, N. J., Dec. 12.—Several hundred striking New York, Susquehanna and Western railroad employes, ambushed under the Palisades overlooking the lower Hudson river, opened fire with shotguns and rifles on a boatload of unarmed strike-breakers landing at coal docks in Edgewater, and in a pitched battle which followed two railroad detectives were killed and a dozen other men were wounded.

The men killed are Andrew J. Graw, captain of detectives, and Clarence Mallery, one of Graw's men.

FOR REFUSAL TO WED

Man Brings Suit Against Woman and Attaches Her Dowry

Boston, Dec. 12.—The rather unusual proceeding of a man suing a woman for breach of promise took place in the sixth session of the Suffolk superior court before Judge Keating.

The plaintiff is Harry Glassman, 32 years old, a cigar maker of Plymouth, and he is suing Miss Rebecca Rickless, 24, of Lynn. Glassman has attached a $400 dewry of the girl.

Would Bestow Honors Upon Dead

Washington, Dec. 12.—In declining to allow a new organization to use his name, Governor-elect Sulzer said no man's reputation is safe while he lives. He advised use of the name of a man dead 100 years.

VOTING CONTEST

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composed of ladies, out in Wyoming, a few days ago, who in the midst of a case asked the judge to adjourn court that they might go home and prepare their husbands dinner. When told that they could not go they filed out anyway, to the consternation of the judge. That kind of wife for yours truly, who will not forsake her home and hubbie.

Now about that ring. Will say that would tickle me down to the ground. Coming as it does at this particular time, I could use it very nicely. Sam Shellman.

LEDGERS AT WHOLESALE.

Back numbers of the Daily Ledger with 5-vote coupons may be obtained at the Ledger office at wholesale at these rates:

By the 100, at 1 1-2 cents each.

By the 1,000, at 1 1-4 cents each.

The Contest Editor guarantees one price to all candidates. No lower rate will be quoted than the above, whether 1,000 or 10,000 or more are purchased. But the supply is limited, and it is possible that the demand cannot be met.

Coupon dances and Coupon whist parties will soon be popular, with 10 or 20 Ledger coupons for admission. Or the net proceeds to be used in purchasing Ledger subscriptions for a candidate.

PRIZE CERTIFICATE.

A prize certificate, good for 200 votes is offered by the Contest Editor this week. It will be awarded at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 16, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 9—16. Note this is not necessarily for the leader but for the "biggest gain." The leader may gain only 1000 during the week, but a new candidate may enter with 2000 and win the certificate, or one with 25 votes might gain more than the leader. It gives all an equal chance.

Candidates should not hesitate to ask ANY of their friends for a year's subscription to the Daily Ledger to help them win the Washington trip or the diamond ring. If already a subscriber, they may be willing to pay another subscription NOW, that you may have a certificate for 1000 votes. Certificates are also issued to all new subscribers who send cash with their order. All subscriptions for one year are good for 1000 votes, whether from December to December, or March to March, or July to July, or October to October.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	10500
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	8780
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
A. R. MacKay, Hetasophs	1640
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	755
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	750
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	635
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	255
Galen Bowditch, messenger	190
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Sam Shellman, Granite street	165
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Richard Larkin, High school	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	70
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	65
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	65
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	60
John T. Cain, K. of C.	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	60
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	55
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	55
William Kelley, conductor	50
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	50
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	45
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	40
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	35
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	35
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	30
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
Walter Mead, High school	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
John Mahon, organist	15
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

"Vote early and often."

AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION

Meeting With Favor Throughout the State

"Agricultural education in Massachusets rural high schools is a success" says Mr. R. W. Stimson, Agent of the Board of Education for Agricultural Education.

Vocational agricultural departments have been established in connection with five high schools, viz: Petersham, Hadley, Northboro, Harwich and North Easton.

The Legislature has appropriated $10,000 for the State's share in supporting these departments.

Mr. Stimson says: "We feel that our most important gains in vocational agricultural training are coming from the intimate knowledge of the home conditions of the pupils which the instructors get by supervising the home work of their pupils and from the resultant very practical nature of their teaching"

This plan pre-supposes that the parents will co-operate to the extent of giving a boy a certain amount of time and opportunities for very definite agricultural projects. The boy is expected to keep accurate farm accounts for labor, fertilizer, animals, buildings, etc., accurate account of all receipts and to know what lines of work he is undertaking show a profit. The highest net profit so far reported made by an agricultural pupil in this home-farm work is $270.24. The boy paid himself for his own labor $109.02. Not all boys made a profit, as their crops were subject to the same risks of frost, draught or blight as any other farmer's crops. One boy's garden was cut back three times, another boy showing a loss on a potato project of $1.35 but a gain from his poultry of $41.10.

The prizes offered by Agricultural societies and Horticultural Associations have proven incentives to the boys. The boys of the Hadley High School won the championship of the State in stock judging and cash prizes of $243. 130 boys under nineteen competed at various local fairs. At the final contest in Brockton, there were 15 competitors, the Hadley boys being the winners.

Interest is growing in this form of education. Several communities are at work arousing local interest and the prospects in this field seem decidedly bright.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

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The shot would have resulted in her death, physicians said, had it not struck a corset steel and been split in two parts before entering her body. Doctors say she probably will recover.

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LAND COURT.

To Eugene H. McGillicaddy, Rosolia Giglio and Ida Cutler, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; Assad Kurey of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Reuben Hersey, of Hingham, in the County of Plymouth, and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court by Bengta Johnson and Hulda Johnson, of said Quincy, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land situate in said Quincy, being shown as lots 25, 26, 27, 30, 31 and 32 together with that part of the street called Winthrop Park adjoining said lots, all as shown on plan of Winthrop Park in the City of Quincy dated May 1903 H. T. Whitman, C. E. recorded with Norfolk Plans, plan book 36, plan No. 1687 and together bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Sumner Street at the westerly end of lot 27 at land of McGilliceddy, thence running in a northeasterly direction along said Sumner Street about one hundred seventy four feet to lot 28 on said plan being land of Rosolia Giglio, thence turning and running southerly along said lot 28 and lot 29 on said plan eighty two and 61-100 feet to lot 30, thence turning and running easterly along the southerly line of said lot 29 being land of said Rosolia Giglio seventy-seven and 8-10 feet to land of Assad Kurey, thence turning and running southeasterly along said land of said Assad Kurey to land of Reuben Hersey forty-four and 8-10 feet, thence turning and running in a southwesterly direction along land of said Reuben Hersey eighty-seven and 4-10 feet to lot 33 on said plan being other land of said petitioners, thence turning and running northwesterly by said lot 33, across said Winthrop Park, by lot 24 on said plan being land of Ida Cutler and by land of Eugene H. McGillicuddy about two hundred fifty-four and 2-10 (254.2) feet to the point of beginning.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of December in the year nineteen hundred and twelve.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

(Seal.)

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Brand	Can	Doz
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Hunt's Supreme	30c	3.30
Hatchet	23c	2.60
Oro	20c	2.25
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Commander Cushing was born in Delafield, Wis., November 4, 1843. He was appointed the naval academy in 1857 and resigned in 1858. He entered the service as a volunteer officer in 1861, receiving a commission as Lieutenant, July 16, 1862, became Lieut. Commander in 1864 and Commander in 1872.

In 1861 he distinguished himself on the Blackwater, in the sounds of North Carolina, and at New River inlet. In 1863 he added to his fame by his expedition up the Cape Fear and Little rivers and his brilliant operations on the Nansemond, and in 1864 by blowing up the ram Albemarle, at Plymouth, N. C. At Smithfield, Wilmington and in leading the men of the Monticello in the assault upon Fort Fisher, he displayed equal bravery and sound judgment. In 1866-67 he served in the Pacific squadron and in 1868-69 he commanded the Maumee of the Asiatic squadron.

MARRIAGES

PROUT—THOMAS—In Quincy, December 11, by Rev. R. E. Armstrong Miss Julia Irene Thomas to Mr. Roy Prout, both of Quincy.

KARSNER—STANWOOD—In Boston December 11, by Rev. Elwood Worcester, D. D., Dr. Howard T. Karsner of Philadelphia and Miss Audrey Whicher Stanwood of Boston.

DEATHS

LYONS—In Roxbury, December 10, Mrs. Catherine, widow of Timothy Lyons, aged 77 years.
Funeral from residence of her daughter, Mrs. John E. Poland, 385 Hancock street, Norfolk Downs, Friday, December 13, at 8.30 A. M. High mass at Sacred Heart church, Atlantic, at 9 o'clock.

LEE—In Quincy, December 11, Mrs. Jessie E., wife of Mr. William E. Lee in her 50th year.
Funeral services at late home, 29 Thompson street, Saturday, December 14, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

SNOW—In Vassalboro, Me., December 1, David B. Snow, formerly of Quincy, aged 71 years, 10 months and 15 days.

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DIED AFTER ILLNESS.

Mrs. Jessie E. Lee died at her home 29 Thompson street Wednesday after a lingering illness in her 50th year. She leaves a husband, William E. Lee, two daughters Miss Helen and Miss Edith, and a son Edward, whose is attending Boston University, 1913.

Mrs. Lee has been a prominent member of the Washington street Congregational church, having been active in the Ladies Aid society and a Sunday school teacher, and was affiliated with the Riverside Woman's club.

(ADVERTISE.)

BRIEFS

Public hearing tonight in the Council Chamber on the public dock question.

The first real snow but not enough of it to be uncomfortable arrived at an early hour this morning.

Quincy got another of the forty snow storms this morning which it is said we are to have this winter.

The seventh annual ball of the Quincy Police Relief association is to be held Thursday evening, Jan. 23 at Music hall.

The Pastime club, an organization of young men of the Point district are to hold a dancing party Friday evening at Alpha hall.

The special Committee on Financial Investigation and the Committee on Streets of the City Council will meet tonight, and the Committee on Fire Department Friday night.

It is acting Mayor Tilden for a few days during the absence of Mayor Stone. If anyone wants a job now is a good time to call, as the acting Mayor may have a few desirable places up his sleeve.

The Ladies Aid of the Hall Place M. E. church hold the second of their quarter socials at the home of Mrs. Fred L. Badger, Crescent street, on Friday evening and have prepared a pleasant entertainment.

District Deputy Grand Master Walter S. Pinkham of 26th Masonic district attended the annual meeting of the Grand lodge Wednesday. Several past masters from Wollaston and Rural lodges were also present.

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INTERESTING DOCK QUERIES

Marshall Adams Speaks Right About Public Needs

COMMISSION GOVERNMENT

The following communication requires no explanation or comment:

Does Newburyport own a public dock?

Does Gloucester own a public dock?

Does Beverly own a public dock?

Does Salem own a public dock?

Does Lynn own a public dock?

Does Marblehead own a public dock?

Does Plymouth own a public dock?

Does Provincetown own a public dock?

Does New Bedford own a public dock?

Does Fall River own a public dock?

These towns and cities are all located on excellent harbors and are well equipped with wharves for all kinds of water transportation. They are well off from an economic and financial point of view and their citizens enjoy the blessings of moderately low property valuations and not excessively high tax rates. But for all their wealth, thrift, normal taxes and real estate valuations I believe that not one of them has had the temerity to venture into a doubtful public dock scheme with the losses which are usually attendant upon a plan of such questionable utility.

It remained, however, for a city whose financial resources are at the lowest ebb: whose tax rate is one of the highest if not the highest in the state; whose property valuation have been increased from five to forty percent within the past year; whose assessed value of real estate is in nearly every instance 100 per cent of its actual value; whose finances for the past year have been under investigation; whose charter will have to be amended to attempt to remedy these unsatisfactory conditions: whose tax rate next year will be larger than that of this year,—probably $23.00 per thousand, to have the hardihood to even think of public dock ownership.

For a community whose financial affairs are in such a tangled shape to talk of a $100,000 board issue carrying $4000 interest charges for a long term of years comes as a shock to an overburdened people whose taxes and higher rents wipe out every dollar which they can scrape together.

Talk like this leads thinking people to believe that simple charter amendments will not straighten out our financial muddle. It leads to the belief that for the next five years this city should be placed under a commission form of government of three commissioners all appointed by the governor, none of whom should be residents of this city and who should have full power to administer its affairs, or as an alternative be annexed to Boston.

For some of our well known citizens to advocate the borrowing by this city of $100,000 for the purpose of buying wharves, which are far from being necessary for the welfare and happiness of seventy per cent of our citizens, strengthens the contention of a growing number of thinking men and women that the only way that our enormous tax burdens can be reduced is to abolish the entire city charter, wiping out the whole city government and then frankly asking the state to see that our corporation is carried on by a board of disinterested men who in time would be able to re-habiliate our finances, lower the tax rate to $18.00 or less and make our people proud of the fact that they are citizens of Quincy.

The greatest industry in Quincy today is the housing of people who earn their living in Boston. Probably 70 per cent of our population either directly or indirectly are dependent for their livelihood on industries which are located north of the Neponset river. Why should a small, well organized, active minority be allowed to saddle upon this large passive majority, which is poorly organized, a hundred thousand dollar loan with its attendant interest charges of four or five thousand dollars per annum?

Marshall Adams.

Quincy, Dec. 12. 1912.

CHILD FELL DOWN STAIRS

Picked Up Unconscious, But Is Doing Well Today

Gertrude, the eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers of 1063 Hancock street, fell down cellar while playing with the children of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Johnson, Putnam street, Wednesday afternoon and was removed to her parent's home in an unconcious condition. She was treated by Dr. N. S. Hunting and is doing well this morning.

MRS. LYONS DEAD.

Mrs Catherine, widow of Timothy Lyons died Tuesday night at Roxbury after a short illness. The funeral will be held Friday from the home of her daughter, Mrs. John E. Poland, 835 Hancock street on Friday afternoon. The deceased was 77 years of age.

PROMISING BOXERS.

J. McDonald, a member of the North Quincy A. A. and a bear cat with the gloves slipped it over on Eddie O'Brien of South Boston at the B. A. A. amateur trial bouts, Wednesday night. "Mc" tipped the scales at 126 pounds and Eddie weighed in at 127 pounds. Young Mack is a product of Arthur Savage and Eddie Regan.

"Bob" Gerstel, another member of the N. Q. A, A. beat Robert Reimer in the 140 pound class.

STORE SALE BY WOMEN.

A successful sale was held by the Women's Guild of the Park and Downs church, Tuesday afternoon and evening in the store of A. E. Walker, Beale street and Newport avenue, Wollaston. A large amount was realized which will be applied to the growing organ fund. The clock on which the record is kept now stands at the $165 mark and with the proceeds of the sale will be sent over $200.

The committees in charge of the sale were:

Handkerchiefs,—Mrs. J. A. Boone, Mrs. Arthur F. Capen, Mrs. Blaisdell, Mrs. Fuller.

Food—Mrs. F. H. Robinson, Mrs. Frank Knowlton, Mrs. Ella M. Brown, Mrs. Colby .

Candy—Mrs. Charles A. Richardson, Mrs. Helen M. Boynton.

Maybe a Little—After.

The play was not by any means brilliant, and obviously the man was bored. Suddenly he leaped to his feet.

"I heard an alarm of fire," he said "I must go and see where it is."

His wife, whose hearing was less acute, made way for him in silence and he disappeared.

"It wasn't a fire after all," he said on his return.

"Nor water, either," said his wife coldly, with a sniff.--Exchange.

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COLISEUMS AND NORFOLK DOWNS

Winners In the First Games of the Old Colony League

GOOD AVERAGE SCORES

The first games in the Old Colony Bowling League were rolled Wednesday evening. The Coliseums and City Squares bowled at the Granite street alleys while the Norfolk Downs and Weymouths bowled at the Norfolk Downs alleys. In the first named match the Coliseums won by a total of 1322 to 1313 and the game at the Norfolk Downs alleys resulted in a victory for the Norfolk Downs team by a total score of 1329 to 1377. The summary:

NORFOLK DOWNS

	1	2	3	Totals
Gurnan	72	76	101	249
Gillen	97	88	78	263
Stovert	85	93	92	270
Dunn	82	122	89	293
McGeaghegan	78	86	90	254
Totals	414	446	430	1329

WEYMOUTH

Tirrell	90	84	87	261
Harry Smith	84	85	88	257
Connell	76	74	67	217
Kiley	84	89	90	263
Herb Smith	101	92	86	279
Totals	435	424	418	1277

COLISEUM

Grant	102	79	81	262
Johnson	73	68	80	221
Carlson	92	111	84	287
Dakers	84	112	85	281
Burke	92	90	89	371
Totals	443	460	419	1322

CITY SQUARE

Hanson	89	94	74	257
Skinner	85	80	75	240
Ericson	80	76	111	267
Wentworth	86	83	191	270
Byan	95	192	82	279
Totals	435	435	443	1313

SIDNA ALLEN SENTENCED

Courthouse Gunman Will Spend Thirty-Five Years In Prison

Wytheville, Va., Dec. 12.—Sidna Allen, one of the Hillsville gunmen who shot up the Carroll county courthouse and killed five persons, was convicted of voluntary manslaughter.

The jury fixed his punishment at five years' imprisonment. He was on trial on a first degree murder indictment for the killing of State Attorney Foster.

Allen already had been found guilty of second degree murder at a former trial for the killing of Judge Massie, for which he had been sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

Another indictment pending against him for the murder of Sheriff Webb was compromised by letting him plead guilty to second degree murder and take a fifteen years' sentence. The combined sentences make thirty-five years.

Three indictments against Wesley Edwards, Allen's nephew, also were compromised, he taking a sentence of nine years' imprisonment on each.

COURT MOVED TO MERCY

Man Who Stole Overcoat Is Presented With $60 by Three Justices

New York, Dec. 12.—Herbert Hensel, whose family—wife and baby—had 5 cents' worth of rolls as their Thanksgiving day dinner, was handed a purse of $60 by three justices in the court of special sessions when Hensel stood before them awaiting sentence for stealing a $25 overcoat. He was given a suspended sentence and allowed to walk out a free man, with a job assured him, to join the two for whom he stole.

Dispossessed from his home, Hensel went into a department store, donned a new overcoat and was on his way, when arrested, to dispose of the coat at the same counter over which his wife had pawned her wedding ring and shoes. His pathetic story moved the court to mercy and benevolence.

CUDAHY FAMILY REUNITED

Court Orders Four Children Restored to the Remarried Parents

Kansas City, Dec. 12.—After being separated from their parents nearly three years, the four children of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cudahy have been turned over to them by an order of the court.

Litigation concerning the children has been in the courts most of the time since they were given into the custody of the grandmother, Mrs. Michael Cudahy of Pasadena, Cal., following a fight between Cudahy and Jere S. Lillis, a Kansas City banker, in the Cudahy home three years ago, which resulted in a divorce.

Several months ago Mr. and Mrs. Cudahy were remarried.

CLOSE SHAVE FOR THE BENEDICTS

Won By Two Pins. Conductors Outclassed

BY MOTORMEN FRIENDS

Benedicts and Bachelors rolled for the approval of their Wollaston neighbors at the Coliseum alleys, Wednesday evening, the former winning by only two pins. Berry, a Benedict, was high man single with 95 and De Coste was high total with a score of 251.

The Motormen were satisfied with a lead of 130 pins over the Conductors. It was another case of the man behind never catching up. McDonald secured 104 as high single and 264 for best total.

MARRIED MEN

	1	2	3	Totals
Rich	85	83	81	249
Shay	72	69	81	222
Robertson	74	73	85	232
De Coste	73	91	87	251
Totals	304	316	334	954

SINGLE MEN.

Berry	69	95	75	239
Cahill	65	85	79	229
Nickerson	75	85	79	239
Harry Tab	77	83	85	245
Totals	286	348	318	952

MOTORMEN (Cappelini, Capt.)

Seaverns	80	86	82	248
Ford	79	79	93	251
MacDonald	79	104	81	264
Matti	81	77	73	231
Cappelini	80	100	78	258
Totals	399	446	407	1252

CONDUCTORS (Johnson, Capt.)

Kent	73	75	80	228
Cowie	81	66	66	213
Irwin	64	71	88	223
Johnson	84	59	75	218
Anderson	89	76	75	240
Totals	391	347	384	1122

Report of the Condition of the
Granite Trust Co.
of Quincy at the close of business November 26th 1912, as rendered to the Bank Commissioner.

ASSETS.

Stocks and bonds	$34,861.25
Loans on real estate,	2,825.13
Demand loans with collateral,	242,959.59
Other demand loans,	57,261.66
Time loans with collateral	110,149.63
Other time loans,	551,082.02
Overdrafts,	185.35
Other assets, National Granite Bank deposited with Nat'l. Shawmut Bank	200.00
Due from reserve banks	162,235.45
Cash: Currency and specie,	60,201.99
Checks on other banks	2,599.05
Other cash items,	706.94
	$1,225,268.06

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock,	$150,000.00
Surplus fund,	150,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid,	68,308.78
Deposits	
Subject to check,	781,318.27
Certificates of deposit,	62,500.16
Certified checks,	1,254.38
Due to other banks,	11,764.34
Dividends unpaid,	45.00
Tellers overs	77.13
	$1,225,268.06

For the last thirty days the average reserve carried was; currency and specie, 7 percent, deposited in reserve banks, 24 per cent, United States and Massachusetts bonds, none per cent.

Quincy, Mass. Dec. 12, 1912.

Norfolk, ss.

Then personally appeared Rupert F. Claflin, Treasurer, and Theophilus King, President, and Clarence Burgin, Herbert T. Whitman, Delcevare King and Henry G. Smith directors of the Granite Trust Company, and made oath that the foregoing statement, by them subscribed, is true, to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Before me,

JOHN F. HUNT.
Notary Public.
12-1t

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

a Wollaston — b Norfolk Downs — c Atlantic — d Neponset — e Pope's Hill — * Saturdays Only — f Harrison Square — g Savin Hill — h Crescent Avenue — i Sonth Boston — r Quincy Adams — † Except Saturday — Exp.—Express train.

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave	Stop	Arrive	Leave	Stop	Arrive
r 5 14	abcdefghi	5 41	5 45	ihgfedcba	6 14 r
r 6 16	abci	6 35	6 12	ihgfedcba	6 39 r
r 6 33	e	6 49	6 30	a	6 47
r 6 40	abcf	7 00	7 15	hgfedcba	7 41 r
r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	c	8 03 r
r 7 33	Exp	7 48	8 35	ca	8 52
r 7 42	ab	8 00	8 42	b	8 59
7 57	a	8 13	9 10	fedba	9 32 r
r 8 09	abcd	8 31	9 45	a	10 01 r
r 8 29	a	8 46	10 15	ihgfedcba	10 41 r
r 8 53	ad	9 10	10 55	Exp	11 10
r 9 15	abc	9 33	11 15	hgfedcba	11 41 r
r 10 03	a	10 20	11 50	a	12 07
r 10 19	abcdefghi	10 45	12 15	hgfedcba	12 41 r
11 12	a	11 23	12 37	a	12 54
r 11 24	abcdefgh	11 50	12 50	Exp	1 05
12 04	a	12 20	1 17	fedcba	1 44
r 12 19	abcdefghi	12 45	1 45	a	2 01
r 1 20	a	1 37	2 15	fedcba	2 37 r
2 04	a	2 20	2 35	Exp	2 50
r 2 19	abcdefgh	2 45	3 15	hgfedcba	3 40 r
r 3 13	Exp	3 28	3 45	a	4 02
4 04	a	4 20	4 12	fedcba	4 34 r
r 4 26	abcdefgh	4 52	4 41	c	4 58
5 06	Exp	5 20	4 57	a	5 11
r 5 30	abcdefg	5 55	5 14	a	5 31
6 12	ab	6 32	5 24	a	5 42
*6 59	a	7 16	5 31	dcb	5 50 r
†7 05	b	7 22	5 43	a	6 00 r
r 7 22	Exp	7 37	5 55	iedcba	6 21 r
7 29	ab	7 46	6 14	Exp	6 30 r
r 8 07	abcdef	8 30	6 31	ecba	6 52 r
r 9 10	abc	9 28	7 00	fedcba	7 24 r
*9 17	Exp.	9 32	7 12	a	7 28
r 10 07	abcdef	10 30	8 05	fedcba	8 28 r
*10 19	a	10 35	*8 20	Exp	8 35
r 11 25	abcd	11 45	9 25	dba	9 46 r
			*9 35	Exp	9 51
			10 35	fedcba	11 01 r
			*11 07	a	11 25 r
			†11 10	fedcba	11 35 r
			*11 26	ba	11 43 r
			†11 30	ba	11 49

SUNDAYS

r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 30	ba	6 48 r
8 30	Exp	8 45	8 45	ihgfecba	9 13 r
r 8 46	bcdefghi	9 13	9 05	Exp	9 21
r 9 13	abc	9 33	10 15	ihgfedcba	10 42 r
9 31	a	9 47	12 15	ihgfedcba	12 42 r
10 23	ac	10 40	12 45	Exp	1 01
11 05	Exp	11 22	1 30	ihgfedcba	1 57 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 43	2 15	hgfedcba	2 42 r
1 02	Fxp	1 17	3 15	ihgfedcba	3 42 r
r 1 16	abcdefgh	1 43	4 27	cba	4 48 r
r 3 10	abc	3 30	5 15	ihgfedcba	5 42 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 43	6 15	ihgfedcba	6 42 r
r 5 07	abc	5 27	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 43	8 15	ihgfedcba	8 41 r
7 15	Exp	7 30	8 45	a	9 01 r
r 7 21	abcdefghi	7 47	9 30	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
r 8 16	abcdefghi	8 43	10 45	cba	11 04 r
9 12	a	9 30			
r 10 46	abc	11 05			

West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)-6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.12 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)-6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, †5.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.28, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.20, 11.20 P. M, **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 3, 1912.

(Subject to change without notice.

Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.56 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00,7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

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LARGEST **GUARANTEED** CIRCULATION IN THE CITY

Vol. 27 No. 291 QUINCY, MASS., FRIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 13, 1912 PRICE TWO CENTS

FREE TRIP TO WASHINGTON

Miss Morrissett Nearing the Thousand Mark

JOSEPH BARBER MOVES UP

The totals of the first five in the Washington contest are about the same as yesterday, only small gains being made. But Miss Morrissett of Crescent street has passed Miss Lamont of the L. L. O. L., and is nearing the 1000 mark.

Joseph Barber of Elm avenue has moved up from No. 40 to No. 14, with a total of 145. When a candidate passes the 100 mark he will find that the votes come easier, as friends then rally to his support.

Gains were also made by Harry Burr, Morton Beattie, Dan Scouler, William Wilson, Walter Mead, John Mahon and others.

New candidates today are Miss Helen King, Richard J. Gray and William Allen.

Whenever any candidate thinks any error has been made in counting the votes he should promptly notify the Contest Editor that the figures may be revised. We want every candidate to have all the votes to which he is entitled.

Candidates will find a rubber stamp a great convenience in stamping their coupons. Every coupon should have the candidate's name.

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PRESENTED A PURSE OF GOLD

Rev. Mr. Todd Guest at Banquet in His Honor

Rev. James Todd, a former Quincy pastor and known throughout the New England for his noted connections with the Presbyterian faith was tendered a dinner at Young's Hotel, Thursday evening by his associate members of the Scots' Charitable Society. Rev. Mr. Todd is retiring from the chairmanship of the relief committee after seven years' service.

In testimony of the many kind, appreciative and complimentary references made to Rev. Mr. Todd he was presented with a purse of gold coins by President Pottinger.

Overcome with a depth of sentiment at the loyalty of his friends and embarrassed by the warmth and wholeheartedness of the occasion he had considerable difficulty in acknowledging the gift.

The dinner was attended by well known men throughout the state and all the speeches contained some reference to the accomplishment, personality and aggressiveness of Rev. Mr. Todd.

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

READ LEDGER ADVS.

FIELD AND HIGGINS STRONGLY OPPOSE PROPOSITION FOR A PUBLIC DOCK

Dr. Welch Suggests That the Interests Concerned, Get Together, Form Syndicate and Operate Own Pier

Ex-Councilman Smith and Rupert F. Claflin Favored the Proposition From an Economic Standpoint

FORMER ENTERPRISES THAT WERE PASSED FINALLY PROVED MIGHTY EXPENSIVE WHEN FORCED OF ACCOMPLISHMENT

There was about an attendance of 200 citizens at the public hearing held in the Council Chamber Thursday evening by the special committee of the City Council and citizens committee on the public dock question. Under the new order passed Monday evening the scope of the committee was enlarged so that they could consider the advisibility of establishing a public dock as well as to consider the question of site. Hon William T. Shea presided and in opening said that the committee would divide the question. First they would consider the question of site and then the question of advisibility. As a matter of fact however the hearing developed into a question of site. The hearing was a lengthy one and it developed that there was considerable opposition to the establishment of the dock.

The speakers were Peter T. Fallon, John J. Gallagher, Ex-Councilman John D. Smith, Councilman-elect Joseph L. Whiton, Rupert F. Claflin, Senator-elect John J. McDevitt, John Q. A. Field, Capt. Daniel C. Higgins and Dr. John F. Welch.

The committee was liberal in its views allowing both speakers and cross examiners a great deal of latitude and the audience had a good chance on more than one occasion to enjoy the dry humor and wit of Capt. Higgins and John Q. A. Field. Councilman Sandberg did most of the cross examination, his questions in the main being hypothetical. To those Dr. Welch simply replied, that he did not consider himself competent to answer questions relative to conditions in foreign countries, Liverpool or other ports, but he felt that he knew something of conditions in Quincy and could only speak on those.

His suggestion that the men interested in this project should if it was such a good enterprise form a company and either buy or lease property and build a pier and thus reap the benefit.

Senator-elect John J. McDevitt, took a stand which was somewhat surprising to many, yet showed he had the courage of his convictions.

Representative-elect William J. Leslie and Michael T. Sullivan, were not present.

Mr. Fallon attempted to corner Mr. Field when he asked if he had not paid him (Field) thousands for Stone. "You did," leisurely answered Mr. Field.

Mr. Fallon quick to see what he thought was a telling point, fired back, "What did you do with the thousands I paid you?" Mr. Field leaned against the desk, squared his shoulders, dug his hand deeper into his trousers pockets but with out any more emotion than he exhibited during the whole course of his remarks and examinatfon, laconically answered "used them to pay my honest debts." Mr. Fallon had no more to say along that line.

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COMMISSION GOVERNMENT

To Be Discussed by Charles W. Eliot of Harvard

The speaker at the December meeting of the First Parish club next Tuesday evening will be Dr. Charles W. Eliot of Cambridge, President emeritus of Harvard University whose subject will be "The Commission form of government in cities." The topic is of particular interest to Quincy at the present time when there is so much agitation about reducing the members of the City Council and other changes in the City Charter.

GOODHUE RIGHT IN LOCATING

Delinquents Who Fail to Make Good Their Promises

Edward McMannis who was defaulted by the district court some time ago was arrested by Inspector Goodhue at Dorchester Thursday night. McMannis was in court in September 1911 on a complaint for larceny of $25 from Clements express. At that time the case was continued that he might make restitution. He made several small payments and then skipped and nothing more was heard from him until recently when he was located by Inspeetor Goodhue and arrested Thursday night. He was brought into court this morning.

INSTALLATION.

The newly elected officers of Wollaston Masonic lodge will be installed next Tuesday evening. The installing officer will be Rt. Worshipful William H. H. Soule, Past Grand Warden of the Grand lodge of Massachusetts assisted by Wor. William B. Reid, Past Master of St. Paul's lodge of South Boston.

MRS. LYONS LAID AT REST.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine, widow of Timothy Lyons, who died at Roxbury, after a short illness took place this morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. John E. Poland of 835 Hancock street. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at Sacred Heart church, by Rev. Fr. J. P. Cuffe. Music was by the regular choir. Interment was in Calvary cemetery, Boston. The deceased was in her 77th year.

☞PRATT'S BREAD is baked for those who want good bread. Grocers sell it.

NEW THEATRE OPENS MONDAY

Kincaide House, Home of Clean Pictures and Vaudeville

AT POPULAR PRICES

The new Kincaide Theatre will open Monday night of next week, although much work remains to be done in the few days remaining. The event



CAPT. GEORGE A. WARDWELL
Manager of New Kincaide Theatre.

is an important one in the history of Quincy. The building is one of which Quincy people may well be proud. It is located on Hancock street in the business centre near Music hall, Alpha hall and other amusements, if of pleasing architecture as well as substantial. The facade is particularly

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That Name—FOY

Stands for all that's GOOD in eatables

YOU want pure foods; you pay for pure foods; you get pure foods if you trade at this store.

It has always been the policy of this store to think first of quality and then apply prices consistent.

Put the searchlight on foods and you put more health in the home. There is no keener test of quality than Foy's specific guarantee of purity.



FOR THE SUNDAY DINNER

Leg of Mutton, lb 12½c

It will make a delightful dinner and at a most reasonable cost if bought of Foy.

Fresh Eastern Pork, lb 15c

Our pork never ran any better than at present. Tender and sweet—and will just make your mouth water to see it.

Fancy Cape Turnips, (white) peck 23c

An extra good lot—sweet and tender and not bitter.

Cranberries 10c Dark red, tart and tasty, QT

Fancy Onions 15c Large and sound. 4 QUARTS

Sweet Florida Oranges, doz. 23c

Oranges are now at their best. Thin skinned.

Grape Fruit, ea 5c A delicious appetizer.

Maine Potatoes, pk 25c The BEST—Mealy and white.

Refugee Beans, "Hatchet Brand"	2 cans 25c	Catsup, Blue Label Brand	pint bottle 21c
Tomato Soup, The famous Campbell's	3 cans 25c	Japanese Crab Meat Large cans	45c
Crisco, The new shortening	can 25c	Pancake Flour, "Aunt Jemima's"	pkg 10c
New Rolled Oats,	7 lbs 25c	Scotch Oat Meal,	6 lbs 25c
Rumford Baking Powder,	lb 25c	Quaker Oats,	pkg 8c
Fancy New Apricots,	lb 15c	Fancy Evap. Peaches,	lb 10c

R. E. FOY & CO.

Dec. 13 2t

CHRISTMAS

Gifts for Men

CHRISTMAS comes but once a year 'tis true, and it is none the less a fact that Christmas is only **one day** out of the year. So the Christmas gift to be **ideal** should be useful **throughout** the year to remind us of the single, happy gift Day.

Useful "Knick-Knacks." which one sees on every side, may be **useful** but they still ARE knick-knacks. Don't give them.

You'll find no "dinky" gifts here. Nor gifts which must wear a direction label to tell you what to use them for. Nothing here but the **sensible**—the truly sensible.

Real Utility plus the Luxuriance, the Elegance and the Beauty, all of which, united mark **true appropriateness** in the ideal Christmas gift.

WHY NOT GIVE HIM

GLOVES—Fowne's Cape Gloves in tan at $1.50 and $2. Mocha Gloves lined with silk at $1.50. Wool lined at $1 and $1.50. Lined Kid Gloves at $1.75. Or a pair of Fur Lined Mocha Gloves $3.50 to $5.

SHIRTS—E&W Shirts of Soft Madras in pretty colorings at $1.50. Or the Stag brand with plaited or plain bosoms at $1.

HOSIERY—The famous Interwoven Hose for men in all the good colors at 25c.; in Silk at 50c.

UMBRELLAS—For men and women, with handsome wood handles, some with chased silver and gilt $1 to $5.

SHOES—Ralston Shoes in the best leathers and correct styles $4 to $5.

BELTS—Leather belts that will please any man, young or old at 50c.

CRAVATS—The choicest collection we have ever shown, 2000 and more to select from. Plain colors and multi-colors, 25c to $1. Knitted Silk Cravats 50c. to $1.

DRESS PROTECTORS—For evening wear or for use as neck comforters on cold days. Of black silk with white lining, $1.25 and $1.75.

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GARTERS—Brighton, Paris and Boston garters in dainty gift boxes, 25c, or in silk at 50c.

SLIPPERS—In tan or black leathers with good soles and heels, 50c to $2.

SUSPENDERS—The President Suspenders in dainty designs in pretty gift boxes at 50c.

And all these but a small suggestion of the ideal gifts for men that await you in the store "Just Around the Corner"—catering to men of taste.

GEORGE W. JONES

1 Granite Street "Just Around the Corner" Quincy, Mass.

Dec. 12-3t Q Dec.14

At Quincy Adams Station

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Best Winter stock at

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At $2.50 per barrel

Now is your opportunity to secure a barrel of Apples for Christmas. This is the last car this season.

Also we have some **Fancy Yellow Turnips** at $1.50 per barrel.

And some **Solid Winter Cabbage** at $1 per Barrel.

DUNN BROS.

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Dec. 12 3t

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Choice Leg and Loin of Winter Lamb at 12 1-2c
Fancy Leg and Loin Spring Lamb at 17c
Fore Quarter of Lamb at 8 to 12 1-2c
Roast of Fresh Pork at 16c
Fresh or Corned Shoulder at 15c

Early June Peas	can 12½c	Native Onions	4 qts. 15c
Maine Corn (best)	can 12½c	Turban Squash (dry)	lb. 3c
Raspberries (fancy)	can 18c	Fresh Lettuce	head 5c
Peaches (Griffins sliced)	15c	Boston Market Celery	bunch 15c
Prunes (Large Cal.)	2 lbs. 25c	Brussels Sprouts	basket 15c
Pure Jams (Ritters)	bot. 19c	Hot house Cucumbers	each 12c

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The committee on rules while not very much impressed should consider that several million people desire some light on that railroad deal even if it does not appeal very strongly to the rules committee.

Philadelphia has had its egg day without any bad results.

Tosca has been toned down. When art borders on the vulgar or suggestive it ceases to be art and the quicker so-called artists are convinced they cannot run rampant over the finer feelings of people the better will be the community be served by art.

Sarah Bernhardt is conceded to be head and shoulders above those who are continually prating about art, yet her aim has always been to keep things clean on the stage.

It is a matter of doubt whether the man found hanging in Franklin park, and cut down in time to live, is condemning or grateful to his rescuers.

If president-elect Wilson did not know of the threats on his life there is no danger but what he has seen the various guesses handed out on the cabinet make up by mind readers.

Senator Lodge asks for an appropriation for a history of the senate chamber desks. Better let the dead rest Cabot, if some of those old chairs could talk there is no knowing just what they would say about the dead and gone to say nothing of those still on earth.

The President of Amherst college may be harsh when he says the college athlete is knock kneed in the class room, but it is expected that he would be spavine after such long rest from intellectual pursuit.

Mrs. Wickersham submits a quartette of don't which would aid materially in relieving people from being bored outside as well as inside Washington.

What will the Fore River fire bug do when the old building on which he has held such a carnival is no more?

A well filled purse is quite necessary for one who would like to go the limit in the Christmas spirit.

Hackensack, N. J. is having its period of industrial unrest, with two deaths and several persons injured as a feature.

New York has been selected as the Progressive headquarters, which is said to be an other victory. He deserves some recognition seeing how much it is costing him.

The De Luxe crooks have been sidetracked in the Newspaper columns by woman smugglers who have successfully operated for a long time but like the proverbial pitcher ventured just once too often.

Bridgie Webber has changed his tune now that he is free. He evidently thinks the end to a peaceful existence justifies the means.

THE DOCK QUESTION.

The citizens of Quincy, either lack interest, or desire to shift responsibility in the matter of the public dock proposition. One or the other of those combinations was manifested by the slim attendance at the hearing conducted by the committee appointed for that purpose of securing public sentiment on the subject at the City Hall, Thursday night.

By actual count there were less than 200 people present at any one time during the evening. There were some shifting as to the attendants, but in the main the statement holds good that at no time, was there over 200 people present. This is rather a poor showing for a registered voting of strength of nearly 6000, when such an important subject is under discussion.

In view of this situation, Chairman Shea decided to hold another session of the committee and adjourned to next Wednesday evening.

There were arguments advanced on both sides, some of them tenable, others which were so weak that they were or rather should have been offered in an apologetic vein.

Hypothetical questions were asked, but they were asked by members of the committee.

Examination to bring out facts, and figures which would be beneficial to the committee in its consideration of the situation is commendable.

Cross examination by members of the committee, with the only end of such a course in sight, is hardly the course pursued in such cases.

The arguments of both sides contained some merit. The committee is seeking facts. They have not prejudged the case, or at least that should be their attitude. Their minds should be open, receptive, free to take on everything that is dropped which may aid them in their rather difficult task. Then having drained the fountain of obtainable knowledge to the dregs they should proceed to sift it and dig out that which is pure material and cast aside the grout.

In the meantime the citizens should get busy and learn something about this dock question. And having posted themselves they should proceed to express their views for or against the proposition.

They have plenty of time to decide the question to their own satisfaction and give their views between now and Wednesday night.

CHARITY BEGINS AT HOME.

That charity begins at home is an old and trite saying and few will deny the wisdom of the sentiment conveyed. This gives rise to the query are we sufficiently charitable in our treatment of home subjects and home conditions. One of the Boston papers the other day suggested that it would be a good thing if the Boston Chamber of Commerce took a trip to South America in the interests of trade and commerce providing that they did not return and immediately demand that the United States take a hand in regulating the frightful labor conditions which existed in the countries where they visited. This brings us back to the original thought. There are conditions in this country today which are winked at which are far worse than any existing in the so called heathern countries. While in the latter the evils are obscure and hidden from view to a certain extent, in this country they are practised in the open, in thickly settled populous cities. It is absurd to contend that the authorities do not know of their existence. When a clamor is set up for reform the usual answer is lack of official notification. Which sounds very good. But if an officer walking along the street was to see a murder, robbery or other crime committed would he wait for official notification to apprehend the guilty person. Hardly. Yet crimes of certain type are committed each day and night under the eyes of the authorities and no notice is taken of them.

TOSCA MODIFIED.

Boston has put its foot down and demanded that Tosca, or at least that part of it played by Mary Garden and Vanni Marcoux be toned down. It is too real, too suggestive, too much beyond the demands of the public in this direction. Then a few artists get upon their hind legs and howl about art. "To produce the true artist tone to the production, such and such a thing should be done." "The artist has caught the spirit of the playwright." Fudge! True art was never meant to give people a bad impression or send them from a museum or play house with a bad taste in their mouth, or a feeling that they had witnessed something out of the ordinary in the sense meant. Art comes near being true to nature and there is nothing in the earth or under the sea in the form of nature, that one would turn their back upon because of any undue shock to their nerves or sensibilities.

Manager Russell in an open letter however has made a suggestion which should bear fruit. He points out that in certain amusement places in Boston there are suggestions and the like, which are not produced because of the true artistic spirit, which are questionable. Even the language it is held might not be desirable. In this Manager Russell tells what many people know to be only too true. The stage censorship of Boston need not stop at the Opera house to make improvements, but can go down the line from the top to the bottom and may be some good might result from such a combing.

FOUR D'S.

This does not mean the D with a dash after it which good people often use to convey a meaning without giving full vent to the force of their thoughts. No it is a quartette of D's invented by Mrs. Wickersham wife of the United States Attorney General. Mrs. Wickersham contends and with good reason after her explanation that an adoption of her suggestion will relieve people of the unenviable reputation of being a bore. The remedy is the avoidance of the four D's, Disease, Descendants, Domestics and Dress, in ordinary conversation. A very good idea. It will not only relieve the situation in Washington but in other places as well.

The little conversation code is liable to work wonders in more ways than one. To the prolific conversationalist it enhances their value and gives them a shining place in all gatherings, the centre of the stage so to speak, but to the poor person who has been depending upon those four cardinals as the topic of flowing conversation, they will have to take a course not only to avoid their use and get accustomed to the new code but likewise take more time in looking up and studying subjects, which they can treat with a fair degree of intelligence. In the main it may lead to more intelligent conversation and a greater knowledge of the events of the day. Mrs. Wickersham deserves commendation for her position if in part she relieves people of the boredom of listening to the subjects tabooed by the code she will have accomplished a great deal.

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Three Little Letters Upon the One Subject

ALL DIPLOMATIC

While it is hardly necessary to go into that recount business any further than has been done, yet in order that the public may be fully cognizant of what it is going on and that the Ledger may not be accused of unfairness or a desire to suppress with undue strenuousness any budding literary efforts the following communications are presented in the order of their receipt; and speak for themselves:

Editor Daily Ledger:—In your issue of the 9th inst. I notice you think you have proof that I asked for a recount of the votes for mayor, as you announced in Saturday's issue. While you certainly have proof enough to justify you in publishing as you did, yet there is some mistake, for I DID NOT apply for a recount, I DID NOT authorize any one else, and I DID NOT know of any one else if they did, yet I can see where Mr. Raymond might be mixed and still feel sure he was right.

On Wednesday after election I was told Mr. Penniman would ask for a

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DR. SEERLEY WILL LECTURE

At Many Places in City During His Three Days Stay.

Dr. F. N. Seerley of Springfield, Mass., is to be in Quincy for business on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 13, 14, 15. Dr. Seerley is a practicing physician, a member of the Springfield school committee and a writer of national reputation. Many of the pamphlets published by the American Society of Sanitary and Moral Prophylaxis were written by him. He has lectured also in practically every state in the Union and has taken lecture tours in England, Germany and France. He is to conduct a campaign along the lines of sex education in Quincy starting this evening. His program is as follows: On Friday evening he will address a Parents meeting in City hall to which invitations have been issued by Mayor Stone. His topic will be "Help"—the cry of the Boy.

On Saturday morning Dr. Seerley will address a boys meeting in the Y. M. C. A. gym in the topic "How to be Strong." At noon he will go to the Fore River for a Men's meeting. In the evening he will attend a conference at the Court House upon the invitation of Judge Avery.

On Sunday he will conduct a big Men's meeting in the Auditorium theatre taking as his topic "Some Problems of Sex."

During the stay here Dr. Seerley will also address the Senior and Employed Boy groups at the Y. M. C. A.

He is taking up this work because he realizes the great peril of ignorance along the lines of sex. Although a busy man in his home city he is giving all the time he can possibly spare to this all-important work of awakening young and old alike to the danger which is confronting them. His addresses are not given for the purpose of frightening his auditors but serve to educate and set them thinking of sex matters along sensible and national lines.

DISTRICT COURT.

Michael Coyle was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case placed on probation until March 5 on payment of $5 costs.

The continued liquor case of George Nash of Quincy was again continued until Dec. 1 and the continued liquor case of Jack Lee of Holbrook was again continued until Dec. 19.

Edward McMannis was brought in on a default warrant for larceny at Quincy. He was sentenced to three months in the house of correction. Sentence suspended to July 9, 1913.



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NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

The Milton High school hockey team which last year met and defeated some of the best teams in the state have started active indoor practice in the Cunningham gymnasium and from the large list of candidates the success of the season is practically assured.

A schedule, calling for games with schools of note in hockey circles, has been arranged.

The available men who were on the 1911 team are Paul Dudley, Kingsley Barnes, Robert Sweeney, Gerald Poole, Walter Farrell, Axel Gustafson.

New men to appear are George Chandler and Paul Mather of football fame, Merle Poole and Paul Morrissey who played well on the baseball team, Morton Swift, Fenton Mitchell, Hugh Robertson, Ronald Anderson and George Bearse.

Paul Dudley will be the captain for the season and Malcolm Howe is the manager. It is probable that J. Cromant, a teacher at the high school will coach the team.

The following schedule has been arranged:

Jan. 1 or 2 Open.
Jan. 7 Somerville High at Somerville.
Jan. 10 Open.
Jan. 16 Malden high at Milton.
Jan. 21 Melrose High at Milton.
Jan. 28 Rindge M. T. S. at Milton.
Jan. 30 Milton Academy at Cunningham rink.
Feb. 13 Somerville high at Milton.
Feb. 18 Newton high at Newton.
Feb. 21 Mechanics Art high at Milton.
Feb. 27 Malden high at Malden.

The indications are that the directors of the Walter Baker Co., Ltd., will build an enclosed base ball park for the team representing their mill and as far as can be learned the choice of sites is Mattapan, with Dorchester as second best choice. Last season the boys performed in splendid fashion and batting and fielding averages were high grade. Next season the team will appear on the field of new uniforms. Arrangements have been made to run their annual dance at Milton Town Hall in the near future and as the affair is one of the leading events of the year the committee is giving the matter considerable attention. Those in charge are Charles Lee, Robert Oakes and Clarence Ash.

Miss Agnes McAndrews, daughter of James McAndrews, the ex-professional golfer, of Denmark avenue is doing well at the Boston City Hospital where she was operated upon for apendicitis. It is expected that she will be at her home for the Christmas holidays.

S. Paolucci, who is at his winter camp at Canton reports the best season record made to date. He has brought down seven foxes and bagged 38 racoons in two weeks. Both his dogs, Lee and Gyp, well known to all the shooting fraternity, are with him. Owing to the warm weather skins have not been as good as possible.

The interest is keen in the bowling league for members at the Cunningham gym. E. Paolucci, Herbert Clark and Walter Bishop are tie for first honors for high single with 123 pins. H. Woods and E. Paolucci lead in the best average with 92.9. Both are members of team three which has won 22 out of a possible 24 points. The other men on the leading quintet are Edward Cummings, John Cruikshank.

The winners at the whist party of the Thursday Evening club held in their rooms Thursday evening were Mrs. Charles Robertson, Officer James Travis who played as a lady, Robert Clark and James Gibbs.

Mrs. Charles Johnson and Miss Pope of Mattapan were chosen on the social committee of the Cunningham gym by a post card canvas. The first regular social under their direction will be on New Years Eve.

The commercial classes of the Milton High school, in charge of Miss Margaret Brand and J. Cromant, inspected the entire factory of the Walter Baker Co., Ltd. Carl Cram, foreman of one of the factories acted as their guide. Chocolate of all description was distributed and refreshments were served. The classes feel that a most profitable afternoon was spent as it was the first time many Milton pupils have been allowed to go through the complete factory.

The Boston Y. M. C. A. prep basket ball team has a fine Milton representation in its lineup. Harold Bishop is playing back and his brother George, the former quarterback of Cunningham gym is a forward. John Sullivan who also filled the tackle position this season is holding down the centre.

The schools close for a 16 days vacation on Dec. 13, opening after New Years day. Formerly but 10 days vacation was allowed but the increase has made the pupils very jubilant.

The members of the Milton high school football team are making arrangements to hold a football dance in the Milton Town hall, the date to be announced later. The committee is Capt. Gerald Poole, Mather Bearse and Coach Sis Hazleton.

Thursday evening at the Tucker School Hall the members of the Tucker School Association held a monthly meeting at 8 o'clock. Rev. A. D. Smith spoke on "Father, Mother and Son." Miss Maud Jackson gave a reading and Mrs. Fred Hayes rendered selections on the xylophone. The meeting under the auspices of the hospitality committee, Mrs. Benjamin Gardner, chairman was well attended.

Seven deer, four in one group and three in another, were reported several days ago in the vicinity of Hillside street.

The Girls' Club of the First Parish Church meet this evening in the parish house for its regular meeting and entertainment.

The annual meeting and election of officers of Col. Oliver Peabody Camp, Sons of Veterans, Thursday evening at Town Hall resulted as follows: Ernest E. Leavitt, commander; Peter Cummins, senior vice commander; Charles A. Cook, junior vice commander; Orrin P. Doe, Edward M. Fletcher and Frank W. Cappers, camp council; Arthur W. Houghton, treasurer.

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VOTING CONTEST

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PRIZE CERTIFICATE.

A prize certificate, good for 200 votes is offered by the Contest Editor this week. It will be awarded at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 16, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 9—16. Note this is not necessarily for the leader but for the "biggest gain." The leader may gain only 1000 during the week, but a new candidate may enter with 2000 and win the certificate, or one with 25 votes might gain more than the leader. It gives all an equal chance.

Candidates should not hesitate to ask ANY of their friends for a year's subscription to the Daily Ledger to help them win the Washington trip or the diamond ring. If already a subscriber, they may be willing to pay another subscription NOW, that you may have a certificate for 1000 votes. Certificates are also issued to all new subscribers who send cash with their order. All subscriptions for one year are good for 1000 votes, whether from December to December, or March to March, or July to July, or October to October.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M., was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	10555
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	8780
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
A. R. MacKay, Hetasophs	1640
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	955
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	755
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	635
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	255
Galen Bowditch, messenger	190
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Sam Shellman, Granite street	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Richard Larkin, High school	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	70
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	65
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	65
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	60
John T. Cain, K. of C.	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	60
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	55
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	45
John Mahon, organist	45
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
Walter Mead, High school	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	35
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	35
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
B. L. Smith, Fore River	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	30
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	25
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
William Allen, Eagles	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

"Vote early and often."



☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

AMUSEMENTS

DOINGS ON THE STAGE IN

BOSTON AND VICINITY

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE.

Second only to the opening of the season and rivaling the wonderfully complete production of "Tales of Hoffmann" disclosed on that occasion will be the premiere of Charpentier's "Louise" announced for Wednesday evening, Dec. 18, at the Boston Opera House. "Louise" is more of a novelty than the Offenbach work, for but once has it been sung previously in Boston, during one of the visits of Oscar Hammerstein's Manhattan Opera Company. No other piece in modern opera repertory requires such a deal of preparation in every way, for not only is the orchestral score tricky and difficult and the demand made on the stage director, many and varied, but the cast calls for no less than forty principals in addition to a full chorus and ballet.

The Louise will be Mme. Louise Edvina, already a great favorite with the Boston public since her debut as Antonia. Charpentier himself has styled Mme. Edvina "the ideal Louise," and as a token of his admiration for her art she has been invited to sing an aria from the opera at a concert consisting of the composer's works exclusively, to be given in Lille, France, next May. It will be in the way of a celebration of his election to the Institute. Charpentier, who will conduct, was asked as to which of all the famous sopranos who have sung the part, he would prefer for the occasion and his immediate answer was: "Madame Edvina." The invitation came by cable last week and was graciously accepted.

The theme of "Louise" has been termed "the cry of Paris," but it is the cry which ever surges in the heart of youth the cry for the city of joy. The story is a very simple one and because of its great natural simplicity it is intensely dramatic. Louise, a sewing girl, living with her parents in the mansard attic of a workingman's tenement on Montmartre, falls in love with Julien, a young poet whose chamber window opens on the same court. The parents have reached middle life, without having realized any romatic dreams of their own and so they fail to sympathize with or understand the moods of the girl, but on the other hand try to stifle her hopes and longings.

Owing to the magnitude of the production and the length of the opera, the curtain will rise at 7.45 on all evenings when "Louise" is sung.

The second notable event of the week will be the first appearance for the season of Mme. Luisa Tetrazzini, who will be heard in the title role in "Lucia" at the Saturday matinee. Associated with her in the performance will be Giuseppe Gaudenzi as Edgardo and Anafesto Rossi, the new baritone as Ashton.

Monday evening, Miss Garden will conclude her season and sing for the last time in "Thais." The Anthanael will again be Mr. Marcoux, the Nicias Fernand de Potter and in roles of lesser import will be heard Mmes. Fisher, Swartz, Wilson and Scotney and Mm. Lankow and Chasseriaux. Friday night, "Tales of Hoffmann" will be sung for the fourth time, and then will have made the round of the subscription performances. The original cast will again be heard and the beauties of the production again be revealed.

For the Saturday evening's opera at halved prices, Mme. Evelyn Scotney again will be heard in a florid, coloratura part, well suited to her truly lovely voice.—Violetta in "Traviata." Ramella will be Alfredo and M. Blanchart the elder Germont. Mmes. DeCourcy and Heymat will be cast as Flora and Annina.

HOLLLIS STREET THEATRE.

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" at the Hollis Street Theatre, enters upon her second and positively farewell week Monday. During the past week "Rebecca" won each heart with her youthful charms. In these days when every play has a purpose or a preachment, and the uplift impulse is strong in our midst, the drama without a problem comes like the refreshing showers in a summer drought. And "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" is such a play. Episodical, in the manner of many dramatized novels, it depends for success upon the freshness of purity of theme, and the keenness with which the Yankee types are drawn. Mrs. Wigin and Charlotte Thompson have most happily presented such well-remembered incidents as Rebecca's arrival at Brick House, where the stiff routine forces her to run away; the soap peddling excursion that introduces Mr. Aladdin, and incidentally the love motif; the pathetic Simpson family; finally graduation day, when Rebecca, standing on the threshold of womanhood, faces the future, with a promise of future happiness to be shared with Mr. Aladdin. These somewhat unrelated scenes are fused together by the many little happenings of New England village life, and four artistic settings add an atmospheric background. Edith Taliaferro is so identified with the part of Rebecca that impersonation is forgotten in her naive and ingenuous handling of the role, and she seems really only a child in years. The long dress of the final scene comes as a complete surprise. Archie Boyd is again the jovial, wholesouled stage driver, comforting Rebecca in her troubles, and playing the rustic diplomat for all Riverboro. Aunt Miranda whose sharp tongue hides a kind heart, is painted with cameo-like clearness by Marie Day.

BOSTON THEATRE.

Without a question of a doubt, the appearance of Eddie Foy and his 75 players and special train load of gorgeous costumes, scenic and electric display announced for Dec. 16, at the Boston Theatre is one of the welcome bits, theatrically, of the day. This immense organization, under the direction of Werba and Luescher, comes direct from the Globe Theatre, New York, where it broke all records for laughter and box office receipts for a solid six months' run. It is the one musical comedy attraction that does not boast of or advertise any one particular feature, because from a standpoint of music, life, laughter and beauty, it has almost innumerable attractive novelties.

Eddie Foy, himself, is a powerful feature and recognized as the drollest comedian of effervescent, naturalborn humor on the American stage. He is a whole show in himself in his latest merry novelty, "Over the River," and New York critics were unanimous in proclaiming this latest role of his as his greatest success.

The song hits are all whistling favorites, while the "Cabaret" scene, with its riotous fun and the dancing "Berlin Madcaps" with their merry pranks, became the talk of Broadway during the engagement there.

HANDEL'S MESSIAH.

According to custom, which has grown to the proportions of a popular demand, the present season of the Handell and Haydn society will begin with two performances of Handel's Messiah during Christmas week, Dec. 22-23, at Symphony hall, Boston. The annual performance of this work by the society is still the chief event of the oratorio season. It is even more than this: to many to attend a Messiah concert has become a religious duty. Its repetition each Christmas season does not in the least lessen its great popularity. The performances will be the 126 and 127 of this work by the society.

The soloists Dec. 22 at 7.30 P. M. Will be Miss Harriot Eudora Barrows, soprano; Miss Mildred Potter, alto; William H. Pagdin, tenor; Frederic Martin, bass.

On Monday evening Dec. 23 at 7.45 the soloists will be Madame Wilhelmina Wright Calvert, soprano; Miss Mildred Potter, alto; George E. Rasely, tenor and Willard Flint, bass.

The sale of tickets is now open to the public at Symphony hall, Boston.

PARK THEATRE.

Next Monday Rose Stahl will begin the last two weeks of her engagement at the Park Theatre in Charles Klein's play of department store life "Maggie Pepper". When Miss Stahl concludes her stay she will have appeared at the Park Theatre for 17 weeks a record equalled by no other star or play in Boston this season and by few in New York where long runs are usually the rule. Matinees are given on Wednesday and Saturday.

As "Maggie Pepper" Miss Rose Stahl proved that she was one of the best actresses our modern stage has produced. The play in itself has a big human appeal, but it is the acting of Miss Stahl which makes it an attraction of the best order. As Patricia O'Brien Miss Stahl achieved distinction, as "Maggie Pepper" she has placed herself among the foremost of our players. For it is only by acting of the highest order that such a character as "Maggie Peper" has an appeal. She is an every-day girl and every-day girls are altogether too familiar to playgoers to attract unless the interpretation of the character is done with consummate art. There is no part in the play which finds itself neglected by the player, even the expressman who comes in during the last act with a couple of trunks is as carefully studied in his work as are the most important characters. But above all "Maggie Peper" is a comedy, and as a comedy the best type of entertainment. It sends the spectator home with a feeling that all's well with the world and that there is a great joy in just being alive. No one who delights in the pleasure of the theatre should miss seeing Miss Stahl in "Maggie Pepper."

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

In order to give ample time for the preparation and rehearsals of "The Gingerbread Man," the Castle Square Theatre will be closed during the coming week. Dec. 23, Mr. Craig's fifth annual holiday musical production will be given. "The Gingerbread Man" is a merry holiday play alike for children and grownups, and it contains among its personages Jack Horner, Simple Simon, Santa Claus, the Fairy Queen and many other familiar personages. There will be a chorus of forty singers, and the cast will include Mary Young as Jack Horner, John Craig as Wondrous Wise, Wilson Melrose as Machevalius Fudge, Donald Meek as the Gingerbread Man, and all the other favorite players of the Castle Square company.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE.

Something decidedly new and novel in the way of vaudeville productions is announced for B. F. Keith's Theatre next week in Jesse L. Lasky's new operetta, "In The Barracks." This production is a one-act military comic opera from the German, translated and Americanized by Cecil DeMille, and Grant Stewert, with musical score by Robert Hood Bowers. With its scene laid in the barracks of the Royal Prussian Huzzars in an old castle near Berlin, the story affords exceptional opportunity for elaborate scenic and costume effects. The company is a large one, and is headed by Myles McCarthy, Nellie Brewster, and Frank Rushworth, with a chorus of twenty huzzars and Viennese ladies. The martial music, the brilliant military uniforms, pretty girls, bright dialogue, lilting airs, and clever lyrics all go to make "In The Barracks" one of the best productions Mr. Lasky has ever turned out. The musical score is exceptionally tuneful, among the song hits being, "The Call To Arms," "The Emperoro's Own Huzzars," "I Love You Best of All," and "Farewell To the Flag." Edwin Ford and his big dancing carnival will be still another spectacular feature of the week. Assisted by a large troupe of dancers, Mr. Ford will present a dance review in four scenes, introducing all the various kinds of dancing, including a Scotch dance, a Quaker dance, A Wild West dance, and several eccentric solo numbers. Other big features of the bill will be Mack and Orth in their musical oddity, "The Wrong Hero;" Belle Story, the singing comedienne; Dolan and Lenharr in "Almost a Mind Reader;" Kitty Tranby and her trained horses and dogs; and Conrad and Whidden, two new comers from the West.

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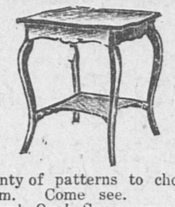
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EDITOR DECKER PLEADS GUILTY

To Two Accounts of Criminal Libel in Superior Court

PLACED ON PROBATION

Charles E. Decker, a local newspaper editor pleaded guilty to two counts for criminal libel before the Grand Jury this morning.

The defendant was placed on probation. This of course does not mean that it was settled entirely but that it can be taken up any time and sentence imposed if circumstances warrant such procedure.

The complaint was brought by Sydney Smith, proprietor of the Vermont Boarding house who alleges injury due to an article appearing relative to the conditions of his boarding house in a publication controlled by the defendant.

THREATS TO SHOOT PRESIDENT-ELECT

Made by Russian Boy Who Is Placed Under Arrest

New York, Dec. 13.—Herman Steinberg, 17 years old, who is alleged to have declared that he was going over to New Jersey and shoot President-elect Wilson, was arrested here and held without bail.

The youth was standing in front of a police station when the detective questioned him.

"This is not a fit country to live in," he declared; according to the detective. "It's no place for me to work. I can't go back to Russia, so I would rather go to jail, but I would like to shoot Wilson and my boss and all the judges first."

The detective searched him and took a loaded revolver away, arresting him on a charge of violating the law prohiibting the carrying of dangerous weapons.

In court a fruit dealer who formerly employed the lad apepared as witness to previous threats the boy had made to "kill Wilson," which led to his discharge. In court the boy admitted the threats he had made, and he was held without bail.

SICKLES' MONEY TROUBLES

General King Says They Are Due to Reckless Gambling In Stocks

New York, Dec. 13.—General Horatio C. King declares the financial plight of General Daniel E. Sickles is due to reckless gambling in the stock market.

As one of the members of the New York Monument commission, who will be held responsible for the shortage of nearly $30,000 in the commission's funds caused by Sickles as chairman, King has sent a letter of protest to State Comptroller Sohmer.

Mrs. Astley Inherits $400,000

London, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Mary R. Astley, an American, once known in the musical comedy as May Kinder, inherits $400,000 under the will of her husband, Henry J. D. Astley.

☞Can you think of a better Christmas present to give your family than a year's subscription to the Quincy Daily Ledger? Just think of it, when you subscribe for the Ledger it means pleasure for you each day of the coming year and only costs $5.00. Start the year right, don't go to bed during 1913 until you have read the newsy little "home daily." tf

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Men's Neckwear	.50 to	$3.50	
Men's Handkerchiefs,	15c, 2 for 25c to	$1.50	
Men's Suspenders	.50 to	$2.00	
Men's Mufflers	.50 to	$10.00	
Men's Smoking Jackets	$5.00 to	$20.00	
Men's Combination Sets---tie, handkerchief, hose to match	$1.00 to	$2.00	
Men's Slippers	$1.50 to	$3.00	
Men's Hat Boxes, leather.	$5.00 to	$10.00	
Men's Brushes, in leather cases	$2.00 to	$8.00	
Men's Collar Bags	$1.00 to	$3.50	
Men's Walking Sticks	$1.50 to	$20.00	
Men's Leather Handkerchief Cases and 6 Handkerchiefs		$1.50	
Men's Toilet Cases, leather	$2.00 to	$25.00	
Gillette Safety Razors	$5.00 to	$7.50	
"Hotakold" Bottles	$2.75 to	$5.00	
"Hotakold" Carafes	$5.00 to	$8.50	
Children's Drawer Leggins, white only	$1.00 to	$1.25	
Children's Angora Hood.		$1.00	
Children's Silk Hoods		$1.00	
Children's Mittens	.25 and up.		

Christmas Service Bureau

Some of the conveniences of our Christmas service bureau on the street floor are as follows:—U. S. Postage Stamps, weighing packages, merchandise calls, adjustments, Red Cross seals sold, messenger calls, information bureau, packages checked, etc. Umbrellas will be marked free of charge. Convenient merchandise and glove bonds. Smaller articles will be packed in holiday boxes with beautiful gift card.

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RECEIVED STOLEN GOODS

Charge Against Eight Storekeepers In Two Vermont Towns

Burlington, Vt., Dec. 13.—Scores of burglaries in Burlington and other Vermont cities may be explained, the authorities believe, when eight storekeepers of Burlington and Winooski are given a hearing on charges of receiving stolen goods. Their arrests came about as a result of statements made by Frank Poirier and George K. Hooper, who, with Jonas E. Howe, are under arrest here charged with burglary.

The police say the storekeepers have knowingly assisted in the disposal of stolen goods for a long time past. The men held are Louis and Sam Alpert, H. H. Rosenberg, George Stiger, S. H. Miller, G. E. Robinson, Louis Alfred and Harris Woolkind.

☞White wrapping paper at 2 cents a sheet at the Ledger Office. Come early and avoid the rush. tf

READ LEDGER ADVS.

SHAW'S BIG SALE.

Al days long on Thursday the sales force at Shaw's furniture house was kept on the jump by the crowds of eager buyers, all anxious to take advantage of the bargains offered. Promises of the biggest furniture and rug bargains on earth brought expectant home furnishes from all parts of Quincy and the South Shore towns. Mr. Shaw says the opening day was the biggest of any sale he ever held. Every one of yesterday's costumers was fully satisfied that Shaw "does deliver the goods." The sale will continue until Dec. 21, and there are some surprising values in store for the people.

PARALYZED FOR YEARS

Pneumonia Kills Twin Brothers Whose Cases Were Peculiar

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 13.—Stephen and Emil Yelinek, twin brothers of 17, who for nine years had been helpless victims of paralysis, which attacked them simultaneously and in the same manner, died of pneumonia at West Springfield. Death came to the brothers within a few hours of each other.

The cases had attracted widespread attention in medical circles. The twins were born Dec. 14, 1895. As small children they were strong and continued in good health until their seventh year, when they began to weaken until the strength had slowly left their legs.

The paralysis continued to creep upwards in spite of all that medical men could do, until of recent years the boys were able to use only their forearms.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Fair and warmer Saturday and Sunday. Moderate winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.06
Sun sets	4.13
Length of day	9.07
Moon sets	9.51
High water, A. M.	3.00
High water, P. M.	3.15

Days decrease 6 hours 10 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	31 degrees
Dec. 13, 1911,	58 degrees
Dec. 13, 1910,	30 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

$1 BENEFIT FOR EACH YEAR

Benjamin King as an Odd Fellow Drew Down $49 in 49 Years

Benjamin King of Wollaston, the curator of the historic house where President John Quincy Adams was born, has nearly completed 50 years of Odd Fellowship. Wednesday evening he attended the roll call of Tremont lodge, No. 15, at Odd Fellow's hall, Boston and received an ovation. When he responded he told the 250 brothers assembled that he was initiated into the order March 10, 1863, before most of them were born. During all these years he has enjoyed good health, having received but $49 in benefits in 49 years.

BRIEFS

Only nine more days for the Christmas shopping.

William Moffat of Chicago is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. David Moffat of Ash street.

Mrs. John D. Knowles and son John of Bedford street left Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knowles of Bennington, N. H.

A conference of those interested in the Probation system will be held at the court house on Saturday evening. Dr. F. N. Seerley of Springfield wil be the principal speaker.

Few school girls had the courage to appear on their usual morning tramp without head dress this morning. Yet it must be admitted that a few did go down the line with nothing but side ribbons for head adornment or protection.

A Christmas sale was held in the vestry of Memorial church, Wednesday afternoon, in connection with the meeting of the Ladies Benevolent society, Mrs. Sarah Butler had charge assisted by the chairmen of the committees on the November fair.

That ice collection in City Square will no doubt be a continuous performance for the rest of the winter until some means is found to stop the overflowing of the fountain. As long as horses will nuzzle into the trough it is hardly possible to stop that.

It is up to the Citizens of Quincy to say if they want a public dock. The responsibility should not be shirked. It should not be decided by a couple of hundred people when there are nearly 6000 registered voters who have an equal interest in the enterprise.

HEPTASOPHS GOOD TIMES

Bowling League Has Added to Interest in the Lodge

OFFICERS ELECTED

The annual election of officers of Granite Conclave, 797, Improved Order of Heptasophs took place at Protection hall, Thursday evening and Joseph J. Mullen, who have been one of the most aggressive leaders, becomes Past Archon after the installation which will take place in February.

The Granite Conclave, so named, because of Quincy's product, is composed of men from all parts of the city. During the administration of Archon Mullen, a large number of young men have joined the organization.

A ball, the annual social event of the year is being planned for in the near future and the entertainment committees are hard at work.

Aside from the direct benefits accruing from the society a bowling league is now in full swing and the enjoyment the contest is furnishing the members contributes to their usual evenings pleasure. The officers are:

Archon—Edward Brown.
Provost—Milton Irving.
Secretary—M. B. Gill.
Treasurer—J. G. Cahill.
Financial Secretary—F. P. Hill.
Prelate—William Canty.
Inspector—John Byron.
Warden—John Kolson.
Sentinel—Willim Hinckley.
Trustees—Thomas Raiche, Hardy Kallenbach, J. Houghton.

CHANGED DATES AND HALL.

A regular meeting of the machinists union was held at Electa hall, Thursday evening. It was voted to change the date of meetings to the first and third Wednesdays, after Jan. 1. The local will meet hereafter in room 22 Johnson building instead of Electa hall.

GUILD WOULD ACCEPT

Bay State Solons Asked to Keep Open Mind on the Senatorship

Boston, Dec. 13.—Curtis Guild's friends jumped actively into the United States senatorial campaign yesterday afternoon and mailed to each Republican member-elect of the legislature of 1913 a circular stating they had been authorized to say the ambassador would accept the honor if chosen, and describing him as "the leader of which the Republican party of this state is urgently in need at this time."

No pledge is exacted, but the members-elect are asked to keep an open mind until they have heard more at length the reasons in Guild's favor. Congressman Gardner heads the committee.

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THE SHIRT WAIST STORE

NEW THEATRE

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imposing reminding one of Tremont Temple, Boston.

The site was selected because the natural slope of the land was from the street, so that the inclined floor has a natural and solid foundation, and the stage is several feet lower than the street entrance. The whole building is used for theatre purposes, so that provisions could be made for numerous exits. In fact the State inspectors regard it as one of the safest theatres ever built, and admirably adapted to its purposes. It will seat 1328, and popular prices have been established.

Henry L. Kincaide, the proprietor, has selected Capt George A. Wardwell as general manager, and Miss Helen Qualey will be leader of a ladies' orchestra. Moving pictures and clean vaudeville will be the attractions at the start, and Manager Wardwell assures the public that a very pleasing show has been booked for the first week. The theatre is in one of the New York circuits.

Albert H. Wright was the architect, and C. S. Cunningham & Sons Co. the contractors.

The success of this theatre undoubtedly, means much to Quincy. Now when people go to Boston to the theatre they combine the show pleasure with the pastime of shopping. The theatre will probably keep people in Quincy more, and bring people to Quincy, so that it will help trade in general.

KARSNER—STANWOOD.

The wedding of Miss Audrey Whicher Stanwood, daughter of Mrs. Eben Caldwell Stanwood of 480 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, and Dr. Howard T. Karsner of Philadelphia, assistant professor in pathology at the Harvard Medical School, took place Wednesday afternoon at the residence of the bride's mother.

Rev. Dr. Elwood Worcester, rector of Emmanuel Church, Newbury street, performed the ceremony, which was witnessed only by the relatives and intimate friends of the couple.

The bride's attendant was her younger sister, Miss Faith Stanwood, while Dr. Karsner's best man was Dr. Richard M. Pearce of Philadelphia.

Miss Stanwood, who was given in marriage by her mother, wore a bridal gown of white satin with a court train. The dress was trimmed with Carrick Macross lace and the veil edged with needle-point lace. Her only ornament was a string of pearls.

The bride is a daughter of Eben Caldwell Stanwood, a Boston banker who died in 1906. Her mother was formerly Annie Whicher, a native of Quincy and a member of one of Quincy's best known families.

WANT POWER BOAT.

Congressman Curley has been urged to appeal to Asst. Sec. of the Treasury Sherman Allen to replace the steamer assigned to the City Point Life-Saving Station, South Boston, by a power boat. Mr. Curley's correspondent points out that several minutes are required for the steamer to get under way, while the power boat can be started in a flash.

TALKED ON THE BOY.

The Parent-Teachers' Association of the First Presbyterian church met in the lecture hall, Wednesday evening. W. H. Gibson, Boys' Secretary of Massachusetts and Rhode Island Y. M. C. A. gave a talk on "The Boy." He was followed by Rev. J. A. Matheson who applied what Mr. Gibson had said locally.

Miss Helen Cummings sang and Alexander Kemp, Everett Clark, John Sinclair and David McArthur gave quartette selections. Refreshments were served by Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Matheson, assisted by the young lady teachers. Alexander Clark, superintendant of the Sunday school presided.

LT. JONES FOR PANAMA.

First Lieut. Walter E. Jones who has been on duty at Bedwells island has been transferred to the 10th Infantry, Panama Zone, where his brother Albert Jones, who is a second lieutenant, is at present assigned.

Lieut. Jones is coming from Washington to join his family who are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Fred E. Jones. They will sail for the zone on Saturday from New York. He will be on duty at Camp Otis.

FORESTERS BOWLING LEAGUE.

The Foresters are planning the time of their life this winter and have organized a bowling league. Curtis Roger Wolcott, John Ericson, John Adams of this city and Monatiquot of Weymouth will be represented. A schedule will be given out within a few days which will start the ball a-rolling.

LAST INCIDENT

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recount. On Thursday, a paper was left at my office to get the required twelve signatures, which my son did, and sent it to the party. On Friday afternoon Mr. Raymond called and wanted one of the signers to make affidavit to it, so one of my workmen who had signed it swore to it, and Mr. Raymond went about his business. Perhaps he thought the paper was in my interest, but if it was I had no knowledge of it, for I don't believe in the recounts, as our election officers have always proved themselves correct enough for me.

Mr. Editor, this incident is closed.

J. L. Miller.

Editor Daily Ledger—

As there seems to be a lack of thoroughness in obtaining information regarding the last set of signatures filed asking for a recount of the mayoralty vote, and in the fairness to John L. Miller, I would state that the papers filed asked for a recount of the votes of the three candidates and while they asked for a recount on the J. L. Miller vote they also asked for one on Mayor Stone, and J. H. Penniman.

When the papers were presented judging by his conversation with Mr. Raymond, Mr. Crane assumed that they were in the interest of J. L. Miller and put the question to him in that way. Mr. Raymond's answer in the affirmative was correct but he did not state that he was filing them for Mr. Miller personally. Mr. Miller knew that they were to be filed but he did not see them, and as a matter of fact they were prepared and signed by the citizens of Quincy who were asking for a recount to set at rest all the different rumors afloat regarding the first count of the votes of the election.

Mr. Miller's statement that he did not ask for a recount "neither had I permitted any one else to ask in my name" is absolutely true, and Mr. Cranes statement, while it is true as far as it goes was his own fixed idea which Mr. Raymond did not think it his business to contradict.

A close study of the copy of the papers filed will bear out these statements and we trust you will vindicate Mr. Miller by publishing this statement.

Francis R. Dorlay,
111 Baxter Lane
Quincy, Mass.

So far as the Ledger was concerned the incident was closed long before it was ever opened. Others would at the same time have wished they had not been too eager to jump into the fray, assailing every one and any one with claims of unfair motives, and the like, acknowledging no one right or truthful but their own particular selves. However that is all over, the incident is closed. There will be no further discussion upon a worn out and thread bare subject and Mr. Raymond's interview still stands undisturbed and uncontradicted, despite the offended carefully worded and non-committed communication, which to use the diplomatic definition of Tally rand "says nothing."

Editor Quincy Daily Ledger,

Dear Sir:—Concerning the article published in your issue of the 9th, I wish to make this statement.

My conversation with Mr. Miller was to the effect that we had papers asking for a recount for Mayor, and that we were about to go to City Hall to file them.

My connection with the matter was merely to take acknowledgment of signatures, and the filing of papers an act of accommodation.

I was not acting for Mr. Miller personally in the matter.

Very truly your,
Arthur F, Raymond.

And this closes the incident, keep down the curtain.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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WATERWAYS CONVENTION

The National Affair a Big Thing in Its Line

WILKINSON'S ADDRESS

Washington, Dec. 12. (Special) From what ever angle the ninth annual convention of The National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which recently terminated its sessions in this city, is viewed, there can be but one conclusion, that it was one of the biggest conventions the organization ever held and that the resolutions adopted took advanced position on the question of municipal or state owned water terminals as one of the co-related problems growing out of the improvement of the rivers, harbors and canals.

President Thomas Wilkinson of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association and a pioneer in the effort to interest municipalities in the ownership of water terminals, said that the legislatures of Minnesotta, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri and Illinois would have before them this winter bills creating departments of docks for the purpose of acquiring, controlling and operating port terminals.

"These states, while pioneer in the movement for larger freedom to the shipper and consumer," said Mr. Wilkinson, "will undoubtedly be reinforced by other Commonwealths in an effort to have cities, on navigable rivers, own their own docks for the benefit of the entire shipping public.

"In order to secure the full utilization of the waterways, which we are asking the government to improve, certain restrictions must be removed. Improved channels are essentially necessary; but their use largely depends upon the power of the different cities and towns thereon, having adequate facilities, to handle the commerce.

"Those terminals must be so constructed as to provide the most economic and convenient system possible for the handling of commerce and the quick interchange of freight between the waterway and the railway, so as to invite the patronage of shippers.

"In connection with the water terminal it is absolutely essential that a physical connection be had with belt railways which in turn must have connection with all rail lines, to the end that speedy transportation be obtained and the cost of freight handling be reduced by the introduction of modern up-to-date mechanical appliances.

"This is really the most important question we have in connection with the improvement of our rivers and it is proved to be so through the study of other countries in the development of their waterways.

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"Private ownership of terminals is indefensible. If the general government thinks well enough of a project to improve a river for all the people, then, to my mind, the city on the river should think enough of that improvement to see to it that terminals are provided for the boats using the river.

"Port terminals are just as necessary to the river as stations are to the railroads. Each would be useless without the other. Port terminals such as described, administered by competent boards, would be acquired and ultimately paid for, without any taxation on the part of the public.

"And the physical lay-out of a port terminal should be left to a competent engineering authority who has made an exhaustive study of the question.

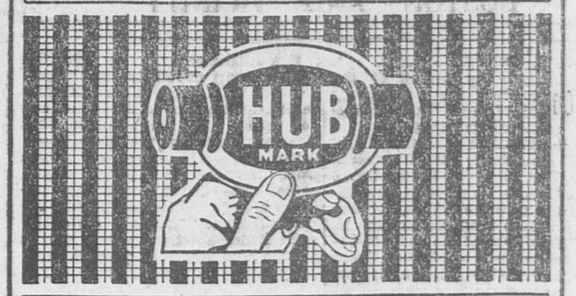
"The greatest thing desirable is that we have a unified system of transportation and that both rail and river be considered friends instead of enemies."

Probing British Strike

Newcastle, Eng., Dec. 13.—A government inquiry into the dismissal of a locomotive engineer for drunkenness by the Northeastern railway, which caused a strike of about 15,000 employes, was begun here. The engineer was dismissed for getting drunk on duty.

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Judge Allows Woman to Pronounce Sentence Upon Husband

New York, Dec. 13.—"For the moment you are the magistrate and I am a spectator," said Police Magistrate Appleton to Mrs. Isabel Archer, who had brought her husband into court and told a story of cruelty and abandonment. "You go ahead and do just what you like to this man. What do you think should be the sentence?"

Sitting in judgment upon her husband, the woman sentenced him to one year of probation and to pay her $6 a week for the support of their four children.

STOLE FROM POSTOFFICE

Assistant Postmaster Ferris Goes to Federal Penitentiary

Portland, Me., Dec. 13.—Ernest A. Ferris of Eastport was sentenced to one year in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta in the United States district court after pleading guilty to an indictment charging embezzlement of $4878 from the Eastport postoffice.

Ferris was assistant postmaster at the time of his arrest and had been connected with the office thirteen years. He is 32 years old.

Hotel Guests Hustle From Fire

Calais, Me., Dec. 13.—About sixty guests fled hastily into the cold last night when fire damaged the Forest House at Woodland to the extent of $10,000. The cause of the fire is not known.

MRS. HANNER GIVEN TEN-YEAR SENTENCE

Reconciled With Husband Whose Life She Sought

Lockport, N. Y., Dec. 13.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Mary M. Hanner, charged with shooting her husband, George Hanner, with intent to kill, brought in a verdict of guilty.

Judge Hickey imposed a sentence of imprisonment at hard labor for not less than ten years and not more than fifteen years and six months.

Mrs. Hanner and her husband became reconciled during the trial, displaying great affection for each other, but this did not affect in any way the presentation of the evidence.

Hanner was driving an automobile late one night in September when the shooting occurred. Mrs. Hanner, sitting in the tonneau with her 4-year-old boy, shot Hanner in the back of the head. The bullet mushroomed on his skull and penetrated the muscles in the back of his neck. A defect in the mechanism of the revolver, experts testified at the trial, probably saved Hanner's life.

In trying to conceal the weapon Mrs. Hanner accidentally shot herself in the leg. She then threw the revolver under a board walk.

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In Evidence at First Dance of Assembly Course of Three

A peep in the entrance of Alpha hall Thursday evening gave one the impression that he was gazing on the veranda of a club house whose members had devoted their afternoon to sports and had gathered after sun down to discuss the results and receive the praise of their lady enthusiasts, while sipping tea and other nectars from dainty cups. It was the recreation moment between the dances.

The occasion was the athletic dance of the Assembly Course of Three, and was the fore runner of a social season which is most exclusive.

Hanging on the panels about the hall were the accotrements of the chase, a bag of golf clubs; masks, base ball bats and chest protector, snow shoes and tennis rackets, foils, hockeys, Indian clubs, while college pennants, potted plants and ferns added to the decorations.

In the smoking room was a complete tobacco outfit which satisfied the fancies of man. The orders were German playing cards, of a new pattern and will probably be preserved as a souvenir of one of the prettiest socials ever held. Refreshments were served in the ante room.

The committee was Mrs. Sydney C. Hardwick, Mrs. Arthur R. Gould, Mrs. Walter E. Burke, J. Harry Slade, Delcevare King, Wendell Luce and J. Barraja-Frauenfelder.

BOTH EAGER FOR THE FRAY

Win Tomorrow Night Means Much to Newton and Quincy

The local Y. M. C. A. basket ball teams will meet the strong Newton first and second teams Saturday night in the local Gym. Newton has lost but one game this season having been defeated last week by Somerville. Their standing in the Y. M. C. A. League is the same as that of Quincy, each having won one and lost one league game.

The visitors will bring their strongest team to Quincy as they would rather win from our boys than from any other team in the league.

Jacobs who played with the Boston Y. M. C. A. team in 1905 is playing a grand game as left back and Trask will have his work cut out for him, if he is to score baskets.

Cady who was the star center of Newton High School two years ago will also be in the line up. Holmes played against Cady two years ago and held him to two goals and it will be interesting to see which man has improved the most during the past two years.

Newton has a new man named Middlemas who comes from New Britan, Conn., where he played on the High School team and is expected to do great "stunts" to our other huskey back "Yeats" Kenn.

The second team will play between the halves. Harry Stone of Somerville will officiate. Game at 8.15 sharp.

WESTERN GRANITE EXHIBIT

The Quincy Column Turning Co., now have nearing completion a lot of large polished columns made of Missouri red granite.

They have also another lot of balusters which have been turned from Wisconsin mahogany granite.

Our Quincy granite manufacturers ought to see this work, in order that they may know what granites they are competing against in many of the Western markets.

Mr. Cahill the manager of the above company will doubtless be glad to show this work to any who will take the trouble to call at the works on Water street.

Such matters as these should be of interest to our citizens in general, in order that they may appreciate the superior quality of our good old Quincy granite, which is no new fad of the present, but the old reliable granite, which has become the standard for comparisons. It is important that Quincy granite shall be well advertised.

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DOCK HEARING

(Continued from Page One.)

When asked if all the talk about the wharf had not centered around granite men, so far as his remarks were concerned on this occasion, he answered, "Well that is pretty near all I have heard with regard to this dock proposition."

Capt. Higgins however was the star witness of the occasion. He had facts and figures at his finger tips and there was no opportunity to try and sidetrack him, because he had "the papers to prove his contentions," he had several sharp tilts but managed to hold his own in the vocal sparring which occurred.

Peter Fallon sat behind Councilman Sandberg's chair and frequently leaned over and whispered a suggestion into the Councillor's ear. The hearing was free from any bad feeling or any attempt at bluffing, Chairman Shea had the situation well in hand and while as stated considerable latitude was permitted in the range and scope of questions, there was no attempt to take an unfair advantage on this condition.

While the audience frequently applauded that which appealed to them it was done in a decorous manner at which no one could find fault.

Peter T. Fallon was the first speaker. In opening he said that the granite industry of Quincy represented two or three millions in capital. There were less docks in Quincy now than in 1792 when Quincy was settled. The reason was that the people were not awake to the fact that the railroad had got a monopoly and had the granite trade by the throat. There was no doubt but what President Mellen of the New Haven had his agents at this meeting. Something must be done to meet the railroad who has the industry by the throat. If Brockton had the same opportunity as Quincy, millions would not buy it. Town river was one of the most beautiful sheets of water in Massachusetts, yet the citizens are not awake to the fact we are blessed with a great water way. We ought to take advantage of our water front before the railroad comes along and gobbles it up.

The city easily appropriates $100,000 for new schoolhouses but when we come to a proposition like this they get out their hammers. We have given valuable rights to the water, gas, electric light, street railway and telephone companies. Everything but our water front. If we have a dock there is no question but what we will have cheaper freight rates. When you build do it on a business basis.

John J. Gallagher thought a dock would be a great benefit to Quincy. Quincy uses 70,000 barrels of cement a year which costs 80 cents more to land than in other places. That is a saving of $2,400 a year. If we had a dock we could get a water competing rate. The granite business uses 1200 tons of plaster a year. It comes from Harlem river and costs $2.05 per ton in car lots. The freight rate to Boston is $1.20 a difference of $1,000 We also use 10,000 barrels of lime a year most of which comes from Rockport, Me. If we had a dock we could save 10 cents a barrel. On these items alone would save $4,500 a year which would pay the interest on an investment of $100,000 at 4 1-2 per cent. There would also be a saving on many other things.

Ex-Councilman John D. Smith said that last year when the Finance committee of the council considered the question. Aside from visiting the Quincy water front we visited many other places. It was an important question and means thousands of dollars to Quincy no matter where the site. But we should work slowly and be sure of our ground.

Anyone who follows the trend of work will realize that the developement of water fronts is a leading question. European cities are spending millions and the United States and state is also spending millions. If you are going to get any good out of a dock now is the time. The article in the Ledger signed by Marshall Adams did not deal with facts and showed a lack of information. He also spoke of Salem, New Beford, and Lynn and told what these cities were doing, but admitted that New Bedford alone of these had what was termed a public dock. He did not care where the dock was located but he believed the citizens should act now and not wait until later when the cost will be more. He believed that all would agree a dock, a good thing if properly financed. He would agree that taxes were high but the committee can be depended upon to be sure the dock would pay before it is built. It simply means that the city is lending its credit to the commission. It was up to those interested in the project to see that it was made to pay.

Councilman elect Joseph L. Whiton appeared simply as a citizen and tax payer. After critisizing Mr. Fallon he said. "When you come to blow in $100,000 with no absolute possibility of any business how ridiculous it is. Mr. Fallon said he did several large jobs and then sold his wharf. If it was so valuable why did he not hold on to it. He needed no expert to tell him about Town river. He had known it from boyhood. How does Mr. Gallagher know that it will cost less for lime, etc., to come by water. Did he ever try to ship by water? There was a wharf at Quincy Point from which shipments could be made. Do you suppose a dock is going to pay when the railroad comes down with its rates? If you ship granite by water how are you going to land it at its destination? Are the Cunard and Metropolitan steamships coming up Town River to Canal street? He had made some measurements using Brewers corner as basis and there was but very little difference between that point and Quincy point and Bracketts wharf. In Ward Two we have at the public bath house fourteen feet of water and a public dock could be established here very easily. If we want a wharf for granite you can get one at Quincy Point. The Shepperd wharf can be had and it is all ready with a channel up to it. He did not want to stop progress but he could see one or two that would be benefited. The port of Boston includes Quincy and if it is such a valuable thing it is up to us to get to work with the Port of Boston.

Councilman Sandberg of the committee asked many questions of the speaker as to distances and as to how many loads a team could haul from the quarries to Quincy Point and to Brackett's Wharf intending to show that at least one more load could be hauled in a day to Bracketts wharf. Mr. Whiton replied however that pilotage and towage would more than offset this saving. Mr. Sandberg also asked numerous questions about vessels, carrying 150 tons to which the speaker acknowledged he did not know about it.

Archie Thayer said he was surprised to hear any opposition to the development of the water front. He was only a $2 poll tax payer but he paid more than some men who were rich and had a plenty. He found those opposed to the dock were those who could afford to live in luxury. What is to be done should be done now. There is a certain crowd who for years have handled the council and killed the development of Quincy. He hoped that the council would wake up and give the citizens something for their money.

Rupert F. Claflin spoke of olden times when there was opposition to having the railroad make Quincy its terminal as it would kill the coach business. He also spoke of the time when the town was discussing the purchase of Merrymount park and how finally Mr. Adams had given the park to the city. Quincy has a large water front and the privileges of the water front are becoming very valuable and to get them back we will have to pay millions. It seemed to him foolish to let this movement pass and die down. He rather fancied that it could be rented and pay. He thought the explanation of Mr. Smith very elucid.

Senator elect John J. McDevitt did not favor the expenditure of so large a sum of money. No doubt the matter would come up in the legislature next year and he and the two representatives from Quincy could be depended upon to work for Quincy. He then spoke of granite centres that were situated on water front and had advantages of shipping by water citing Portland, Me., where the granite for the new million dollar city hall came from an inland city. He cited other places to show that docks were not used so extensively by granite men. He hardly believed the tax payers were in condition this year to stand anything like the sum needed. Then there should be a referendum on the question. Many rivers were closed by ice for five or six months a year and $100,000 at the present time could be spent to better advantage.

John Q. A. Field said he came to listen but he felt that he must say a word. He told of the shipping of granite by water in years gone by from Wendell's quarry, Neponset and from the Quincy Point wharf. Take the 27 sloops that ran out of Quincy years ago all are gone and not one new vessel to take their place. Mr. Fallon had a good wharf and sold it. If there was any money in it why did he not keep it? The stone shipped from Quincy for building purposes is not worth talking about. Quincy granite is used largely for monumental purposes. Builders do not want the short stuff from Quincy. There were only two vessels from Stonington, Me., this year where they can easily get blocks of granite of any dimension. In Boston today they are not using granite for buildings but crushed stone. When you talk about competing with Louisville, Ky, you will have to set up nights and draw your wallet after you get through. People wanting stock want it quick and are willing to pay the extra cost by rail for it is very much quicker. If you mean to make the dock a public one everyone will have a right to use it as it is built out of public money. It is queer if the city has got money to expend for docks when it has none to spend for streets.

Councilman Sandberg asked Mr. Field a number of questions as to how many trips a day could be made from the quarries to Quincy Point and to Bracketts wharf, to which Mr. Field said four trips could be made to Quincy Point. In old days Quinn Wilds made four trips to Quincy point in a day with four oxen. This reply did not suit Councilman Sandberg who inquired what could be done in an eight hour day and eventually Mr. Field admitted that more trips could probably be made to Bracketts wharf in a day than to Quincy Point.

Councilman Sandberg then asked if a City of 35,000 population can spend millions, where there is but ten miles of water front can not we afford to have a dock 300 feet long and would it not be business to accept it? Mr. Field replied it depended on the condition of the cities.

Councilman Sandberg asked a number of other questions and always found Mr. Field on hand with a ready answer.

Capt. Daniel Higgins did not believe in the public dock and he was not slow in saying so. In the first place sixty years ago there was a fleet of sixty vessels and people tried to stop them by putting on a heavy tax. We never heard anything about a public dock until the yacht club wanted a channel dug to its float. It was the only way they could get the state to dredge it. The towage and pilotage taking a vessel up the river was expensive. There is a wharf at Quincy point where there is plenty of water. It would take one day to get up and one day to get down the Town river and then the river is frozen over for three months of the year. Did the Fore River or street railway ask the city to help them out in developing their plants along the river front? No. It was only a scheme to dig a channel to the dock.

In answer to questions he said that he held a state and United States pilots license. In reply to questions he gave the rate for piloting to Quincy Point and up the Town river. He was also asked about the freezing of the river and in reply said that the river always froze up in winter but that there was not a day last winter when the water was not open to Quincy Point.

During the arguments of several speakers pointed questions were asked by William Prime of Quincy Point his questions showing that he evidently was not in favor of a public dock.

At this point Chairman Shea said that the committee would put the question to see if a further hearing was desired on the advisibility of having a dock. When the question was put there was not one voice in favor of continuing the hearing to a future date but several voices were against having another hearing.

Chairman Shea thought the vote rather small. He believed so important a question should have another hearing.

Henry M. Faxon spoke briefly, not for or against the proposition but suggested that such an important matter demanded much consideration and favored adjourning the meeting.

Dr. John F. Welch thought that there had been a free expression of opinion at the meeting. He could see where there would be much danger by continuing the meeting. People might get tired out and it seemed to him that there was a representative body of citizens present. The arguments made are not such as will warrant the building of a dock. If the business is such that it will have to be subsidized by the city something was wrong. It was not the lack of a dock that was keeping the granite business down. He wondered if there was a city of 35,000 population that had sidewalks like Quincy. He failed to find anywhere anything that approached Quincy as to its traffic. If we must spend money let us spend it where all will benefit. There is nothing that enhances a city as the appearance of its streets and sidewalks. Some of our streets have a look of bankruptcy. You have a corporation heavily in debt. High taxes and unjust taxes and yet talk of raising $100,000 on our debt. Is the expenditure warranted? If it is so good a thing why do not the granite men get together and form a corporation and hire a wharf and let it out?

Dock Commissioner Crane asked if the Fore River company considered sidewalks when it located here and in reply Mr. Welch said that water was the only thing they wanted besides the land.

There were many other questions asked Dr. Welch by Mr. Fallon, Councilman Sandberg and others.

Not much additional information was brought however. Dr. Welch however said that he owned a piece of a water front and there had been no demand for it other than by parties who desired it for private purposes, such as landing boats.

At the conclusion of Dr. Welch's remarks Chairman Shea said that the committee deemed the question so important that it would continue the hearing until next Wednesday evening at 7.30.



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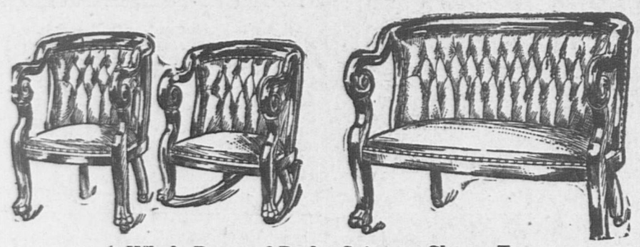
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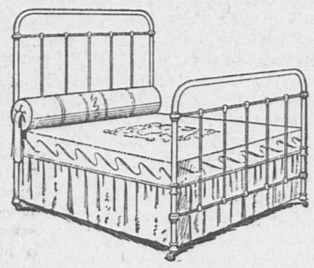
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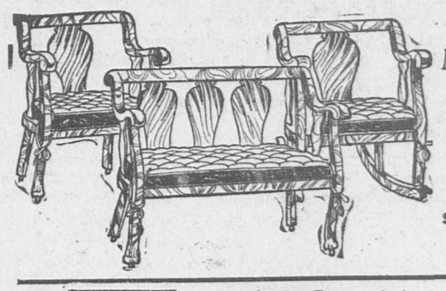
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FATHER AND SON DINE TOGETHER

Not on a Warm Bird or Cold Bottle But Nicer Things

The Father and Son banquet, an affair to which the Y. M. C. A. boys have been looking forward for a long time will take place tonight in the Association hall at 6.30. The committee in charge of the banquet and the committee of arrangements have been working diligently and the results of their labors will speak for themselves this evening. H. W. Gibson, state secretary for Boys will be the speaker. His subject is "A Father and His Boy."

ONE OF CAST HAS APPENDICITIS

Still She May Courageously Take Part in "Chaperon"

Miss Ethel Schools, one of the members of the cast that will produce the "Chaperon" at the New Colonial Hall this evening is threatened with apendicitis and is under the doctor's care at the home of her mother on Centre street. It is possible that she will be able to fill her part but because of the serious developments which sometimes follow an attack, Miss Blanche Morrison may be obliged to appear.

Miss Ethel Schools is one of the most popular members of St. Margaret's Guild and has been one of the most eager workers towards the success of the play. She is the niece of John Rose, deceased, who during his lifetime entertained from the best platforms in the United States.

BRIEFS

John Atkins of Clive street is confined to his home with pneumonia.

Mrs. Margaret Burke of Hancock court is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Dalton at Holbrook.

The employees of the Citizens Gas have arranged to hold their annual dance in Alpha hall on Jan. 2.

The annual convention of the State Association of Sealers of Weights and Measures will be held at Ford hall, Boston, on Dec. 17 and 18. James M. Cantfill, the official sealer of Quincy will attend.

Have you some favorite in the Ledger Washington tour contest that you are saving your votes for? Remember that every vote counts. It is a fine trip and bound to be enjoyable for the lucky winner of the contest.

Members of Bay View Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 187, are looking forward to next Friday evening, as arrangements have been completed by their entertainment committee for a social dance at Alpha hall, which it is expected will be one of the social successes of the season.

LIABILITES OF $12,556

Bull Moose Party In Massachusetts Faces a Deficit

Boston, Dec. 13.—A statement filed with the secretary of state by the Progressive party of Massachusetts shows that, in addition to the $52,059.78 expended by that party in connection with the state campaign, the party has unpaid bills amounting to $13,889.38, which, added to the amount expended shows the party incurred debts amounting to $65,949.16 on account of the Massachusetts campaign for the Bull Moose.

The party's total receipts were $53,392.70, so that it has a deficit of $12,556.46 at the present time.

CHARLES WOLCOTT DEAD

Fell Three Thousand Feet From Balloon Seventeen Years Ago

Edmonton, Alberta, Dec. 13.—Charles Wolcott, who fell 3000 feet with a balloon in South America seventeen years ago, died here last evening after an illness of several months.

Wolcott held the distinction of being the only man so far as is known to recover from such a fall.

ROAST PIG HELD CENTRE

Of the Table at the H. I. C. Club Feast

The roast pig supper by the H. I. C. club at the Hibernian lodge room on Thursday evening was well attended, and following the supper there were speeches and an entertainment.

Daniel J. Donahue presided and Dr. John H. Ash delivered one of his most humorous speeches. Louis Smith sang "Old Black Joe" and received fine applause and selections were given by Walter Murray, Daniel J. Donahue and Thomas Lamb. Quartet numbers were rendered by Benjamin Sturgis, John Johnson, Charles Fostello and Lawrence White.

The supper was prepared by Benjamin Sturgis, Charles Fostello and Granville Sweetland.

The committee in charge of the event was Thomas J. Welsh, chairman: James M. Cantfill, Daniel T. Shea, Daniel J. Donahue, Charles Sullivan, Martin O'Shaughnessey, James Kelly, David M. Warner and James Doherty.

GOOD GAMES FOR TOMORROW

The games of the Sunday school basketball league to be played in the Y. M. C. A. gym Saturday afternoon at four o'clock are as follows:

Bethany Congregational vs Union Chapel.

Wollaston Baptist vs Wollaston Congregational.

The Union Chapel team and the Wollaston Congregationals are as yet unknown factors. The Bethany team proved its mettle last Saturday by defeating Christ Church in a closely contested game and the Wollaston Baptist although defeated by the First Presbyterian team showed that it had good material which needed development.

REVERENCE A STRONG FACTOR

In Developing the Morals of the Youth of Present Day

The second meeting of the Parents-Teachers Association of the Cranch school was held in their assembly hall Thursday evening. The speaker was Miss Clara Bancroft Beatley, a teacher and social worker of Boston. She discussed "Morals Through Reverence."

The program opened with selections and Christmas solos by Grade seven, under the direction of Miss Nellie March. Miss Elsie Turner was the accompanist.

In the social hour that followed Carl Warshaw, Henry Pierson and Mary Macomber, pupils of grade eight rendered solos. An exceptionally good exhibition of the pupils work was a source of interest and gratification to the parents and teachers.

The hall was tastefully decorated with wild thyme, alderberries and pinks, the color scheme being red and green.

Refreshments were served by Miss Elsie Turner, Mrs. C. Ahlstrom, Mrs. Andrew Tapper, Mrs. Amund Averson and Mrs. J. Beane.

Miss Beatley talked from three points, the home, church and state and said that through reverence the moral teaching of boys and girls could be easily developed. She asked all to take a deep interest in the work and particularly in and about the school room.

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ANOTHER FALSE ALARM OF FIRE

A Hard, Long and Useless Run for the Poor Horses

The alarm from Box 512 at 1.02 this noon was a false alarm. When the apparatus arrived at the box no one was found near it and no indications of any fire anywhere.

The false alarms are getting rather too numerous of late. Some strong effort should be made to apprehend the offender and see that he receives his just dues. There is no hardship of course in sending the motor apparatus except the ever present danger of accident but it is unwarranted cruelty to have the poor horses started upon a long, hard and useless run. Citizens might take a hand in this and as soon as a fire alarm is sounded those in the neighborhood could look up the box and see what suspicious looking persons were in the vicinity. Activity by citizens would soon break up this practice, as the police and firemen cannot be everywhere at the same time .

MRS. CARA IMPROVED.

Mrs. John Cara. who is at the Quincy Hospital suffering from the effects of poison which she look by mistake late Wednesday night is doing well today.

—A doctor who advised his patients to go back to the farm to regain perfect health and physique must be bothered by the report of the athletic instructor of the University of Missouri. The latter says that farm boys are not usually as well developed as city boys. He says the farmer's sons have overdeveloped arms and shoulders, but the rest of their bodies are not "up to par." The city boy is found by this instructor to be a more trim and generally well balanced citizen.—Brockton Enterprise.

BASKET BALL.

Plans are practically completed for basket ball under the direction of the N. E. A. A. A. U. and the prospects are that more teams will enter than played last season.

Both Quincy A. A. teams won the championship after a most gruelling season last winter and while they have not organized as yet practice may be called any day.

William H. Flynn, manager of the last year's champs and one of the best workers in the league has been chosen a member of the committee. He will be associated with men who are up in the game.

At a meeting held Thursday evening at the rooms of the St. Joseph's T. A. S. at Boston three news teams applied for assignment. They were the Page Class of Roxbury, St. Charles of Waltham and the North Dorchester A. A.

The latter club has planned to keep up with their past athletic records and although this will be their first season it will not be difficult to place a fast five on the floor because at the present time the club is the home of some of the best athletes in the world.

St. Charles will consist of former Waltham high school players and they could go some in interscholastic circles.

—Steamship passenger arrivals at Boston for November show a falling off from the figures of the same month last year of 704. The loss in business comes in the saloon and second cabin lists, steerage figures showing a gain.—Brockton Enterprise.

DEATHS

LEE—In Quincy, December 11, Mrs. Jessie E., wife of Mr. William E. Lee in her 50th year.
Funeral services at late home, 29 Thompson street, Saturday, December 14, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

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LIVED ALONE MANY YEARS

Hermit of Orr's Island, Who Was Disappointed In Love, Is Dead

Orr's Island, Me., Dec. 13.—Elias F. Leighton, the hermit of Orr's island, is dead. Alone and uncared for, he died in the little shack owned by Herbert Wilson at the north end of the island in which he had lived for thirty-two years.

He never told what caused his retirement to his hermit home, but some of those who knew him claim he was disappointed in love.

Razor Strop of Human Skin

St. Louis, Dec. 13.—A razor strop of human skin is being made by H. Hirschberg, tanner, for the wife of a physician, who wants to give it to him as a Christmas gift.

☞Can you think of a better Christmas present to give your family than a year's subscription to the Quincy Daily Ledger? Just think of it, when you subscribe for the Ledger it means pleasure for you each day of the coming year and only costs $5.00. Start the year right, don't go to bed during 1913 until you have read the newsy little "home daily." tf

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Annie P. L. Backman late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Edward S. Robenolt special administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County, on the twenty-sixth day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB. Register.

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CHARTER REVISION IN THE AIR INFORMAL MEETINGS TO THAT END

Wollaston Citizens Make First Move Followed by Board of Trade in the Matter

Little Publicity Given the Activities in Operation

The indications are that some petition or bill will be brought before the incoming legislature looking to certain changes in the City Charter. Several citizens of Wollaston are considering the matter and Friday evening 12 or 15 citizens met informally in the rooms of the Board of Trade for the same purpose. As near as can be learned however nothing was done at this meeting other than to talk the subject over in an informal manner. Before the meeting adjourned it was voted to appoint a committee to get in touch with the Wollaston movers for a revision of the charter and to call another meeting in the near future.

The time and place for holding this meeting as well as the question as to whether the meeting shall be public, or confined to the few directly responsible for Friday night's meeting, was left to the disgression of the committee.

At the present time the gentlemen interested in the movement do not care to make themselves known publicly. The time for filing bills and petitions with the legislature expires Jan. 11 and the bill if any must be filed before that time, otherwise it would be necessary to take a chance of getting the bill or petition by the Committee on Rules.

ANOTHER OF THE FORTY.

Quincy received another of the forty snow storms predicted for the winter of 1912 and 1913 Friday night. The ground was covered with a coating of white which quickly disappeared in the early morning.

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

14-IN. GUNS FOR DREADNAUGHTS

Nevada and Sister the First to Be Equipped With Them

FORMER AT FORE RIVER

The twin battleships Nevada and Oklahoma, the former now in the course of construction at the Fore River Iron Works, Quincy, will cost $10,000,000 each, and will be the first of the dreadnoughts to carry three 14-inch guns to a turret.

In length ,they will be 575 feet, with a displacement of 27,500 tons. The speed will be 21.5 knots an hour, and the officers and men on each will number 1072. The battery on each will consist of 10 14-inch guns, and 21 five-inch guns. The weight of the broadside will be 10 14-inch guns, 14,000 pounds, and 10 five-inch guns, 500 pounds. Their horse-power will be 38,000.

On the deck at the bow will be three 14-inch turret guns, and just behind them, elevated, will be two turret 14-inch guns. At the stern, three of these 14- inch turret guns will be located, with two more guns on the same type on a turret just back of the three. The lighter guns, four and seven inches will be placed along the sides and stern.

The 14-inch guns have tremendous power and are 54 feet in length. One of these can send a 1400-pound shell through 15 inches of hardened steel, at a distance of 10,000 yards.

LARKIN TAKES NEARY'S PLACE

Popular Appointment of Larkin at Fore River

Joseph M. Larkin, son of Mrs. A. E. Larkin of 929 Hancock street, is receiving the congratulations of his friends on his appointment as Director of the Apprentice System of the Fore River Yards to succeed James E. Neary who recently resigned to enter the electrical business at Boston.

Mr. Larkin is a well known Quincy young man and graduated from the Quincy High school in the class of 1905. He has been connected with the Fore River Co., in a clerical capacity for a number of years, entering their employ shortly after his graduation. He is a member of the Quincy Council Knights of Columbus.

HINGHAM MAN DEAD.

Bela Remington, 89 years of age died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James E. Conrad, 654 Washington street, on Friday. The deceased was a resident of Hingham and wil be buried there.

AVERAGE BOY HALF AND HALF

Correct Sizing Up of the Simon Pure Youngster

BEFORE THE FATHERS

"The average boy is 50 per cent noise and 50 per cent dirt," declared H. W. Gibson, state secretary for the boys at the Father and Son supper at the Y. M. C. A. Friday night and every youngster in that hall, nestled closer to the old man, looked up at him out of the corners of his eyes and grinned



H. W. GIBSON,
Who Spoke on Boys.

as only a boy can grin when something amusing about himself has been said, even when he knows it a little harsh at first, but the truth. The Father and Son gathering was a great affair, one that has come to stay and should find its natural place in every community. There should be more of those father and son gatherings. They are good for both and each should get into that spirit of chumship which would grow as time went on and make

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MORE MEETINGS NECESSARY.

The last regular meeting of the City Council of 1912 will be held Monday evening. It will be impossible for the Council to wind up its business at that meeting however and one or two adjourned meetings will be necessary. Several committees have met during the past week and have cleaned up matters before them. There is still much business pending however which can not be finally disposed of Monday.

READ LEDGER ADVS.

"THE CHAPERON" RUN SMOOTHLY

Young Ladies of the Guild Make Hit in the Play

PARTS WELL TAKEN

A three act comedy, "The Chaperon" was presented to an appreciative audience at the New Colonial hall Friday evening by the St. Margaret's Guild of Christ Church. The production was under the direction of Mrs. A. Isabella Davis and the cast showed unusual ability.

The story is woven around the life of a woman, whose child disappears following a railroad wreck, and centers in Crandall Hall, a girls academy where an older sister of the missing child is receiving her education.

Miriam, the Gypsy, rescued the baby and treated her as her own offspring. During a travel about the country she visits the academy where she tells the fortunes of the students. Unusual courtesy is extended her by Joyce Dynecourt, even after she is accused of theft by Mademoiselle Jeanne. Because of the kindness she reads the palm of Mrs. Dynecourt, whose dearest wish is to find her missing babe, and tells her that although her fate line had been crossed a bright and happy future awaited her.

The first act is set in the Yard of the Academy, the second in the studio of Cousin Geoffrey where the identity of Miriam's ward discloses the missing babe and the last setting is in the drawing room at Selbourne home of Mrs. Dynecourt where Jill, safe in the protection of a loving mother and darling sister lives, acts and looks "Like Other Girls," with no signs of her wandering life evident, but as cultured as the rest.

Miss Eliabeth Dickie as Miss Morong , the principal of Crandon was every inch a conscientious school marm, and Mrs. Dynecourt's part was taken by Miss Adeline McDowell who acted in a most natural way the part of a woman whose distressed life could be brightened. The Mademoiselle Jeanne of Miss Marion Bolster was of the real French variety.

Miss Cora Barnicoat was fetching as Joyce Dynecourt and Miss Florence Ford's Nora, Mrs. Dynecourt's maid was ludicrous, but true to life. The part of Miriam, the Gypsy was taken by Miss Olive Smith and Jill, the missing child was presented by Miss Lizzie Ross. Miss Ross did exceptionally well and her rendition of many of her lines was touching.

Miss Ethel Schools, one of the pupils who was threatened with appendicitis was able to appear although she was rather nervous.

In the second act Miss Ruth Dahl and Miss Ruth Farmer danced the Minuet and were accorded fine applause.

Those who assisted the members of the guild were Mrs. Byron Miller, Miss Edith Fox, Miss Isabella Walker Miss Ruth Dahl, Miss Helen Schools, Miss Helen Crane.

Muic during the play was furnished by Miss Margaret Carruthers, Miss Hannah Litchfield and Miss Adelaide Spencer.

CAST

Miss Morong, Principal of Crandon Hall — Elizabeth Dickie
Mrs. Dynecourt, Of "Selbourne" — Adeline McDowell
Mademoiselle Jeanne — Marion Bolster
Joyce Dynecourt, Daughter of Mrs. D — Cora Barnicoat
Miriam — the Gypsy — Olive Smith
Jill, — the waif — Lizzie Ross
Nora, — Mrs. Dynecourt's maid — Florence Ford

Pupils:—
Judith Grey — Helen Mitchell
Phillis Reynolds — Jennie Boutilier
Suzanne Horton — Marion Mitchell
Mollie Howard — Ethel Schools

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PLAIN TALK TO THE PARENTS

Dr. Seerley Tells Them Some Things They Should Know

ABOUT REARING CHILDREN

There was a large attendance of parents Friday evening at City hall to listen to the lecture on sex hygeine by Dr. F. N. Seerley of Springfield. Dr. Seerley's topic for this meeting was "Help the cry of the boy." The lecture was an exceedingly interesting one and the speaker drove home many truths. He used plain language, yet in such a manner it could not be called offensive. Parents he claimed were entirely to blame for many of the evil tendencies of today, for the reason that they did not in the beginning explain to their children the full meaning of the beautiful story of life. It was too the mother's reply to her sons inquiry as to where he came from to say "God made you" "The Stork brought you" or "The Doctor brought you out of the hay." These were deliberate lies and later when the boy learned the full truth about life, he lost some of the respect for his mother. It would have been far better when such a question was asked to have told the truth. The boy or girl would then have learned in a proper way the beautiful story of life, from a clean source instead of getting it later from an evil source.

The speaker was introduced by Mayor Stone and in his lecture, or rather talk he used a blackboard for illustrations. Human life he said was a struggle for existence. Life continues by two processes, the struggle for existence and the reproduction. The very first thing that a child has when born into the world is hunger for food and he keeps it up through life and with it the production of life comes.

First there is the hunger for food and then comes the hunger for information, a combination to produce the structure. Everybody knows how small children ask questions. This is another form of hunger, a hunger for knowledge which results in brain. Then comes the hunger for personality. The boy then comes into contact with other boys and men and what he will become depends on the conduct of the men with whom he comes in contact.

The silk worm eats night and day for a time and then produces the butterfly. It is what we call metamorphosis, a transformation from one thing to onother. This is what really

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MRS. GREEN will have her annual exhibition and sale of Hand-Painted China on

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

When that frisky false alarm fire ringer gets caught he will probably want to be placed on probation.

Mr. Mellen has broken his long silence. Will he make things fly or improve the service?

President Taft plans a world tour in the cause of peace. Just now it looks as though there was plenty of this peace stuff to be accomplished between the warring wings of the Republican party.

Mr. Pelletier is getting a little of his own medicine. His criticism of the courts a few months ago is not forgotten.

Gen. Sickles is again in the lime light this time as using the state's money. Heroes were always improvident.

Home Rule has been passed in the committee, which probably means another passage of the hat.

Tuition appears to be one of the smallest items among the bills of the Harvard heavy spenders.

While there is no intent of combining Harvard and Technology the president of the latter contends that much good could be accomplished by co-operation. Certainly. Harvard should lend Brickley to the Institute for a few days.

If you would keep your money keep out of Wall street and out of the reach of the sharks.

While Mr. Mellen is getting the lash Mr. Morgan is being highly commended for his public spirit in permitting the pubic to look at the art treasures which the dear public must know they paid for.

Every one should go on record in this public dock proposition. It is too serious a matter to let slip by easily Nothing was ever lost by a free and fair expression of public opinion. If the public wants the dock, all well and good. If the public does not want the dock, that it would seem ends the matter.

The cold wave has come, but the rubber dealers would like to witness an accompaniment of sleet, snow or rain or anything else that would start a boom in their business.

A bill to compel the shoe manufacture to mark on every pair of shoes the material used is now before congress. And still people wonder that once in a while is an advance in the price of staple products.

The Washington commission has been named and the name of a certain person has been omitted. About time for a little screech to emanate from School street.

Mayor Fitzgerald deserves commendation for declining to pose with Gaby Deslys. The mayor has no use for that sort of publicity.

Lynn has now two fire chiefs which would rather complicate matters in case of a serious fire unless they decided to share up and each take one side of the building.

There are many people in this vicinity who say they are going to cut down the amount of money they generally expend for Christmas gifts. This retrenchment is due directly in a number of cases to the prevailing high cost of the necessaries of life and particularly to the abnormal rates prevailing on that useful mineral, coal. It is rather a sad commentary on times and conditions to record that the best spirit of Christmas must suffer because of the fault in 20th century commercial methods. Useless and indiscriminate giving should be curtailed by all means but in the present case many worthy and deserving ones are likely to lack for good cheer.

CLAMOR FOR INVESTIGATIONS.

The public investigation is a rare bird. It costs a tremendous expansion of energy and an equally large expenditure of wealth and when summed up what fruitful results have been secured to the profit of the people who pay the freight. True it is that ample opportunity is provided for speechifying. There is much mud slinging. Statements are made one day only to be contradicted the next and the records ore voluminous with much irrelevant matter which only provides a vent for some person with a grouch and enables them to fling something broad cast over the country through the columns of the press.

And again it might be asked who profits by this modus operandi. The oil combination was busted. Did it reduce the cost of oil? The sugar trust was supposed to have been split asunder and the sugar trust has been forced to pay into the national treasury large sums which could have been secured at much less expense and publicity. Has the cost of sugar been lessened? Hardly.

The Tobacco trust we are told has been forced to a division. Yet there is no appreciable reduction in the cost of the weed to the consumer.

Campaign expenses were investigated, but the last campaign cost fully as much as its predecessors.

For several years past there has been a clamor for a reduction in the price of coal. Public sentiment has been aroused. Has there been any improvement? None that is particularly noticeable but on the contrary the price of coal is higher than it has been any year since the great famine a few years ago, when the cost soared to $10, $12 and even higher a ton and then the consumer was lucky to get it and even forced to pay for its transportation from the hold of the steamer.

And now there is a railroad investigation. All those investigations have been conducted in the limelight. Every move of the investigators was anticipated and published far and wide before the actual event was entered upon. Of course such publicity did not harm the people or combinations investigated. In fact it provided them a means of preparing a defense.

In direct opposition to those public investigations may be cited some which have been carried on and to a successful issue bringing the offenders to justice. Among them are the dynamite cases, the smuggling cases and some others. The lime light of publicity was not turned on those until the investigators had their net firmly swept around the offenders and pursed up so that there was no escape.

If private investigation in those cases were productive of success why would not the same method have better results in other fields of operation. Or is it as some have, not only in a veiled way, but in more pronounced form, set forth that the drag net of secret investigation would prove disastrous to so many, among them the wearers of the alleged purification toga, that it would be like stirring up a hornets nest to dig too deep into those mysteries. The situation is one that calls for grave consideration which ever way one looks at it. The people would at the same time hail with delight an investigation which would afford release from the grip of the octopus.

PANAMA TOLLS.

Basing her claims upon the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, England has protested in a dignified and diplomatic manner the interpretation which President Taft has set upon the panama Canal tolls, namely that American coastwise vessels should make the passage of the canal free of toll.

Thus far England is the only nation which has made any such claim, because the other powers have not a treaty along the same lines as the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. On many sides there is the cry that the dignity and greatness of this country should not permit it to hide behind a technicality, if such is could be called, and that the vessels of the world should be treated the same as the vessels of the United States. All very nice and pretty and high sounding. An exalted attitude indeed. Good judges claim that if the matter should be submitted to the Hague tribunal that the United States cause would be lost. But why should this matter be referred to the Hague Tribunal. A few years ago the fishery question was submitted to the Hague tribunal and the United States gained a few of the points at issue, and there was a tremendous hurrah over the victory of American diplomacy that the United States had won a majority of the points at issue. As a matter of fact this country did gain a point or two more than the Empire of Great Britian in that court of last resort, but the gain was only numerical in its computation. As a matter of fact, the vital points at issue, the essential features which the United States had been contending as her rights under the 1812 treaty were lost. They proved fallow soil on which to base a contention. England won a complete victory in that contest, because among the number of points raised were some with which she did not have the slightest hope of making headway, but they aided in befogging the real issue and this was awarded to England.

But the Panama canal is a horse of another color. This is purely a local, an internal affair. The people of this country have or will have paid nearly $400,000,000 for the canal when it is completed. The land around the canal is owned by this country. Awards have been made to the Latin American countries to indemnify them for what has been taken. An unhealthy region has been reclaimed until now it is one of the garden spots of the world. The United States paid to the French $40,000,000 for a pile of old junk and its rights in the canal zone. Did any other country come forward and offer to bear the expense? Will any other country bear its portion of the $25,000,000 annual budget necessary for the up keep of the canal? None have been too hasty in their offers in that direction to the government at Washington.

So that looking at the situation from whatever angle, it is nothing more than a local enterprise which local money made possible. Why then should this question of disposing of our own be let out to arbitration?

The merchant marine of the United States is not at high water mark at the present day. If forced to compete with the other nations of the world in this matter of canal passage there are visions of its complete extermination. The governments of Europe subsidize their steamship lines The ships can be built cheaper in ship yards of England and Europe than they can in the United States. The cost of maintenance of those ships, when the equipment, labor, food and outfitting is taken into consideration is considerably less than that of United States vessels all other things being equal.

To benefit by the toll plan as promulgated by President Taft the ships must be built in this country. So that if the contention of England is permitted, after bearing all the burden of this great undertaking the people of this country are not to receive any benefit. In fact the cost to the United States ship owners will be greater than to those of foreign countries, because the subsidy of the foreign governments to the ship companies will mean a great handicap to the American craft. It has been pointed out that the tolls could be collected from the American vessels and then returned in the way of subsidy, but this met with a howl of protest. The merchant marine of America, in the present generation not at a very high tide, cannot be added to if the contention of England is allowed. There seems to be only one reasonable and business like way of dealing with this problem. That is for the United States to hold to the claim that this canal is purely an American institution and as such if there are any benefits in sight they should accrue to the ships of this country.

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Day and Numeral Had No Terrors For the Pastime Club

With the figure 13 set in conspicuous place, and Friday in black letters before it, a merry party danced away the superstitious influence attached to the day and numeral at Alpha hall, Friday evening where they were the guests of the Pastime Club at their second annual dance.

About two months ago new club rooms were opened on Temple street. The Pastime Club has been organized about five years and the members devote themselves to social events only. The party was one of many social successes given by them. Music was by Wilson's orchestra.

The floor was in charge of Frank G. Smith, with Irving Hayden as assistant and F. Walter Brooks as chef of aids.

They were assisted by the following members—James K. Morrison, Charles M. French, Harold W. Smith, Lester Poster, William R. French, Frank Desmond, John Comerford, William Manning, Murray McLeod, Benjamin French and Forest Hayden.

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THE AVERAGE BOY

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each know the other better and improve and cultivate their bearing towards each other.

There were about 50 fond parents present and as many boys. They gathered early and spread out over the building, but were easily within call, when the gong sounded for supper and the march was taken up to the assembly hall, where every seat was soon filled. The turkey supper was all that could be desired. It was prepared by the following ladies of the Auxiliary: Mrs. W. F. Cummings, chairman, Mrs. A. H. Gilson, Mrs. Andrew Morrison, Mrs. Alfred Bean, Mrs. J. F. Roache, Mrs. R. J. Cranshaw, Mrs. J. S. Swingle, Mrs. L. F. LaRose, Mrs. E. I. Bean and Miss Avah Gilson.

The "eats" being finished to the satisfaction of all, Alden Blanchard, boys director rapped for order and said that while he was well known to the boys, probably very few of the parents knew him so he took this opportunity of introducing himself. He presented Sturgis Hunt as toastmaster of the evening. While flushed and flustered a little at the position, he rose manfully to the occasion like every genuine boy and carried the postprandial exercises along in a very smooth and satisfactory manner.

Secretary A. Fitch Bromley the first speaker said the interest of the boys had been aroused and when the interest of the fathers was secured there was no danger of the success of the movement. Before entering the hall he noticed a lot of paper torn and strewn out upon the street. No one had any interest in those pieces of paper so they were allowed to drift. Let us not treat our boys that way. Let us take an interest in them and prevent their drifting. The responsibility of the father is great and much could be accomplished by the father making a chum of his boy.

Dr. N. F. Seerley thought that every boy should have a chance to brag about his father and feel justified in saying he is the best ever. The father should be the ideal of the boys life, The boy should be able to look up to him with regard, respect and marvelous confidence. The man who is the hero of the largest number of boys is the best father.

One did not have to listen to H. W. Gibson, a minute before they were convinced that he knew the average boy inside out, upside down and every other way and if his recipe for a cure of some of the so-called boy evils were applied there would be less demand for probationary officers and a lessening in the size and number of the reformatory institutions. He pictured the boy just as he was with all his dirt, freckles, devil may care manner, noise, clatter, and the hundred and one things that go to make up the healthy, husky boy for whom repression is as dangerous as bad associations. He pictured the boy from one stage to the other with marvelous truthfulness and every man and boy could see himself at some stage of his career, as that smiling, big good natured fellow told of the boy. There is only one kind of boy, he represents the whole type.

Among other things Mr. Gibson said, "Two fathers met and when the strapping young son of 21, of one of them passed and he was complimented by his friend upon the fine young man he had for a son, and the fond parent replied, 'yes it took me 17 years to bring him up and about four years to call him down.' "

About every boys has been through the process. I have emphasised for nine years, that about every boy, is about 50 per cent noise and 50 per cent dirt. That is the real healthy normal boy. Any other kind is abnormal and should be taken to a physician at once. There is not much sympathy for this other kind. I do not mean that the boy shall be filthy.

"Prof. Sedgewick says there is dirty dirt and clean dirt. The boy must have an outlet for his noise valves. He must yell, stamp, jump around and make a noise.

"The boy comes into the house and wants to talk. Pa wants to read his paper, and the explosion is checked. The boy is silent a few days and then mother wants to know what is the matter and so the boy is between the two extremes and tries to find a happy medium. It is impossible for a boy to keep quiet, they talk in their sleep.

"Take a crowd of Grammar school boys playing base ball in a vacant lot. Three-fourths of the time is taken up with talk and the rest with the game. Yet they all had a good time and the same performance will be repeated day after day.

"Take the washing process, that is one of the hardest things a boy has to get up against. There are always two places mother looks at after you wash, the ears and the back of the neck. I had a circular motion by which I washed my face. If asked if I washed my face and neck I always said yes and showed the wash cloth as evidence. It would be much better if the homes were more of a club house. The greatest danger to this country is the losing of the ideal American home. In the olden days everyone met at all three meals and gathered in the sitting room before the big log fire for conference in the evening. What romance in sitting before that roaring, blazing, crackling log. Today breakfast is served in relays. Dinner is usually taken wherever the members of the family happen to be. Supper is really the only meal at which all may meet and that is gobbled at race track speed to meet the evening engagements. The best club is the home. I have in mind a group of six boys who had their club room in the attic of the home of one of their number. It was hard at first for the mother to get accustomed to the racket. But she survived. Now she says that the sweetest music to her ear is the clatter of that six pairs of feet mounting the stairs. She knows then where her boy is and who he is with.

"Let the boys come into the house. Let them make a noise. Be chums with them. Take them fishing or to the base ball game. The man who is sitting on the bleachers at a base ball game with his son is in the best possible company.

"Let the boy picture the walls, decorate the rooms after his own ideas. It may cost a little in wall paper and plastering but that boy is worth more than all the wall paper and plaster in the world. When they are home, you know where they are and what they are doing. What if they do make a little noise. Know where they are and who they are with."

In closing Mr. Gibson, pictured the various stages of the boy, his manner, habits, and the like from his first school day until he enters upon the more serious occupations and the description was true to life. In closing the speaker warned the parents to talk with their boys, become better acquainted with them, the results would be mutually beneficial.

The committee in charge of the affair, was Bernard Gouterman, Charles Johnson, Arthur Skinner, Sturgis Hunt and Harold McMillan.

THE WOLLASTON FORUM.

All who keep in touch with city affairs are aware that one of the most important question to be submitted to the voters in the near future is the question of revising the city charter. To prepare the citizens to vote intelligently on this matter the Forum, which meets Sundays at 12 o'clock in the Wollaston Unitarian church, invited ex-mayor Charles M. Bryant, one of the best qualified men in Quincy to speak on this subject, to address its meeting last Sunday. Mr. Bryant spoke for nearly an hour on "A practical review of the revision of our city charter for better government." As there was little time to discuss Mr. Bryant's address last Sunday, the subject will be further considered tomorrow at 12 o'clock. The discussion will be led by I. L. Shaw. All are invited.

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The Social Realm

Mr. and Mrs. Nixon Elmer of New York city are guests of Mrs. Elmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert F. Claflin of Greenleaf street.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Arthur of Hollis avenue announce the engagement of their daughter Jean S. to William Northrop of South Weymouth Miss Arthur is one of the most popular young ladies of Atlantic. She was graduated from Quincy High in 1911. Mr. Northrop formerly lived in Atlantic, and graduated from Quincy High School in 1910. They both took leading parts in the senior dramatics of their classes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hicks of Warren avenue are leaving this month for California where on account of Mr. Hick's business they expect to make their home.

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Mrs. Williams of Lynn is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George Richardson of Botolph street.

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Mrs. John Whitney Hall of Hancock street is leaving today for a fortnight's visit with her daughters in New York.

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Mrs. Warren W. Adams of Greenleaf street was the guest of relatives in Hingham this week.

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Miss Julia Barber of Webster street is the week end guest of friends in Dorchester.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Hobart of East Braintree left this week for a winter's stay at Southern Pines, N. C.

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Rev. James MacLean of Chicopee, was the guest the first of the week of Rev. and Mrs. Albert M. Thompson of Glendale road.

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Mrs. Cecil Marble entertained the Atlantic Shakespeare Society at her home on East Squantum street, Thursday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Holden, nee Minnie Eaton of Adams street welcomed another boy to their home on Sunday and are receiving the congratulations of their friends.

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Mrs. Frank Appleton and three children are on from the west for a Chrstmans visit to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick T. Appleton of Irving place. Mr. Appleton hopes to join them later.

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Mrs. Mary Nichols returned to her home on Botolph street Wednesday morning from a visit since before Thanksgiving to her sister near St. John, N. B.

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Mrs. S. W. Pratt and Miss Annie Pratt after a season at Post Island are at Weymouth for the winter, at the home of Miss S. Jane Clapp.

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Charles F. Bates of 144 Winthrop avenue was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening by the return to the old home of his children, the occasion being his seventieth birthday. A leather rocker was presented to him by his seven children after which the birthday cake, surrounded by seventy blazing candles was admired by all. Present at the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bates of Dorchester, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bates and Mary of Hanover, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Albee and Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bates, Dorothy and Elinor, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gallagher of Braintree and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tenney of East Braintree. Miss M. Elizabeth Bates now at Brown University was unable to attend.

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Edward Schnerch of Boston, who gave an illustrated lecture on Switzerland before the Bethany Brotherhood Wednesday evening was entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Southworth of Greenleaf street.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Ward Whitcher recently of Atlantic, are very pleasantly located in their new home at 66 Elmwood avenue, Waterbury, Connecticut.

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Mrs. and Mrs. E. B. Pratt of Marshfield left Wednesday for Pinehurst, N. C., where they are to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Bates of Lafayette avenue, Weymouth, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Blanche A. Bates to Harold F. Curtis of Newark, New Jersey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Byron Miller of Appleton street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter December eleventh.

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Allan F. Arnold who is engaged in business in Minneapolis is in Quincy for a five weeks' visit to his mother, Mrs. Zenas S. Arnold, of Coddington street and is enjoying meeting all his old friends. He returns to Minneapolis after the Christmas holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Emery, nee Lucie Newcomb, who have made their home since their marriage with her mother Mrs. George E. Newcomb of Gay street, are now settled in their new home on Glendale road, President's hill, in the cosy and attractive house which has been built for them since the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Francis Adams of South Lincoln have gone to Washington for the winter.

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Miss Rachel Hardwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardwick of Spear street was a member of the committee in charge of the annual entertainment and reception to the senior of Boston University in Jacob Sleeper hall on Friday evening.

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Mrs. Herbert Seldon announces the marriage of her daughter Miss Ethel L. Wilson and Mrs. Albert Scribner of Walpole, which took place Wednesday evening December the eleventh.

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Mrs. Edmund D. Webber of Wolfville, Nova Scotia who has been the guest of her cousin Mrs. Frank Burgess of Beach street since October left Thursday for Jacksonville, Florida, to remain until spring. Mrs. Webber is stopping over at Baltimore for a short visit with relatives.

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Mrs. Lugene J. Hayford of East Squantum street accompanied by her niece, Mrs. A. L. Gray, who is spending the winter here, left Tuesday for a two weeks' visit to relatives in Portland, Maine.

VIOLATION OF MEDICAL LAW

Charged Against Mrs. Ella C. Phillips of This City

Mrs. Ella C. Philips of 163 Independence avenue was summoned into court this morning by Inspector Goodhue on a complaint charging her with unlawfully practicing medicine at Quincy. It is alleged that the Phillips woman had a sign displayed on her premises reading "Psychic diagnosis and treatment of diseases, Clairvoyant and magnetic healing." The woman entered a plea of not guilty and her case was continued on her personal recognizance, until December 28.

BIG BOND ISSUE REFUSED

Maine Board Tells Boston and Maine It Has No Jurisdiction

Augusta, Me., Dec. 14.—The state board of railroad commissioners last night refused to grant the petition of the Boston and Maine Railroad company for approval of a proposed bond issue of $7,500,000, on the ground that the petition did not come within the jurisdiction of the board.

The bond issue was stated by the company in its petition to be for the purpose of making additions to the equipment of the company, abolishing grade crossings, making permanent improvements to the road, refunding the floating debt and paying and refunding $511,000 of the first mortgage bonds of the Worcester, Nashua and Rochester Railroad company.

AFTER CANDY TRUST

Civil Suit Filed at Philadelphia by Attorney General Wickersham

Philadelphia, Dec. 14.—The "candy trust" of Philadelphia was attacked by Attorney General Wickersham in a civil anti-trust suit filed here against the Philadelphia Jobbing Confectioners' association.

Members and officers of the association combined and conspired, it is charged, to prevent candy manufacturers from selling direct to retailers, to consumers or to jobbers other than members of the association.

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BRAINTREE

Members of the Philergians will be permitted to bring only one guest each to the meeting next Tuesday owing to the limitation of Cochato hall

Letters remain in the post office for W. M. Bates, Geo. D. Cushing, Franks & Marcelli, Mrs. George Goold Miss Helen Langevin and Mrs. Paltz.

The railroad station at Braintree Highlands has been moved toward the street 18 feet and the platform is being enlarged accordingly, also other improvements made.

Mrs. George S. Newcomb of Orleans is at the home of her daughter Mrs. I. Wendell Gammons, 130 Franklin St. where she will probably remain during the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill of Weymouth welcomed a baby boy to their home last week. Mr. Hill will be remembered as a former South Braintree boy the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Hill of Tremont street.

The matron's whist club met with Mrs. Wilford F. Woodsum of Hobart avenue Tuesday evening. Souvenirs were secured by Mrs. John T. Conway, Mrs. H. A. Simonds and Mrs. J. Porter Witherell. Refreshments were served and a social hour followed.

Sons of Veterans Auxiliary 16 and Camp 32 will hold their next regular meeting on Dec. 23 at G. A. R. hall. After their business meetings they have planned for a merry party including a Christmas box. Refreshments will be served of which it is expected Santa will partake to fortify him for the arduous duties he will have to perform.

A whist party under the auspices of the good of the order committee of Camp 32 S. of V. was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Holbrook, Cleveland avenue last evening. There were four tables in play and souvenirs were secured by Mrs. Peter Malloy, Mrs. Nellie Snow, Mrs. W. E. Holbrook, Percy W. Holbrook, L. B. Spaulding and H. F. Barrett. Punch and crackers were served and there were piano selections by Miss Clara Holbrook, Miss Bessie Hollis and Edward Hughes.

EAST BRAINTREE

Thomas Mavor of Hayward street, left Monday on a trip to California and will return by Christmas.

Mrs. Adelaide Trainor of Weymouth has been spending the week with her sister Mrs. William B. Gutterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin P. Whitten of Bellevue road have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Hunt at Whitman.

Mrs. Willis Lerned of Hobart street has been confined to her house the past week with a slight attack of pneumonia.

Mr. C. G. Goeltz, manager of the Old Colony Gas Company, has returned from the Gas Exposition held at Atlanta, Georgia.

Captain Everett Whitmarsh who has been confined to his home for several weeks with an attack of asthma is now able to be about again.

The many friends of Richard P. Bentley of Quincy avenue are pleased to see him back again after an extended visit with his son in Rosindale.

John T. Queeney's new house, corner of Commercial street and Bellevue road is nearly completed and he expects to move in next week. Mr. Queeney has been living in Quincy for the past year.

A team from Burrell's alleys has entered the Old Colony Bowling league, the other teams are the Coliseum and City Squares of Quincy and Norfolk Downs. There are to be prizes of $15 and $10 and $5 for the best string, best three strings and best average. The Burrell team is composed of Herbert Smith, Harry Smith Patrick Kiley and William Burrell, all of this village.

The Misses Harlow, Scollard and Doane and Master Harlow proved fine entertainers. The club has just finished its first year of existence and has fulfilled its proposed mission to contribute to the social claims of its members and of an alluring opening for recognition and welcome to the strangers who take up their residence among us. The club made a very happy choice in its first president Mrs. W. H. J. Fitzgerald, as no claim on her service, time or money is ever made in vain.

DISTRICT COURT.

James J. Lanson and Joseph Lalley were fined $10 each for violation of the automobile laws at Milton.

Mrs. Ella C. Phillips was arraigned for unlawfully practicing medicine. Case continued until December 28.

The continued cases of George Nash for violation of the game and liquor laws at Quincy was called. He pleaded guilty and was fined $50 for violation of the liquor law. The case for illegal gaming was dismissed.

☞White wrapping paper at 2 cents a sheet at the Ledger Office. Come early and avoid the rush. tf

MRS. MARNOCK SHOWS THE WAY

Other Large Gains in the Voting Contest

FOUR NEW CANDIDATES

Mrs . Emma Marnock, past president of the Woman's Relief Corps, made the largest gain in the voting contest for the free Washington trip today, and has a total of 1035. She has passed both Mrs. Lamont of the L. L. O. L., and Miss Morrissett of West Quincy. Mrs. Lamont has also passed Miss Morrissett, but both are near the 1000 mark.

Good gains were also made by Fred Williams, A. R. MacKay and Galen Bowditch. Friends have also remembered Sam Prout, Harry Burr, M. S. Nicoll, John T. Cain, S. F. Nutting and B. L. Smith.

The new condidates today include R. M. Harmon of the shipyard, Clara Stoddard of the S. of V. Auxiliary, J. McCullough of the shipyard and Edmond Roach of the "Square Deal" store.

AT WASHINGTON.

The Capitol is the great attraction at Washington, D. C. The building is open daily except Sundays and holidays. Congress when in session meets at 12 o'clock noon. The Capitol is distinguished for its commanding situation and majestic proportions, for dignity, grace and beauty of design, and adornments and decorations which beautify it without and within. The central building is constructed of Virginia sandstone painted white; the extensions are of Massachusetts marble. The 24 columns of the grand central portico are monoliths of Maryland sandstone, 30 feet high; the 100 columns of the extension porticos are monolithes of Maryland marble. The entire length of the capitol is 751 feet, 4 inches, the width 350 feet and the area covered three and one-half acres. The cornerstone of the main building was laid by President Washington in 1793 the next year after Quincy became a town, but was not completed until 1727. The cornerstone of the extension was laid by President Fillmore in 1851, Daniel Webster of Massachusetts being the orator. The crowning glory of the Capitol is the imposing dome surmounted by the statue of Freedom towering 307 feet above the esplanade.

PRIZE CERTIFICATE.

A prize certificate, good for 200 votes is offered by the Contest Editor this week. It will be awarded at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 16, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 9—16. Note this is not necessarily for the leader

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CHRISTMAS

Gifts for Men

CHRISTMAS comes but once a year 'tis true, and it is none the less a fact that Christmas is only **one day** out of the year. So the Christmas gift to be **ideal** should be useful **throughout** the year to remind us of the single, happy gift Day.

Useful "Knick-Knacks." which one sees on every side, may be **useful** but they still ARE knick-knacks. Don't give them.

You'll find no "dinky" gifts here. Nor gifts which must wear a direction label to tell you what to use them for. Nothing here but the **sensible**—the truly sensible.

Real Utility plus the Luxuriance, the Elegance and the Beauty, all of which, united mark **true appropriateness** in the ideal Christmas gift.

WHY NOT GIVE HIM

GLOVES—Fowne's Cape Gloves in tan at $1.50 and $2. Mocha Gloves lined with silk at $1.50. Wool lined at $1 and $1.50. Lined Kid Gloves at $1.75. Or a pair of Fur Lined Mocha Gloves $3.50 to $5.

SHIRTS—E&W Shirts of Soft Madras in pretty colorings at $1.50. Or the Stag brand with plaited or plain bosoms at $1.

HOSIERY—The famous Interwoven Hose for men in all the good colors at 25c.; in Silk at 50c.

UMBRELLAS—For men and women, with handsome wood handles, some with chased silver and gilt $1 to $5.

SHOES—Ralston Shoes in the best leathers and correct styles $4 to $5.

BELTS—Leather belts that will please any man, young or old at 50c.

CRAVATS—The choicest collection we have ever shown, 2000 and more to select from. Plain colors and multi-colors, 25c to $1. Knitted Silk Cravats 50c. to $1.

DRESS PROTECTORS—For evening wear or for use as neck comforters on cold days. Of black silk with white lining, $1.25 and $1.75.

ARM ELASTICS—With pretty buckles and ribbon trimmed in pretty hand-painted baskets at 50c.

GARTERS—Brighton, Paris and Boston garters in dainty gift boxes, 25c, or in silk at 50c.

SLIPPERS—In tan or black leathers with good soles and heels, 50c to $2.

SUSPENDERS—The President Suspenders in dainty designs in pretty gift boxes at 50c.

And all these but a small suggestion of the ideal gifts for men that await you in the store "Just Around the Corner"—catering to men of taste.

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REID'S CONDITION SERIOUS

Ambassador Afflicted With Asthma, Which Takes Turn For Worse

London, Dec. 14.—The condition of Whitelaw Reid, ambassador of the United States at the court of St. James, took a turn for the worse yesterday afternoon. After a consultation of physicians the announcement was made that his condition was serious.

Mr. Reid was unable to leave his bed yesterday, and was thus deprived of the rest that he has been obtaining by sleeping in a chair when his asthma has prevented him from lying down.

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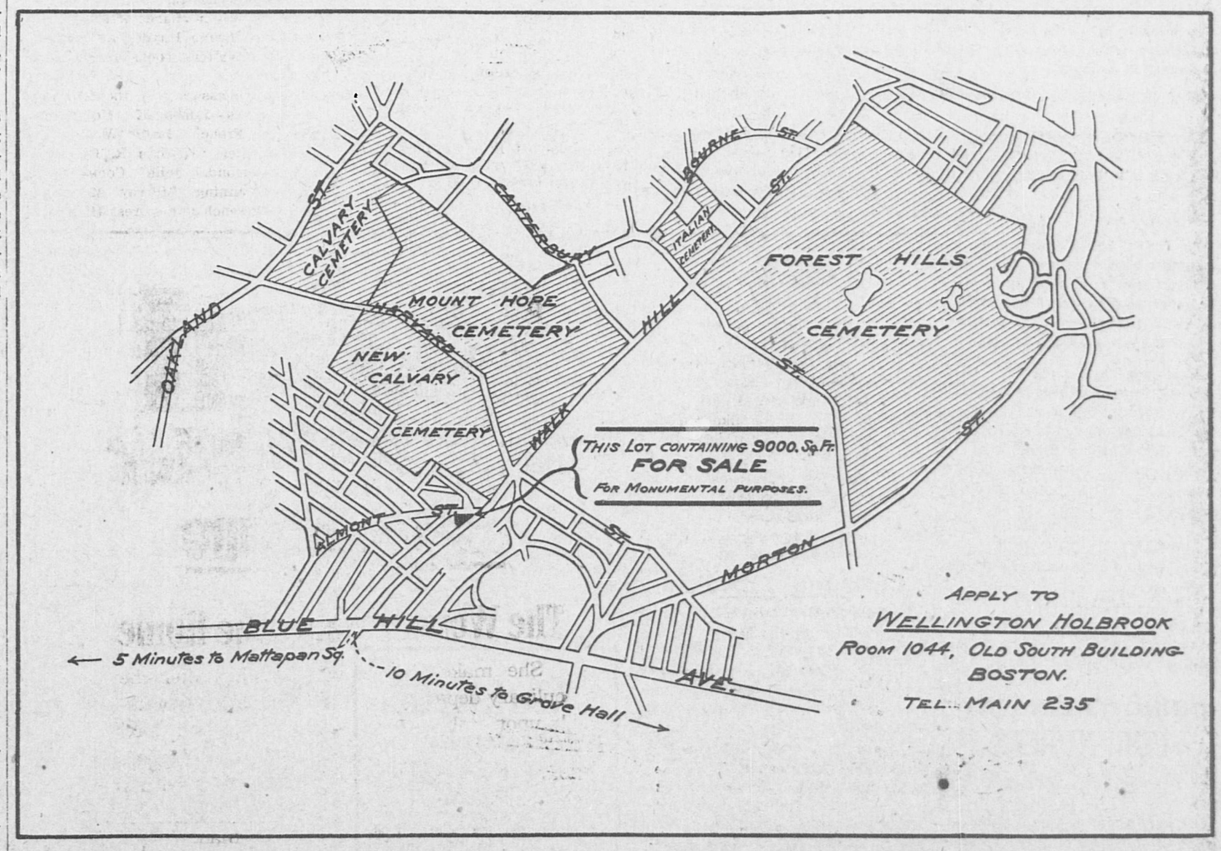
WHY BUY RED CROSS SEALS?



Why you should buy Red Cross Christmas Seals, may be answered most effectively in the words of a twelve-year-old boy in the Duluth (Minn.) schools, who gave the following as his reason in a composition on this subject:

The reason I put Red Cross Seals on my Christmas gifts is because every seal I use counts one cent toward stamping out tuberculosis in the city and for the maintenance of hospitals for that purpose. The seals are also used to raise funds to teach people the value of fresh air. Another reason I buy them is because my father died of tuberculosis and I buy them so that other little boys and girls won't lose their father as I did. Another reason is that if I am ever threatened with tuberculosis the doctors will have a fund to try to prevent it."

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Fair Sunday and probably Monday. Not much change in temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.07
Sun sets	4.13
Length of day	9.06
Moon sets	10.45
High water, A. M.	3.45
High water, P. M.	4.00

Days decrease 6 hours 11 minutes.

MONDAY'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.07
Sun sets	4.13
Length of day	9.06
Moon sets	4.55
High Water, A. M.	4.30
High Water, P. M.	4.34

Days decrease 6 hours and 11 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	31 degrees
Dec. 14, 1911,	48 degrees
Dec. 14, 1910,	31 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

At the meeting today of the New England Wheaton Seminary club at Hotel Vendome, Boston, there will be a memorial to Miss Mary B. Briggs, at quarter of two, following the regular business meeting. At quarter past two there will be songs by Miss Abbie Bird, and a talk on Japanese prints by Mrs. W. H. S. Pearce, illustrated by a collection loaned by Yamanaka & Co. Tea will be served during the social hour from half past three until five o'clock.

The Walther Men's class meets Sunday at 12.15 in the Wollaston Baptist church. Rev. Joseph Walther will lead the discussion, subject "Forgiveness." All men not in other similar classes invited.

The date of the next lecture in the series being given at the Hall Place M. E. chuhch during the winter months has been changed from December 17 to December 18, when George Penniman will lecture on "Picturesque America."

The Carroll E. Bates of Taylor street have purchased the Herbert Hick's estate on Warren avenue and are anticipating being settled in their new home before Christmas.

The residence of the late George W. Prescott on Spear street is being altered over into a two-family house.

All those who contributed in money or labor in the recent $35,000 campaign to raise funds for the Hospital, have received a letter of acknowlegment for the secretary of the board of trustees.

The date of the Wollaston Glee club concert has been changed from December 20 to Tuesday evening, January 14, at the Wollaston Congregational church.

Mrs. William D. Purdom and son Albert of Montclair who have been in the scarlet fever ward at the Homeopathic hospital for three weeks are convalescing and expect to return home early in January.

The next meeting of Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters will be held with Mrs. Eric H. Ewertz, 63 Brook street, Monday, December 16th. The Circle is to hold an apron and candy sale at Mrs. E. A. Saywards Tuesday afternoon.

John Hall is to make his house at the corner of Revere road and Bigelow street into a two-family house. It was occupied by Charles H. Penniman until this fall when he built an attractive house on Goffe street.

A new Seth Thomas regulator clock in an oak frame has been placed in the City Hospital this week. It has the following inscription: "Presented to Quincy City Hospital, Dec. 1912 by the Music Ten, of Unity Circle, King's Daughters." It is guaranteed by Pettengill.

☞PRATT'S BREAD—try it with a bowl of milk and blueberries. All grocers.

☞White wrapping paper at 2 cents a sheet at the Ledger Office. Come early and avoid the rush. tf

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SPLENDID WORK APPRECIATED

Hospital Trustees Express Themselves on $35,000 Campaign

The trustees of the Quincy City hospital, to show their appreciation of the efforts of those who took part in the recent $35,000, campaign and those who made the fund possible by their donations have issued the following circular letter:

At the regular meeting of the Trustees of City Hospital of Quincy, held Nov. 11, 1912, it was voted:

That this Board wishes to express its appreciation of the services of all who helped to make a success of the recent campaign to raise $35,000 for the purpose of paying off the debt of the City Hospital of Quincy, especially

To the Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association for generously placing their building at the disposal of the Committees as headquarters of the campaign,

To the Members of the General Committee, the Publicity Committee, and to the Collectors, who gave so freely of their time with such splendid results,

To the ladies of the Hospital Aid Association and others who so kindly provided the suppers and served them to the workers,

To the local press, whose extended notices of the progress of the campaign were of the greatest possible help to the cause, and

To our contributing friends, whose response to our call for funds was so prompt and liberal.

Voted: That the Secretary be instructed to publish the above vote in the local papers and that a copy of the vote be sent to each individual who took part in the campaign.

Timothy Reed, Secretary.

To Mr. Warren W. Adams
Clerk of Corporation.

BRIEFS

Fragment society of First church made about $500 at the fair held early in December.

One Christmas present should not be forgotten this year—a yearly subscription to this paper.

The receipts of the two-days fair of the Women's Guild of Christ church amounted to over $500.

The snow flurry Friday night looked threatening, but it soon passed over the only damage being a slight rise in temperature.

Rev. Fr. Bull of St. John, the Evangelist church, Boston is to preach at the evening service at Christ church. Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, Bishop of Massachusetts will administer the rite of confirmation, Tuesday evening

The regular monthly meeting of the Philanthropic committee of the Quincy Women's club will be held at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the clubhouse. Reports will be given of the Thanksgiving philanthropy and plans made for the annual Christmas party at the Quincy home.

H. Blenesen of West Quincy employed at the Rice & Hutchins shoe factory sustained painful injuries to the palm of his left hand while operating a Machine Wednesday afternoon. Dr. H. L. Dearing was called and after treating the injured member sent the young man to his home.



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Fifteen dollars buys a 14k Solid Gold Ladies Waltham Watch, or The Best "Crescent" 14k Gold Filled Cases warranted 25 years with 15 Jewell Waltham movements.

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We have a Complete Line of Toilet and Manicure sets in Silver and Parisian Ivory, also Bracelets, Lockets, Neck Chains and Pendants in a great variety.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

Church services inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL SOCIETY, City Square-- Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, 121 Goffe street, Quincy. Telephone, Quincy 444 M. At Church study 9 A. M. to 1 P. M. except Saturday. Telephone 1290. Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon :" The church and social service." Sunday School at 12.00, Henry W. Potter, Supt.

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL—Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Rev. Richard E. Armstrong, rector. Holy Communion at 8. Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon at 10 30. 12.05 Sunday school. 7.30 Evening Prayer and Address.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, Pastor. 10.30. Morning Service. Subject: "Because of Unbelief." Bible school at 12 noon. Organized classes for men. Classes for all ages. 6.15 Y. P. S. C. E. 7.30, Pleasant Sunday Evening Service. Subject: "Who Goes There ?"

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington Street. Rev. Fannie E. Austin, pastor. Morning worship 10.30. Sermon by the pastor. Subject : " How are we going to Keep Christmas ?" 11.45 Sunday school. 7.30 P. M. Meeting of the Y. P. C. U. Address by the pastor. Subject: "The making of slaves or masters." Everyone cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cottage ave. Morning service and Sunday school at 10.45. Subject: "God the Preserver of Man." Golden Text: "The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: he shall preserve thy soul. The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore." Psalms 121:7-8. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M., week days, holidays excepted. All are welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Quincy Point — Morning service at 10.45. Rev. Edward C. Hayes of Acton will preach at both services. Sunday School at 12 M. 6.30 Men's class. Evening service at 7.30.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION, (undenominational) New Colonial Hall, Hancock Building, Quincy Center Lectures every Sunday at 3 P. M. on Bible topics. Speaker, A. W. Gleason. Subject: " The Church—Her present position." All are welcome. No collection. Seats free.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH— Corner Quincy and Water streets. Rev. James A. Matheson, minister. Telephone 1524-M Morning worship at 10.30. Bible School and Men's Class at 11.45 Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Evening worship and praise at 7. Young People's meeting Thursday at 7.00. Congregational prayer service at 7.30.

FIRST U. P. CHURCH—Fort Square, Rev. A. M. Thompson, pastor. Residence, 198 Whitwell Street. Morning service 10.30 A. M Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Topic: " Teachings of this year's Su day School Lessons that have impressed themselves upon me." Ps. 119: 9-16. Evening service at 7. Topic: "Christ as a Friend, Brother Saviour." Seats free. Everybody welcome. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 Topic: "The Value of the Prayer meeting service."

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH—West Quincy Rev. T. C. Martin, pastor. Residence, 12 Hall place. Morning worship at 10.30. Sunday School at 12.00. Junior League at 3 P. M. Epworth League at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M A cordial welcome for all.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev Joseph Walther, pastor. Residence 81 Prospect avenue. Tel. 311-4 Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the Pastor. Sunday School at 12.15. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Evening service at 7.00 Preaching by the Pastor. Everyone invited.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Corner Beale and Farrington Streets. Rev. Carl G Horst, minister. Residence 67 Winthrop avenue. Telephone : Quincy 317-1. Kindergarten for children of three years and over at 10.45. Service of worship with sermon at 10 45. Sunday School at 12.10. Good Citizenship Forum at 1'. Leader: Irving L. Shaw.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH— WOLLASTON, Corner Beale and Safford streets. Rev. Wesley Wiggin, pastor. Residence 52 Brook street, Telephone, Quincy 378-2. 10.45, Morning worship, sermon by the pastor. Subject : "Eternal Life." 12, Sunday School. 3.30 P. M. Junior League meeting. 6 P. M. Epworth League devotional service 7.00 p. m. sermon by pastor. Subject: "A Worthy Walk."

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Hancock street, Wollaston—Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector, residence, the rectory, 523 Hancock street. Holy Communion 8.00 Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening prayer and address at 7.30.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner Lincoln and Winthrop avenues. Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., Pastor. Residence, 20 Marion Street. Telephone, Quincy 1849 M. Morning Worship at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. "Joseph the Husband of Mary." Sunday School at 12.15. C. A. Randall, Supt. Men's Class led by the pastor. Christian Endeavor at 6 p.m., led by Miss Margaret Harding. Midweek service Thursday at 7.45 p. m. in the vestry led by Dr Sneath. Topic: "The True Christmas Spirit." All are welcome.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Atlantic. Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. 10.45 morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. Theme, "The development of character." Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Junior Endeavor at 4. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00 Evening service at 7, the second musicale of the season. Everybody welcome.

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If YOU are a young man, and not associated with any other Quincy church, YOU are most cordially invited to come to our meeting.
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BOSTON TEAMS WALLOPED GOOD

Not in it with Fast Quincy Basket Ball Players

HONORS EASY FOR THREE

Thursday night at the "Tech" gym, Quincy defeated the Boston Y. M. C. A. first and second teams by the scores of 30 to 19, and 28 to 14. This is the first time in the history of the Quincy Association that a first team has won a game from Boston on Boston floor. The Quincy boys were badly handicapped during the first half by the poor light, and the large playing space, but during the latter part of the game the players were able to get off some good passing and goals were scored in rapid succession. Trask, Parker and Rich each scored 5 goals. Holmes succeeded in shutting out his man again; this being the 3d game in which his opponent has not scored.

The second team was also a good fast contest. Quincy scoring 14 points in each half. Thomas caged 8 goals, while Price got 4. Cortthell dropped in two pretty goals from long distances. "Toodie" Deneen played a star game in the back-field, shutting out his man without a goal.

A party of about 15 royal rooters accompanied the team and did good work at the right time.

The scores

QUINCY 1st		BOSTON
Parker rf		lb Rottacher
Rich lf		rb Myhre
Trask c		c Ziegler
Holmes rb		lf Bryant
Kenn lb		rf Gnnn

Score: Quincy 30. Boston 19. Goals from floor, Parker 5, Trask 5, Rich 5, Kenn 1, Rottacher 4, Myhre 2, Ziegler 3. Goals from fouls, Bryant 1. Referee, Dr. Martin. Timer Twiltchell Time 2-20 min.

QUINCY 2d		Boston 2d
Thomas rf		lb Moran
Price lf		rb Waiss
Corthell c		c Mortimer
Dineen rb		lf Thellis
Pinel lb		rf Fiebleman
Croucher lb		rf Donnell

Score: Quincy 28. Boston 14. Goals from floor, Thomas 8 Price 4, Corthell 2, Mortimer 4, Moran 1, Waiss 1, Fiebleman 1. Referee, Dr. Martin. Timer, Twitchell. Time 2-15 min. Attendance 100.

Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held its regular meeting in association hall Friday afternoon with the president Mrs. Edwin I. Beal presiding. Mrs. Charles W. Miller conducted the devotional exercises. Mrs. A. F. Bromley and Mrs. William F. Cummings gave interesting accounts of the convention held recently in Newton and Richard D. Chase made some very pleasing remarks.

A short entertainment followed the business session. Miss Marian Rand sang "Summer Rain," very pleasingly and Mrs. William Hodgkinson read selections from "Aunt Abbie's Neighbors" by Annie Trumbull Slosson in her usual sweet voice. Her selections are always elevating. The program concluded with another song "Fireside Faces" by Miss Rand which was received with marked approval by the audience.

A social and informal hour followed during which refreshments were served with Mrs. Eugene R. Stone presiding at the cocoa urn assisted by Mrs. William Hodgkinson, Mrs. Louis LaRose, Mrs. M. T. Smith and Mrs. N. S. Nickerson.

SERVICES APPRECIATED.

Quincy, Nov. 4, 1912.

Mrs. Mary E. Addison, Secretary
Quincy Charitable Society:—

After thirty-one years of continuous service as treasurer of the Quincy Charitable Society, I feel it is best for me to relinquish the work, and ask that my resignation be accepted.

Helen L. Bass, Treasurer.

Quincy, Dec. 6, 1912.

Mrs. Helen L. Bass:

The Quincy Charitable Society, receiving with utmost regret, your resignation and honoring their treasurer for the past thirty-one years, and showing their appreciation for her faithful services, resolved at the monthly meeting Dec. 5, 1912, the secretary present this testimonial of their gratitude.

Mary E. Addison, Secretary.

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

A BOSTON GIRL'S BUDGET.

Germs in the Sugar Bowl, Warns One of Hubs Wise Men—Look Out When You Sweeten Your Coffee at the Quick Luncheon—New England School Children Clamor to see the Fish at Boston's New Aquarium—American and English Street Cars are Contrasted by Major General Bancroft—Londoners Have Nowhere to Put their Legs, so Close are the Seats Together.

Nothing is sacred these days—even the sugar bowl is assailed as a germ jar, especially the kind which serves the patrons of the arm chair lunch room. President John Ritchies of the Boston Scientific Society, he who lately did most of the detail work of the local board of health and who writes entertainingly on various medical subjects in a daily newspaper, has called attention to the danger of circulation of diseases from the dropping of coffee spilled from the cups of lunch room patrons, from the frequent handling of these lumps of sugar, and he enumerates other sources of danger. The habit of wiping knives and forks on dirty towels, carrying glasses by holding the fingers inside, dirty ice in ice water—and, not the least in importance, but a sad restriction of the privileges of youth, the habit of children of swapping chewing gum. It, unfortunately, is about as easy to break the habits of the lunch room as of the children, but the continued efforts of scientists are at least making considerable headway.

Boston's Aquarium has caught on. Fifteen thousand and three hundred eager eyed visitors were counted by its turnstiles on the first Sunday after its opening. The crowd that day was almost too dense for comfort, especially around the central poole in which the seals and sea lions disport themselves. The best time for New England folk who want to enjoy the exhibits quietly is—if they can manage it—on other days than Saturday or Sunday. On such days when the attendance does not as yet run over 1500, it is pleasant to spend an hour or two before the great translucent tanks filled with the brilliant denizens of the tropic seas or the duller hued but not less active and amusing fish of our own waters. It the visit is in the afternoon the "ohs" and "ahs" of school children are sure to break the silence of the long hall and central rotunda, for following Mayor Fitzgerald's recommendation, teachers of the Boston public schools are already taking their classes to study the exhibits and write essays on what they have seen. This educational side of the Aquarium's fascinating glimpses into the piscatorial under world will certainly be developed as the winter goes on and school principals of Cambridge, Quincy, Lynn, Salem, Gloucester and other cities of nearby New England become aware of the opportunity. Trolley trips across down town Boston to City Point where the Aquarium is picturesquely housed in a specially designed concrete building exact but little time and are revealing to many Massachusetts people no only the charm of the aquarial exhibits but the beauty of Marine Park and Boston harbor on pleasnt days of winter. Those who like pedestrianism—as in the case of a party of the Public Recreation League on a recent Saturday afternoon—after visiting the Aquarium often walk over the long bridge to Castle Island and the oldest continuously fortified stronghold in the United States. The former allwinter emptiness of this most scenic of Boston's reservations seem likely to disappear since the coming of the Aquarium.

The superior comfort of Boston's street cars over London's appears to have impressed the head of the system at the New England capital. Major General William A. Bancroft is probably as ready as anybody to admit that there are imperfections in the operation of trains and surface cars over 500 miles of track in greater Boston but after his visit to and inspection of the municipal tramways at the imperial capital he does not think so badly of the system operated for the benefit of the home folks. There may be some over crowding of cars at some times of the day, due to the physical impossibility of getting cars fast enough into and out of Park street station and to other complex situations. Yet after all it is often better to stand than to be sat upon, in such ways as General Bancroft recently described to an amused meeting of the New England Traffic club. There are seats for 20 passengers in the hermetically sealed interior of the tram," he said, "and seats for 46 on the top of the car. The seats are so close together that the indecency of the arrangement is marked. In Boston we at least give our passengers room to dispose of their legs." It was also shown that no one is allowed to stand in a London tram. If a man has a cramp and rises to stretch himself he is promptly pushed back into his seat. These and simliar discomforts were explained as examples of a kind of treatment for which the New England public would not stand a minute. Yet General Bancroft did not attempt to interpret them as due to any inherent inferiority of municipal over private ownership and operation. That is quite another question, complicated with questions of balancing on the one side the liability of governmental service to get into ruts of political corruption and on the other side of stockholders, some of whom are unwilling to be content with what is regarded as a reasonable return on investment. The ownership problem, as appears to be the sentiment among most enlightened traffic men, is one of expediency rather than of principle. The public can operate and electric railway or a dry goods store by spending money enough on it and not thinking of return on capital. Yet no one is suggesting that the city of Boston is ready to take over its car services.

Ethel Angier.

Boston, Dec. 13, 1912.

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GRAND DUKE DIMITRI TO BE CZAR'S HEIR

Czarevitch Incapacitated For Succession to Throne

London, Dec. 14.—There is continued dispute concerning the condition of Grand Duke Alexis, the 8-year-old Russian czarevitch, who, it is said, had been deposed as heir-apparent to the throne of Russia, having been incapacitated for succession by a wound inflicted for revenge by a Nihilist.

It is admitted, though, by those who profess to know, that Grand Duke Dimitri, 21 years old, son of Grand Duke Paul and Princess Alexandra, daughter of the King of Greece, has been chosen heir-designate by the czar.

The young czarevitch, according to reports, is suffering from a glandular affliction, though it is healing and has no connection with the designation of Dimitri.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John C. Randall and Henrietta L. Randall, his wife, in her right, to the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, as it is Trustee under the will of Sylvanus A. Denio, said mortgage deed being dated October 13, 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds Book 702, Page 93, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday, the thirty-first day of December, 1912, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, all and singular the premises conveyed by said Mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows:—

A certain parcel of land conveyed to said Henrietta by deed of John Quincy Adams and others, trustees, dated Aug. 20, 1891 and recorded with the Norfolk Deeds, lib. 661, fol. 224, and therein described as follows:— "A lot of land in Quincy in said County of Norfolk numbered 1 on a plan by H. T. Whitman to be recorded herewith and bounded and described as follows: Northerly on Adams street, there measuring two hundred (200) feet, Easterly on land of the Adams Real Estate Trust there measuring four hundred and nine and 27-100 (409 27-100) feet, Southerly on land now or late of Eaton as the stone wall stands there measuring one hundred and forty-four and 3-10 (144 3-10) feet; and Westerly on land of Whicher as the stone wall now stands a distance of three hundred and fifty and 2-100 (350 2-100) feet, and containing 63,760 square feet of land," with all buildings situated thereon. Also a certain other parcel of land conveyed to said Henrietta by deed of John Quincy Adams and others trustees dated Sept. 10, 1892 and recorded with the Norfolk Deeds lib. 680, fol. 520, and therein described as follows:—"a triangular shaped parcel of land in Quincy in said County of Norfolk bounded and described as follows:—Beginning on Adams Street at the Northeast corner of said Randall's land and running southerly and bounding westerly on said grantee four hundred and nine and twenty seven hundredths (409 27-100) feet, thence running northeasterly one hundred and six (106) feet to a point that is fifty-six (56) feet distant from the first described line, thence in a straight line to the point of beginning three hundred and twenty-four and two tenths (324 2-10) feet. Containing 11,460 square feet as shown on plan by H. T. Whitman recorded herewith, with all buildings situated thereon." Each of the said parcels of land is to be conveyed subject to the restrictions and incumbrances expressed in the deed by which it was conveyed to said Henrietta C. Randall, which deed is in each case referred to above, so far as said restrictions and incumbrances are now in force and applicable.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all tax titles, unpaid taxes and assessments.

$200 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Further terms at sale.

Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.
Trustee under the will of Sylvanus A. Denio, present owner and holder of said mortgage by Charles E. Rogerson, President.

Boston, Dec. 4, 1912.
3t Dec. 7-14-21

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William H. Glover late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by William S. Glover and Walter S. Glover both of said Quincy who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

J. R. McCoole, Asst. Register.
7-3t 7-14-21

BOYS FINDING THEIR PACE

Good Scores in the Fore River Bowling Games

BIG MATCH PROMISED

The highest scores made in the Fore River bowling league this season, were made at the Coliseum alleys Friday evening. Nineteen men rolled 100 or over and high single went to Smith with 119.

Paul Poehler a foremost national bowler, was one of the Government Draftsmen team. During the evening 318 for high string. During the evening it looked as though Tirrell's record of 130 would be smashed.

The Government Draftsmen forced the Foundry to claim a goose egg, the Pipefitters did the same to the Machinists Gallery, while the Yard beat the Patternmakers 3 to 1.

The Argentine Inspectors again showed improvement, Wilkendorf making 103 while some of his associates just missed the century mark. The Inspectors, many of whom never bowled until they came to Quincy took three points from the Shipfitters.

Poehler of Quincy and Hines of Revere may be the card on or about New Years if the present negotiations carry out. These two men, keen rivals and splendid bowlers met at Revere last winter and Poehler lost a 20 string match by one pin. If the match is arranged, bowling interest will centre here as in all probability the second bunch of 10 strings will be rolled at the Coliseum.

The scores:

ARGENTINE INSPECTORS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Descalzo	92	99	65	234
Boullon	94	77	87	266
Gozzi	80	75	81	241
Pozzi	90	85	83	262
H. Wilkendorf	99	103	75	274
	455	439	391	1277

SHIPFITTERS.

Fields	88	87	87	262
Burke	94	87	82	263
Akroid	76	79	84	239
Phinney	76	75	69	220
Hynes	92	73	84	249
	426	401	406	1223

YARD.

White	81	88	82	251
Anthony	90	89	87	266
Craig	85	75	111	271
Mills	100	79	81	260
Smith	99	100	119	318
	455	431	480	1366

PATTERNMAKERS.

Johnston	92	113	74	279
Cox	101	73	70	244
Robinson	74	102	101	277
Clapp	85	84	80	249
Sprenkel	89	78	89	256
	441	450	414	1305

PIPEFITTERS.

Kateon	81	103	93	277
Hough	93	77	93	253
Blake	106	76	99	281
Stevenson	76	98	98	272
Bliss	99	101	92	292
	455	455	475	1385

MACH. GALLERY.

Carlson	78	82	104	264
Coyle	75	89	88	252
Stevens	86	88	73	247
Moran	78	85	77	240
Tirrell	80	76	75	231
	397	420	417	1234

GOV. DRAFTSMEN.

Green	88	99	85	272
Cantwell	106	85	79	270
Melendy	82	91	91	264
O'Neil	84	93	106	283
Poehler	106	109	103	318
	466	477	464	1407

FOUNDRY.

Simmons	100	84	111	295
Johnston	85	86	86	257
Joyce	68	89	82	239
Lewis	95	95	96	286
Charnock	92	78	74	244
	440	432	449	1321

MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Bethany church will meet in the Ladies' Parlor Wednesday, at three o'clock. Mrs. Willmott will report from the Board meeting in Andover. There will be a message from the Annual Home and Branch meetings. All ladies invited. Tea will be served during the social hour, after the program.

☞Get busy now and shop at home. Look over the stock of local merchants. They need the trade and you need their stores. Be one to show your civic pride by shopping at home.

VOTING CONTEST

(Continued from Page Three.)

but for the "biggest gain." The leader may gain only 1000 during the week, but a new candidate may enter with 2000 and win the certificate, or one with 25 votes might gain more than the leader. It gives all an equal chance.

Candidates should not hesitate to ask ANY of their friends for a year's subscription to the Daily Ledger to help them win the Washington trip or the diamond ring. If already a subscriber, they may be willing to pay another subscription NOW, that you may have a certificate for 1000 votes. Certificates are also issued to all new subscribers who send cash with their order. All subscriptions for one year are good for 1000 votes, whether from December to December, or March to March, or July to July, or October to October.

Circular letters and blanks have been printed for candidates in the contest, which may be had free upon application at the Daily Ledger office. They will be found quite a help, and should be used early in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	10855
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	8780
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
A. R. MacKay, Hetasophs	1795
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	1035
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	990
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	955
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	255
Galen Bowditch, messenger	240
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Sam Shellman, Granite street	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	95
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Richard Larkin, High school	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	65
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	65
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	60
B. L. Smith, Fore River	55
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	55
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	45
John Mahon, organist	45
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
Walter Mead, High school	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	35
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	30
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	30
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	30
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	25
Clara Stoddard, S. of V. Aux.	20
J. McCullough, shipyard	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
William Allen, Eagles	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal""	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
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At left, Jacob Duan; at right, Warren Dunn; in center, Seeley Davenport. Their log cabin near Wharton, N. J., in the mountainous section of the state, is also shown. They were arrested there charged with sending letters to President Elect Wilson threatening to kill him unless he paid them $5,000. They are now held at Newark, N. J., for arraignment next Monday.

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Mr. King and Miss Jones Slipped Away and Quietly Married

While parents and friends were preparing for her marriage on or about Christmas Day, Miss Evelyn Temple Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Jones of 52 River street, quietly left home Thursday in company with her sister Miss Ethel, met her intended husband, Lovett Morton King at Boston and journeyed to Somerville where ceremony was performed by Rev. William M. Crawford.

The news of the marriage was revealed by Miss Ethel Jones, the bridesmaid who returned home and told her parents. Considerable surprise was expressed by all the members of the family at the suddenness of the marriage.

Thomas Shea of Woburn, a chum of the groom was the best man.

The bride is the oldest daughter and is one of fourteen children. She is a machine operator, employed at a South Braintree factory, and is a popular Quincy Point resident.

The groom is chief engineer of the Collier Everett. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. King left on an extensive honeymoon and on their return will reside at 26 Bow street, Woburn.

Mrs. Lucy J. Marsh who was so seriously injured by a fall down stairs on Thanksgiving night, is gaining a little from day to day.

HIBERNIANS ELECT OFFICERS

Division 4 Held Annual Session Wednesday Night

Election of officers of Div. 4, A. O. H. took place at the regular meeting held at St. Mary's hall on Wednesday evening. The following were chosen:

President—Philip T. Eagan.
Vice President—Edward B. Finn.
Financial Secretary—Joseph O'Connor.
Recording Secretary—Daniel Scully
Treasurer—Arthur B. Murphy.
Sargent at Arms— John Dineen.
Sentinel—John R. Duggan.
Chairman of the standing committee,—James Kelly.

BRIEFS

Mayor Stone returned Friday evening from a business trip to Maine.

Rev. William D. Ayres of the Park and Downs church is to preach Sunday evening at the Villiage church in Milton.

A marriag return made Friday at the city clerk's office records the nuptials of Miss Olga Werner of Wollaston to Hallett Nowell of Brookline at Hartford, Conn. ,on Nov. 9. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph R. Werner of 359 Beale street and attended the Quincy High school, class of 1910.

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SOME SUGGESTIONS

A poster displayed at the post office advises patrons to mail their packages early and allow twice the usual time for delivery. These directions continue: "Wrap them securely, use heavy paper for the outer covering and tie them with strong twine. Address them 'right'—put your own address in the left hand corner."

Relative to the postage required on parcels the poster calls attention to the fact that parcels carrying letter postage—2 cents per ounce—may be sealed by the sender. "For advanced delivery on Christmas packages and letters use special delivery stamps. Buy your money orders early."

The poster states that four pounds of merchandise may be sent to any postoffice in the United States or Canada at the rate of one cent an ounce. The rate for books is two ounces for one cent. Packages of merchandise weighing up to 11 pounds may be sent to any one of 42 countries for 12 cents a pound.

With reference to money orders the poster tells the public that orders up to $100, payable at practically any post office in the world, may be purchased. Letters or packages addressed to any postoffice in the world may be registered and a receipt obtained for them. The public is advised to buy stamp books and thus save time at the stamp selling windows.

HINGHAM MAN DIED SUDDENLY

A. L. Leavitt Collapsed in South Station Friday

While waiting for a train in the South station Friday A. L. Leavitt, of Hingham 65 years of age, collapsed and died before medical assistance reached him. The body was removed to the City Hospital morgue and Chief James of Hingham, a friend of the deceased was notified. Mr. Leavitt was well known throughout the south shore. He retired from the painting business a number of years ago.

John Leavitt, who settled in Hingham in 1636 was an ancester of Mr. Leavitt. Five years ago he was engaged to be married to a Mrs. Page, but before the ceremony took place his intended bride died, and left him $5000 in a will.

TRUCK AND TEAM IN COLLISION

Horses Knocked Down but Not Seriously Injured

The auto truck of W. G. Shaw and the two-horse express of Ransom Bros. were in collision at the Quincy freight yard at 9.40 this morning. The express was backing up to a car when the auto attempted to pass in front. Both horses were knocked down, but not seriously injuired. The wagon has a broken pole and was otherwise damaged.

MARRIAGES

NOWELL—WERNER—In Hartford, Conn., November 6, by Rev. Rodney W. Rounds, Mr. Hallett Nowell of Brookline to Mis Olga Werner of Wollaston.

KING—JONES—In Somerville, December 12, by Rec. William M. Crawford, Mr. Lovett Morton King of Woburn to Miss Evelyn Temple Jones of Quincy.

DEATHS

REMINGTON—In Quincy, December 13, Bela Remington, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James E. Conrad, of 654 Washington stret, aged 89 years.

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TURKEY BALKS PEACE TALK

Will Not Deal With Greece Until She Signs Armistice

FIGHTING ON LAND AND SEA

First Big Naval Engagement of Balkan War In Progress on Ægean Sea—Turks Routed by Greeks In Epirus—Optimists Take Comfort From Statements of Peace Delegates

Constantinople, Dec. 14.—The Turkish envoys to the London peace conference have been instructed not to negotiate with the Greek plenipotentiaries until Greece signs an armistice agreement. The Turks will demand that the Greeks either ratify the protocol for an armistice that was signed at Baghtche by Turkey, Bulgaria, Servia and Montenegro, or sign a separate agreement with Turkey.

It was news of continued fighting on both land and sea by Greeks and Turks around Janina that led the government to take this step.

Great Sea Fight On

Constantinople, Dec. 14.—A naval engagement, the first big sea fight of the Balkan war, is going on between the Turkish and Greek fleets in the Ægean sea, according to a wireless message to the Turkish minister of marine. According to this dispatch, the Turkish fleet moved out against the concentrated Greek fleet and gave battle.

Turkish Force Routed by Greeks

Athens, Dec. 14.—A Greek army under General Sapautjakis won a victory from the Turks at Pentepigadia, driving the Ottoman forces from camp and capturing arms, ammunition, tents and provisions. Pentepigadia is in Epirus, about fifty miles southwest of Janina.

Peace Conference Delayed

London, Dec. 14.—Because of the delayed arrival of the Turkish envoys the Turko-Balkan peace conference did not begin yesterday, as agreed in the Baghteche protocol. It was said at the foreign office that the initial sesion would not be held before Monday.

The optimists took great comfort from the statements of some of the peace delegates. Prime Minister Venizelos of Greece denied emphatically there was any friction among the Balkan allies and said the federation, instead of disintegrating, was, on the contrary, more cohesive than ever.

In addition, M. Novakovitch of Servia was quoted as saying his government, if allowed to hold Durazzo, would agree never to attempt to fortify the town or cede it to another nation.

Advices from Vienna said that Austria-Hungary, as if to meet Servia half-way, expressed willingness for the Servians to hold Durazzo for a commercial outlet.

A dispatch from a correspondent on the train with the Turkish envoys quoted their chief, Reschid Pasha, as saying he confidently expected peace to be arranged before Christmas.

UNION PLANS CHECKED

Boston Firemen Contemplated Joining Federation of Labor

Boston, Dec. 14.—The proposed plan of the Russell Fire club, the organization for privates in the Boston fire department, to become affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, has been squelched by Fire Commissioner Cole.

The firemen were to determine the matter by vote at the annual meeting at the end of this month, but the commissioner, in a statement issued last night, declares their duties and responsibilities belong solely and undividedly to the city of Boston, and no other authority should be recognized.

AFTER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

Slayer of Woman Pardoned From Connecticut State Prison

Hartford, Dec. 14.—After spending twenty-five years in the Connecticut state prison for the murder of Mrs. Margaret Ernst, a New Haven store keeper, James F. Taylor of New Haven, now 45 years old, was pardoned by the state board of pardons.

Taylor and Henry B. Chamberlain, also of New Haven, were convicted July 18, 1887. Mrs. Ernst was chloroformed, the motive of the crime being robbery. Chamberlain also applied for a pardon, but it was denied.

Sues Church and Pastor

Pittsburg, Dec. 14.—Charging that she was excommunicated, Mrs. Edward Sutter filed a $20,000 damage suit against Rev. John B. Wilson and the Grant Street Reformed Presbyterian church.

Murderer Confesses on Scaffold

Atlanta, Dec. 14.—Just before he was hanged here, Robert L. Clay broke a silence of seven months, and confessed to the murder of his wife here last May.

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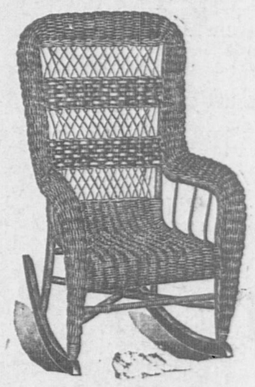
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PLAIN TALK TO PARENTS

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akes place in the human life. The uman evolution so to speak. A child t 5 years eats more rapidly than anyhing else and asks questions. That s human life and we must feed the hild when the human brain is completed its growth.

The period from 9 to 12 years is he period of assimilation. He is putting together what he knows. Then comes reproduction and he expresses himself, builds his character n what he has been eating during the unger period. It is doubtful if a nother recognizies the tremendous im ortance of this period. The mother's reatest task is to put into the huan soul those qualities that will nake for the best. The mother's influence does not dominate very long. f the boy is to grow he must get out f one influence and get into other influences. So the mothers influence oes down, but bye and bye it comes gain and mother is the greatest beng in the world.

Now the fathers influence comes in ut his influence soon goes down out f sight. Then comes the chum and he gang and at the age of 16 years what the gang says goes, and the oy lives a gang life all his life and t is from the gang he learns the ruth about human life, but not under he right influence.

What is the use of telling the boy a falsehood about life? Is there nything that can not be told a child bout life and its reproduction and rowding out of life that which is onderful in creation? The parents then of a boy are responsible for they have not told him when he asks questions. What is more beautiful than the story of life. When you tell him that God made him, or the Stork brought him or the Doctor brought him out of the hay, you are telling him a deliberate lie, which he will later learn from wrong sources to have been a lie.

The speaker then told of young men whom he had met in college who were entirely ignorant of those things that should have been told them by their mothers. These men were in a serious condition simply for this reason.

The speaker also believed that sex hygeine should also be taught in the public schools yet today not a text book on the subject can be found in the public schools. The trouble with parents is that they want to get the kid off their hands into school so that they can have more time to attend to their social duties.

The great significance of human life should be taught while the human soul is hungering after the truth, and when a boy or girl asks its mother where he or she came from tell them the truth, thus they will know the truth as truth presented at the right time.

YOUNG CHOSEN CAPTAIN...

Clifton Young has been chosen captain of the Quincy high school football team for the coming year. He will succeed Leon White of 1913. Clifton, familiarly called "Kip" was at centre this season and did good work. He is one of the most popular students at the school and a member of the class of 1914.

LEAVES SNUG FORTUNE

Popcorn Vender Was Supposed to Be In Straitened Circumstances

Poughkeepise, N. Y., Dec. 14.—John Johnowitz, a Poughkeepsie popcorn vender, who died supposedly a pauper, turns out to have been well-to-do, and Mrs. Mary Zimmerman, wife of Gustaf Zimmerman of Lawrence, Mass., seems to be his only heir.

Searching among the thousand odds and ends that cluttered the habitation of "Popcorn John," Coroner Selfridge found a baking powder box filled with a big bundle of bills of high denomination, a bank book showing $1070 on deposit to his credit and several wallets stuffed with bills and gold and silver coins hidden away under piles of rags, pieces of carpet and in cigar boxes.

After making a partial search, the coroner locked the place and notified Mrs. Zimmerman. The search will be completed upon her arrival here.

(ADVERTISE.)

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix with the will annexed, of the estate of Patrick McDonnell, late of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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FIREMEN MAKING THOROUGH INSPECTION OF ALL BUILDINGS

To Become Acquainted with Them For Greater Efficiency in Case of Fire

City Square First Look-in---May Spread All Over the City

Chief Litchfield started in Saturday to make a thorough inspection of all stores and public buildings in City Square, so that in case of a fire in any of the buildings the firemen might be familiar with the suroundings and the interior layout of the buildings, and know where the electric light shut offs were located, as well as where the gas shut off was, the fire escapes rear entrances and any other information that might be of use in case a fire should start in the buildings, especially at night.

Incidentally with this inspection came an inspection of the condition of the interior of building relative to fire protection.

The inspecting squad was headed by fireman Herbert Griffin and will continue its work until all of the buildings have been visited. In some of the places visited the firemen found the cellars clean from old rubbish while in others they found the rubbish piled up and scattered about so that they became a veritible fire trap. Orders were given in such cases to immediately clean the places up.

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GIRL MISSING AT BRAINTREE

Maude Horton Went to Post Letter and Failed to Return

Word was received at the police station Sunday night relative to the disappearance of Maude Horton, a 17 year old State ward, who left the home of Dr. T. A. Johnson of Braintree Highlands to mail a letter at three o'clock Sunday afternoon and had not returned late at night.

After trying all afternoon and evening to find the girl, Mr. Johnson notified Chief of Police Hunt, and the latter communicated with the police in neighboring towns.

The girl is 5 feet 6 inches in height weighs about 145 pounds, and has dark hair and brown eyes. She wore a brown coat with blue cuffs, and a red ribbon in her hair.

COMMISSION FOR NAVAL HERO

John McDonough's Services Recognized by Superiors

REMARKABLE RECORD

The many Quincy friends of Ensign James H. McDonough, U. S. N. will be pleased to learn that the United States government has recognized his bravery and has placed him on the retired list witht he rank of Ensign.

Ensign McDonough was located in Quincy for quite a period during the building of the battleship North Dakota at the Fore River Shipyard, and made many fast friends and became extremely popular.

It was also in Quincy that he found his helpmate having married Miss Sadie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Johnson. When the North Dakota went into commission he was assigned to the battleship as Warrant Machinist and it was here he distinguished himself and showed his bravery.

He is retired for disability arising from injuries received while saving the lives of others, and three special marks of merit were awarded him several days ago in Washington when he was handed his retirement papers by Assistant Secretary of the Navy Beekman and given the rank of Chief

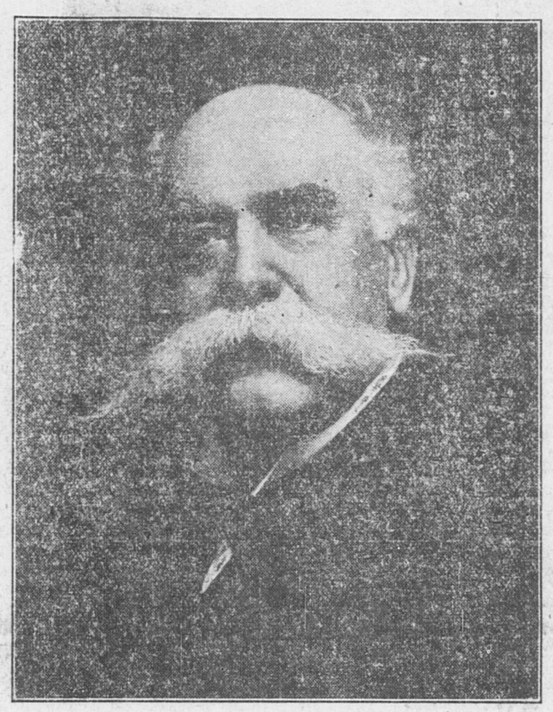
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By placing a handsome Christmas gift, amounting to $16,000 in the Granite Trust Co. for the benefit of all Quincy churches, Theophilus King, a most prominent resident of this city, celebrated his 68th birthday on Saturday.

Accompanying the deposit was a remarkable letter, explaining the wish of the donor, his broadened views towards all religions and how the churches were to share in the fund created.

In order that they may receive a donation this year an additional $300 will be distributed to the 30 churches here.

Quincy, Mass., December 14, 1912.
Mr. R. F. Claflin, Treas.

Dear Sir:—I am depositing with you today a Trust Fund of $16,000, placing it in your care and keeping, for distribution of income as outlined in accompanying communication hereto attached, and made a part hereof.

This fund is now invested at the interest rate of 5 per cent per annum. When this Trust Fund is to be reinvested, if myself or son, Delcevare King, are alive I wish the Trust Company to be largely influenced by us in making its reinvestment.

If for any reason any of the beneficiaries named are not in position to receive this intended benefit or any of the named organzations cease to be without a direct successor to whom the benefit may be continued, then so much of this amount as will thus remain in the hands of the Granite Trust Co. shall be utilized in like manner with the Quincy Day Nursery, as a substitute.

This distribution to be made as from the King Family Fund.

Will later furnish you a form to be used in connection with the payments, and complete any details in connection with this Trust that may not have been covered in the best way.

Respectfully yours,
Theophilus King.

December 14, 1912.

To the organized Churches of the City of Quincy.

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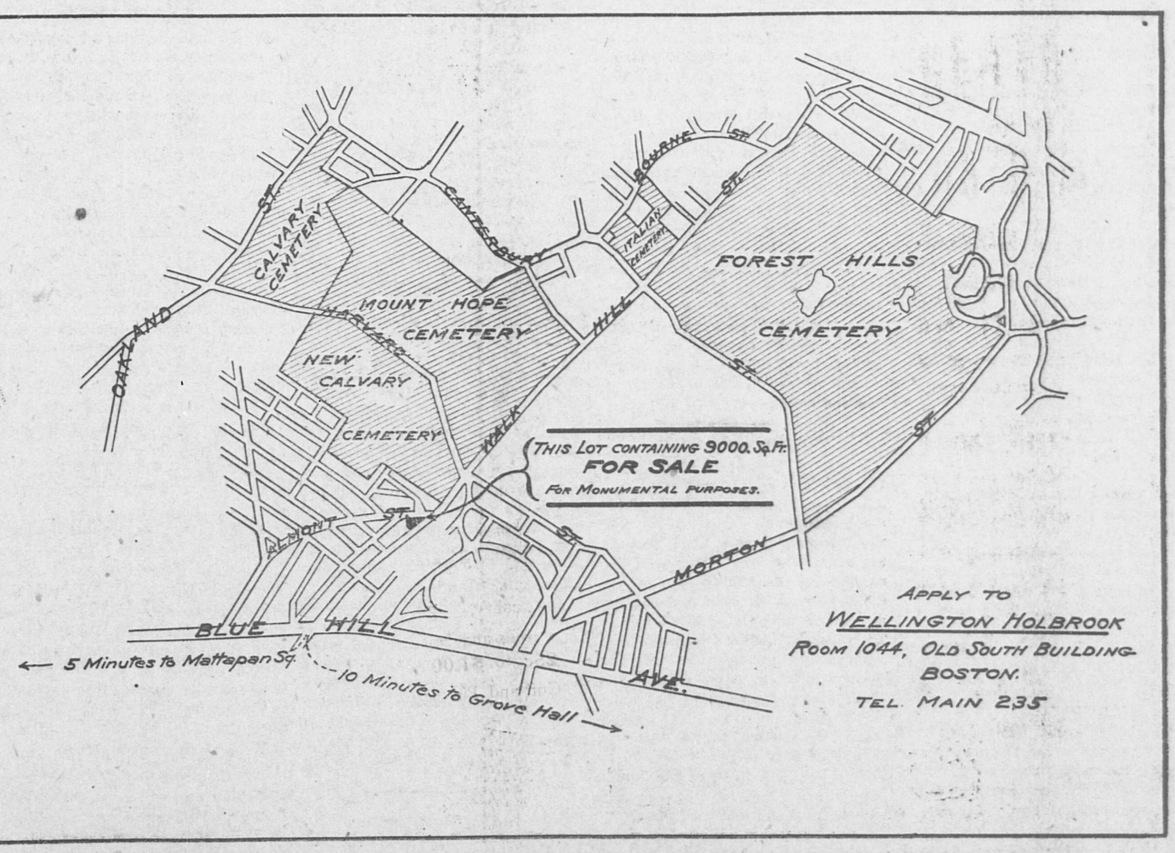
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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

As a last press bureau stunt the lady actresses of Boston have entered a campaign of knocking each other, of course through the press. No fear of a hair pulling contest over the differences.

The harmony which prevailed at the two big league meetings demonstrates that the base ball writers of the country did not know where they were at or perhaps had another motive in the battles which they were picturing every day as coming off.

By the way that C. W. Murphy person must be some tight wad, judging by the hammering he has been getting.

The De Luxe men want immunity. They should get it in the form of a hair cut and a bath at the expense of the state.

And while about it, there might be something gained by examining the heads of some of the victims.

Stocks have gone down, but that is only for effect over the money investigation. Some one is seizing a golden opportunity to make a good squeeze and the biggest reapers are undoubtedly those who are making the loudest howl against the investigation.

Morgan's partner welcomed his guests in a bar room, so that it is up to John to offer up a few prayers for the relief of all.

It seems about time that Gen. Sickles and his troubles, family and otherwise were relegated to the rear rank.

Gov. Foss is thinking about calling a conference of New England governors and some one is unkind enough to know if it is to act on a pardon for the New Haven.

That little incident in Washington has prompted the thought was the "old boy" really and truly imbued with good fellowship when he appointed Mr. White to the Economic commission.

The peace envoys found plenty of excuse for side stepping the Friday and 13.

This scientific raising of kids may be all right, but we have not seen many men or kids of the present day who give promise of living to the ripe old age of the older generation who were brought up in good old fashioned ways.

The boy who had to rush out and break the ice in the basin under the pump to wash mornings has lived longer and cleaner than the fellow woh was brought up by note on a chart.

Malden wants subways but the powers that be, say otherwise all of which is another evidence of the immense power of the sovereign rights of the people.

Let every one get busy and attend the dock hearing. This is too large a matter to be decided by a handful of voters. Every voter should have a hand in it and give their views to enlighten the committee.

If Boston firemen join the labor union and then should go on strike, what would happen in case of fire? It would be a rather grave situation.

England has taken a forward step in resuming flogging for white slavers.

Poor facilities for handling are responsible for an annual waste of $200,000,000 in New York. Boston should hurry up with her model pier system.

NIPPED IN THE BUD.

A Maine boy of 16 who had an ambition to get out in the world and end a humdrum existence in a quiet corner of the earth had his ambition nipped in the bid by his guardian. The boy showed that he was neither a laggard or imbued with evil tendencies. On reaching the Hub, he quickly secured a position as messenger boy. One rung in his ambition to climb the ladder of fortune was scaled but alas for the plans of the youngster. The stern guardian put a stop to further climbing in that direction. Who knows but that the checking of this boy has lost to the world another great captain of industry of the future. Certain it is that his wings have been clipped for the time being. Will this temporary set back cool his ardor? It may and then again it may not. If the boy is endowed with the right stuff, the proper degree of perseverence and will power, his rise in the world is only postponed. The boy showed that he was able to take care of himself and he must have met people who considered him worthy else he would not have so quickly and easily secured a position. As an experiment it would not have been a bad thing for the authorities to have kept an eye on the boy for a time, permitted him to continue his independence and show his spirit. If there were symptons of his failing to make good the remedy of checking him could have been applied. But the question arises would there have been any great harm done in allowing the boy to show his spirit. If he had been permitted to continue and succeeded he would be another example of the push and energy and staple worth of the country boy.

THE SCHOOL BOY AND GIRL.

If they really appreciate it, the school boy and girl of the present age are favored individuals. Aside from the benefits derived from a liberal education, great care is taken of their health. Recreations of every character are provided for them. Athletic instructors are engaged. Playgrounds are laid out and athletic fields fitted up. In many communities the boys and girls are not satisfied with those demonstrations for their comforts but some of the more ambitious clamor loudly for stadiums. The desire, the advantages which were in the past only considered part of the big college outfit.

The question has been taken up in many cities and has been the cause of much discussion.

It is very proper that the school boy and girl should have all the advantages which the municipality can afford them. But in the eagerness to provide for the school boy and girl there is another large class of boys and girls, of the workable age who should be considered. The municipality is under as much obligation to consider this class as the school boy and girl. Those working boys and girls are part of the community. They are its right bower so to speak and what benefits them benefits the community. So in the desire to provide for the school boy and girl, this other class of boys and girls, just as worthy of consideration,, should not be forgotten in the effort to provide recreation and recreation places for the youth of a city.

MARCH OF THE AMAZONS.

A party of Woman suffragettes have undertaken a hike from New York to Albany. This is a reminder on a small scale of the famous Coxey army which made a descent upon Washington a few years ago. Since that time, no doubt aided by the publicity given, Coxey has settled down, accumulated a fortune and is seldom heard of. The object of this band of Amazons in their crusade to the capital is rather bscure, but it is presumed that they lan to make an appeal for that which hey have sought so long, the right to ote. They will not take a train or rolley car, they propose to walk 10 niles a day, and do their own cooking, but a few men have been pressed nto the ranks to make all the business arrangements. What the business end of this pilgrimage is, is likewise clouded. Possibly they may be n a barn storming tour and will give one night stands, charging an admission for the frolic. There are a great many people who firmly believe in woman suffrage who are turned from the cause and lose all sympathy for it by the tactics of some of the progressive suffragettes. The women would do more to aid their cause by the conduct of a dignified campaign, which would appeal to the masses of the people as stamping them intelligent and capable of proper appreciation of the ballot than all this clap trap sensational stuff. There is such a thing as overdoing the effort to reach a certain goal and in many cases the self styled leaders in the suffragette movement could be awarded the palm along those lines.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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NAME

STREET

PLACE

PLAIN TALK TO PARENTS

Dr. Seerley at Informal Reception at the Court Building

A number of business men and physicians met in one of the rooms at the court building Saturday evening on initation of Judge Avery to meet Dr. F. N. Seerley of Springfield, who gave them a plain talk on "Boys and Girls and the Responsibility of Parents." Dr. Seerley's talk was plain and right to the point, laying bare many truths that boys and girls should be made to understand and know from their parents rather than from outside influences which they would get in a manner that would work injury instead of good.

In connection with the talk of Dr. Seerley, Judge Avery made a plea to the business men for co-operation in the probation system of the court which he is trying to perfect. Previous to the talk Dr. Seerley met a number of the business men at an informal lunch at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A.

A PROMISING OUTLOOK.

Christmas of 1912 May Establish a Precedent.

It is a great satisfaction to be able to chronicle the fact that the Spug family is growing larger and larger; that more and more people are going in for the safe and sane Christmas; that fewer poor people are going to try this year to give presents to the comfortably off, fewer of the latter are going to make themselves uncomfortably off by giving to the rich, and fewer of the rich are going to make presents because "they remembered us last year."

Everywhere people are talking about it—like people escaping from a thrall. Everywhere they are discovering that if they won't make presents that they don't want to make, they can make presents that they do want to make. It is a surprise, apparently, to a good many to find that they really do want to make some, the desire having been snowed under by "politeness presents" for so long.

Better yet, the number of people who are waking up to the enormity of the "holiday rush" is increasing. A good many women finished their Christmas shopping this week. A good many more will finish next. Only the most irresponsible will add in the last week of all to the difficulties of clerks, messengers, drivers, mail carriers, and those nondescript youngsters who respond to the call of ca-ah-sh.

Really, it begins to look as if the arts and grafts that have for so long made the 25th of December a season of jeer are to be done away with to some extent; as if we might decide to have a Yuletide instead of a Fooltide; as if the Christmas crimes might not ring out so brazenly in this year of hope 1912.—New York Evening Post.

Hatpin Causes Death

Boston, Dec. 16:—A hatpin protruding from a woman's hat was the cause of the death of James A. Sinclair, chief of the Boston Caledonian club, yesterday afternoon. Blood poisoning resulted from a scratch on Sinclair's forehead.

BUSY BURGLARS GET LITTLE LOOT

Three Stores Show Indisputable Evidence of Breaks

BUT NOTHING MISSING

Officer Ford found evidences of three attempts at breaking and entering in the rear of Hancock street stores shortly after he came on duty Sunday evening. No goods appeared to have been disturbed at any of the places.

His attention was drawn to the window in the rear of the store of William Westland, 1597 Hancock street, by a barrel which was set below the window which is nearly eight feet from the ground. He found the glass of the window broken and the framework forced. The proprietor was notified through the police department and he immediately went to the store and made an examination. He learned that nothing had been taken from the cellar and that the burglars had not eached the street floor.

A window on the south side of the market of Herbert Otis, next door, was also broken and evidences of an attempt to enter was quite noticeable. A metal cover in addition to the regular catches frustrated the efforts of the burglar.

A window in the rear of the Kincaide annex was also forced. Setting against the window was a row of shelves with merchandise but as far as could be learned nothing is missing.

15 MEMBERS TOOK DEGREES

Fore River Lodge Held Interesting Ceremonial

A class initiation under the auspices of the Fore River Lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., was held at Protection hall Saturday evening. Preceding the exemplification a business meeting was held.

H. J. Wentzl of Boston, Provincial Corresponding Secretary was one of the visitors.

Degrees were conferred on 15 candidates, the work being done by the staff of the Mystic Lodge of Medford.

Visitors were present from Dorchester Lodge, Boston Lodge, Merrimac Lodge of Lowell, Prosperity Lodge of Pawtucket, R. I.

During the social hour which followed there was an impromptu entertainment and refreshments were served.

The committee was John Philips, William McClay, John Davidson, Alexander Hamilton, George J. Poch, James Landers, John Nimmo.

MARRIED IN BOSTON.

Mrs. Nellie Harlow Smith of South Weymouth and Alfred Garfield Flowers of Quincy were married Saturday noon by Rev. Dr. A. Z. Conrad at the Park street Congregational church at Boston. The groom is well known in Quincy and up to a short time ago was in the employ of the A. J Richards Grain Co.

☞Can you think of a better Christmas present to give your family than a year's subscription to the Quincy Daily Ledger? Just think of it, when you subscribe for the Ledger it means pleasure for you each day of the coming year and only costs $5.00. Start the year right, don't go to bed during 1913 until you have read the newsy little "home daily." tf

WILLIAMS WINS PRIZE

Offered for Largest Gain for Week in Contest

BIG GAINS BY OTHERS

Fred D. Williams won the prize certificate of 200 votes for the largest gain the past week in the Washington contest, his total being over 10,000 larger than last Monday. Several subscriptions good for 1000 votes each contributed to this remarkable gain. His closest rival in gains was R. E. DeNormandie, who added 5,240 during the week, but Sturgis Hunt made an increase of 1240 votes today, and is a good second in the race with a total of 10,060.

Mrs. Marnock has struck a rapid pace and added 650 more votes today, giving her a total of 1685, only a few behind A. R. MacKay. Good gains were also made by Galen Bowditch, Miss Morrissett, Richard Larkin, Hannah Sandberg, Ruth Cahill, Isabella Smollett, Helen King, Fred M. Dolan, Paul Blackmur, Jr. and others.

Candidates in forwarding votes are requested to mark on the package the number of votes, so that the Contest Editor may verify his count.

A prize certificate good for 300 votes will be awarded as a Christmas present at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 23, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 16-23. Remember, for the "biggest gain." It is subscription certificates good for 1000 votes each that the candidates should strive to obtain. They count big.

INAGURATION SCENE.

The Rotunda portico of the Capitol will be the scene of the inauguration of President-elect Wilson on March 4 next. This portico has an allegorical group by Persico, after a design by President John Quincy Adams, our honored townsman, of the Genius of America. In the centre stands America, with the eagle at her feet. Her shield with its legend, U. S. A., rests upon an altar inscribed with the significant date, July 4, 1776. She is listening to the inspiration of Hope and indicating her reliance upon Justice whose scroll of the Constitution bears the date of the adoption of that instrument, Sept. 17, 1787.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	16840
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	10060
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
A. R. MacKay, Hetasophs	1795
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	1685
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St	1170
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	990
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Galen Bowditch, messenger	300
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	255
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Sam Shellman, Granite street	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Richard Larkin, High school	120
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	95
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	75
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Mary S. Summers, L. O. L.	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	65
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	60
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	60
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
B. L. Smith, Fore River	55
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	45
John Mahon, organist	45
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
Walter Mead, High school	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	35
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	30
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
George Powers, Fore River	25
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	25
Clara Stoddard, S. of V. Aux.	20
J. McCullough, shipyard	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
William Allen, Eagles	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	20
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal""	15
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

"Vote early and often."

GERMAN NAVY NOW IN SECOND PLACE

Passes United States and Expected to Increase Tonnage

Washington, Dec. 16.—A short time ago Secretary of the Navy Meyer announced that the days of the United States as a second naval power of the world were numbered unless the two ships a year plan was maintained, and the time was not far distant when this country would be still lower.

The first part of the prophecy has come true, and today the United States has surrendered second place to the German navy, which now leads that of the United States by approximately 65,000 tons, with a certainty of increasing its lead by more than 100,000 tons in the near future.

The figures which tell the story of Germany's advance to second place have just been compiled in the office of the naval intelligence bureau, in the navy department.

Capital $150,000. Surplus $200,000

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QUINCY BOYS IN SQUARED CIRCLE

McDonald Took a Crimp in Champion Fallon

GERSTEL IN A CANTER

Boxers of the North Quincy A. A. figured in the semi-finals and finals of the B. A. A. club Saturday night.

J. W. McDonald beat John Fallon, former national champion in the final of the 125 pound class, having jumped the semi-final by drawing a bye.

Bob Gerstel won the semi-final in the 140 pound class my pounding Tony Kalenousky of Roxbury so hard and often that the bout was stopped in the first round. He easily won the final by outpointing Kermit Caloruso.

Billie Gerstel, a brother of Bob could have won the 158 class, but was forced to retire because of a broken hand.

McDonald's win over Fallon, was partly due to the servere tussle the latter had with W. Ridge of Brockton which took some of the champs steam.

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CASHIER LED DOUBLE LIFE

Deserted Wife Kept Upon the Trail of Robert McFawn

HELD FOR THEFT OF $10,140

Ex-Cashier and Bookkeeper For Derby Desk Company Admits Guilt, but Denies Amount Alleged to Have Been Stolen—Bail In Excess of $10,000 May Be Demanded

Boston, Dec. 16.—Robert F. McFawn, formerly cashier, bookkeeper and paymaster for the Somerville factory of the Derby Desk company, the main office of which is in Boston, was arrested on the charge of stealing funds of the firm totalling $10,-140.

Back of the arrest is the story of a deserted wife who turned Nemesis when she heard the man was lavishing money on another woman; McFawn's arrest and that of the other woman; his release on a promise to pay $100 fine by the first of the year, and then his location in connection with the alleged thefts by detectives who had been looking for him for months.

The prisoner, the police assert, admitted the larceny of about half of the amount charge against him, but said he could not account for the rest of it.

McFawn is 35 years old. He was arrested by Inspector Damery of the Somerville police and Inspector Dorsey of the Boston bureau of criminal investigation. Information came to the police in a way they would not divulge as to where McFawn could be found.

The prisoner was brought to police headquarters in Boston, where he was booked. He had been arrested on a warrant sworn out in the Somerville police court and he was taken to police headquarters in Somerville and locked up.

It is charged the $10,140 was stolen from the Derby Desk company between August, 1910, and June, 1912, when McFawn left the company's employ.

One of McFawn's modes of getting money, it is said, was to credit on the books less than he received in payment for goods. Another was to get blank checks signed for the purpose of paying off the help and fill the checks in for a much larger amount than the payroll.

McFawn and his wife separated some time ago and she afterward opened a lodging house at 292 Newbury street. But Mrs. McFawn did not altogether lose sight of her husband, and it is said she trailed him to an address in Winthrop, where he had spent something like $1500 in establishing a flat.

McFawn took his arrest coolly. It is said that bail in excess of $10,000 will be asked. He has a daughter 5 or 6 years old, and she is with her mother.

HEINZE DIVORCE SUIT

"Mysterious Woman" In the Case Is Shielded by Defendant

Newburg, N. Y., Dec. 16.—The suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Bernice G. Heinze against F. Augustus Heinze was continued here today in a special term of the supreme court. The previous hearings have been held at Nyack.

Speculation is rife as to the identity of the corespondent named by Mrs. Heinze. In the complaint her name is given as Miss Lavelle, but nothing more as to her identity has been revealed in the testimony.

Heinze, on the witness stand, was asked to identify a picture of a woman supposed to be the corespondent. Heinze admitted that he was in the picture with the woman, but he refused to divulge the woman's name.

NEW "DRUNK" TREATMENT

Ten Days In Hospital Said to Be Sufficient to Effect a Cure

Chicago, Dec. 16.—John L. Whitsan, superintendent of the house of correction, has announced his arrangement to decrease domestic tragedies due to drink.

The work will begin on Jan. 1 next, when the oJhn Worthy school, with its 300 beds, will cease to receive boys sentenced in the juvenile court, and will become the hospital department of the bridewell.

"We have experimented with a ten-day treatment that has proved efficacious," said Whitman.

MRS. TROST CONVICTED

Murdered Husband With Poison Within a Week After Marriage

Philadelphia, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Frieda Trost, on trial here on a charge of having killed her husband, William Trost, was convicted of murder in the first degree.

The commonwealth charged Mrs. Trost within one week after her marriage last August gave Trost poison in order that she could obtain his estate, valued at less than $10,000.

UNION CHAPEL NOT IN GAME

Failed to Score Against Bethany in Sunday School League

The Bethany Congregational basket all team rolled up the big score of 6 to 0 against the Union Chapel eam of Houghs Neck at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Saturday afternoon in the Sunday school. league. The Wollaston Baptists were beaten by the Wollaston Congregational, 19 to 10. The losers were handicapped by having two regulars out of the game. Bates of the Bethany team made a record of 11 baskets.

The score:

BETHANY	UNION CHAPEL
Bates rf	lb West
Hunt lf	rb Crowe
Rasmussen c	c Acorn
Bomberg rb	lf LeCain
Prout lb	rf Smith

Score Bethany Congregational 36, Union Chapel 0. Goals from floor, Bates 11. Hunt 4, Prout 3. Referee, LaRose. Scorer, Blanchard. Timer Prout. Time 20m halves. Attendance 100.

CONGREGATIONAL	W BAPTIST
Bruce rf	lb Hall
Seavey lf	rb Moore
Johnson c	c Ela
Blake rb	lf McGrath
Higgins rb	
Baker lb	rf Bedwell

Score, Wollaston Congregational 19, Wollaston Baptist 10. Goals from floor, Bruce, Seavey 3, Baker 5, McGrath 3, Bedwell 2. Goals from fouls Seavey, Referee LaRose. Scorer, Blanchard. Timer, Prout. Time 20m halves. Attendance, 100.

WOLLASTON FORUM.

Charter revision was further considered at the Good Citizenship Forum in the Wollaston Unitarian church Sunday noon. Irving L. Shaw, the principal speaker favored a two year term for mayor and a council of 9. He was in favor of the latter being elected at large for two years, five one year and four the next, with the tacit understanding that ward representation be observed. The abolishment of party designations in municipal politics was urged.

Mr. Shaw spoke against the expenditure of $100,00 by the city for a public dock. The persons most interested were the members of one or two industries. In the expenditure of so large a sum a vital principle was involved and unless it was shown that it would substantially benefit the people as a whole the city ought not to sibsidize the enterprise.

Arthur W. Rohn spoke strongly against the public dock. With all probability, he declared, the railroads would meet the water rate and in a few years all the dock would be used for would be for the kids to fish from.

Ex-Councilman Gardiner was in favor of a twa year term for mayor and fewer councilmen. At present the work was done in the committee room. He almost wished the council meetings couldn't be made public. Rev. Carl G. Horst also spoke.

In closing Fred M. Rollins, chairman, announced that next Sunday no meeting would be held, but that eDc. 29, Levi H. Turner would be the speaker.

ENTERTAINMENT.

The second in the series of socials by the Ladies Aid of the Hall Place M. E. church was held at the home of Mrs. Fred L. Badger, Crescent street, Dec. 13, with an interesting entertainments of duets by Miss Grant and Miss Shirley and piano selections by Master Leslie McCormick. Miss Churchill of Boston gave four highly amusing readings, entitled "Jathrop Lathrop's Cow," "Talking about Trouble," "The Quarantine at Alexander Abraham's," and "Grandmother Gray." Coffee and cake were served by the ladies and a social hour enjoyed.

FOGLER AND RUTT WIN

Latter Takes Honors In Sprint Which Decides Six-Day Bicycle Race

New York, Dec. 16.—Fogler and Rutt, the German-American team, won the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden. Rutt took the honors for his team in the mile sprint which decided the race.

The Bedel-Mitten team, represented in the sprint by Bedell, was second, and the Clark-Hill team, with Clarke doing the riding, finished third.

The Root-Hehir team, the Drobach-Collins team and the Granda-Pye team finished fourth, fifth and sixth, respectively.

The teams all finished within the money, the prizes ranging from $1600 for first and $1000 for second down to $250 each for winners of seventh and eighth places. The six leaders have gone 2661 miles and five laps. The record for a six day race is 2737 miles and one lap, made by MacFarland and Moran in 1908.



THE KING FAMILY HOME, ADAMS STREET.

DAYLIGHT BURGLARY

Boys Secured $4 in McConnell's Fruit Store

THEY ARE KNOWN

The fruit store of James McConnell near the Ledger office was entered Sunday afternoon and about $4 worth of oranges taken. Entrance was effected from the rear, through a window. The break was discovered by Ernest McConnell about five o'clock. He reported it to the police department and shortly after they learned the names of the boys who did the act. Arrests will probably be made today. Witnesses who saw the boys in the store are positive that they are juveniles. Thinking they were the sons of the proprietor they gave the matter no further thought. The mauraders confined their activities to the back room.

BRIEFS

The Town River Yacht Club holds a whist party at the clubhouse Thursday evening.

The business meeting of the Epworth League of the Hall Place M. E. Church is to be omitted this month.

The Ladies Aid of the Hall Place M. E. church meets at the home of Mrs. C. S. Jose, Crescent street, Friday evening.

William O. Deaver who has been spending two weeks with relatives at 33 Newcomb place has returned to the U. S. S. San Francisco station at Portsmouth, N. H.

Quincy music lovers are enjoying some unusually fine Sunday afternoon concerts at Symphony hall, Boston, hearing some of the best violinists and soloists in the world.

The regular monthly meeting of the Philanthropy committee of the Quincy Women's club at the clubhouse Tuesday afternoon will report on the distribution of Thanksgiving cheer to the needy and arrange for the annual Christmas party at the Quincy home.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university is to speak on the commission form of government in cities at the meeting of the First Parish club tomorrow evening, following the dinner at 6.30. Dr. Eliot will be ready to answer any questions on the subject after the lecture.

Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson of First church preached a strong sermon Sunday morning on "The Church and Social Service." Next Sunday, the church will observe Forefathers' day with appropriate sermon and music. The annual Christmas Sunday service will be held Dec. 29, between Christmas and the New Year.

The work of moving the furnaces from the vestry of the Hall Place M. E. church to the new cellar recently built, undertaken by the men of the church last week has been completed. The furnaces were used Sunday and are a decided improvement over the old method as well as giving more room in the vestry. The work of repairs is still going on.

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

NAVAL HERO

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Engineer carrying the commission of Ensign.

In all he has served 13 years in the navy and in commenting upon this Sec. Beekman said "Mr. McDonough, you have got one of the best records in the navy."

"Excuse me, sir, but my father had a better one," replied Ensign McDonough. "He was 42 years in the service and never had a mark against him." Old record books were sent for and the record of Ensign McDonough's father, as stated by the son. was found to be correct.

The marks of merit awarded Ensign McDonough were for saving a man from drowning at Buenos Ayres. for saving men's lives when the boiler tubes of the North Dakota exploded during her trial trips, and for saving lives when the oil heating apparatus on the same vessel exploded two years ago. At that time Ensign McDonough was horribly burned. He was the last man out of the fireroom and was covered with oil and almost unrecognizable, when he managed to crawl out after shutting off the oil supply from that fire room. Fortunately he did not lose his sight but it was months before he was entirely recovered.

Butl ittlem ention was made of Ensign McDonough's bravery att he time of these accidents although they were known in Quincy and published ni the Ledger at the time. The government however was made aware of them and a record had been kept and he was therefore surprised when presented withe hree merit certificates when retired.

Ensign McDonough isa t present in Quincy being at theh ome of his wife's parents on Butler road.

He is a member of Quincy lodge of Elks and extremely popular with all who have the pleasure of his acquaintance.

CARD PLAYERS ARRESTED.

Suspecting gambling, officer Broberg peered over the curtained lower half of a window at 83 Water street, and saw four men playing cards Sunday evening. It was sometime after this discovery before he obtained entrance to the premises, the difficulty being the unusual number of doors. The first the astonished players knew of his presence was when he reached over and picked up the cards. They were placed under arrest but one escaped because of his acquaintance with the house.

Officer Broberg, marched his prisoners to the station house where they gave their names as Joseph Farazo, 18 years; Joseph Mergardio, 18 years; Domenick Carlo, 19 years. All are shoeworkers and live at the house.

A roundup and single file procession of prisoners to the station is becoming a regular thing for Officer Broberg, but six months having elapsed since he performed in a similar fashion.

Scarlet Fever Closes Schools

Dudley, Conn., Dec. 16.—The public schools of Dudley, Quinaboag and New Boston have been closed indefinitely because of the numerous cases of scarlet fever among pupils of the public schools.

Hand Painted China

MRS. GREEN will have her annual exhibition and sale of Hand-Painted China on

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 16, 17 and 18,

at **No. 1 Irving Place,** opposite the Quincy depot. Hours from 2 to 9 P. M. The sale will continue until Christmas.

Dec. 14-3t

$16,000 TRUST FUND

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deposit of Sixteen Thousand Dollars ($16,000) as outlined in the accompanying communication from Theophilus King.

Mr. King has at the same time handed us $300 for immediate equal distribution (Check $10.00) enclosed) as a Christmas good will token for either Sabbath School purposes, or church expenses, as each may prefer.

No receipt is required as endorsement of check is sufficient.

Granite Trust Company.
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THE CHURCHES BENEFITING.

Quincy, Mass. December 14, 1912.

To the Organized Churches of Quincy, Mass.

Congregational. Washington Street Congregational, Quincy Point; Bethany Church, Quincy Centre; Wollaston Congregational, Wollaston; Atlantic Memorial, Atlantic; Finn Congregational, West Quincy; Swedish Congregational, Garfield street; Park & Downs Congregational, Wollaston by the Sea.

Catholic. St. John's, School street; St. Mary's, West Quincy; Church of the Sacred Heart, Atlantic; St. Frances by the Sea, Houghs Neck.

Episcopal. Christ Church, Quincy avenue; St. Chrysostom's, Hancock street.

Unitarian. First Congregational-Unitarian, City Square; Wollaston Unitarian Society, Beale street.

Methodist. Methodist-Episcopal, Hall Place; Atlantic Methodist-Episcopal, Atlantic; St. Paul Methodist-Episcopal, Swedish, First Methodist-Episcopal, Wollaston.

Presbyterian. First Presbyterian, Water street; First United Presbyterian, Fort Square.

Jewish. Ahavoth Achim Congregational, School street.

Salvation Army. 150 Granite street.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Baptist. Swedish, Granite, cor Water street; First Baptist Church, Wollaston; Calvary Church, Franklin street.

Universalist. First Universalist. Washington street.

People's Union Church, Houghs Neck.

Swedish Seven Day Advent Church, School street.

I am giving myself the pleasure on this, the 68th anniversary of my birth, of accomplishing that which for many years I have had in mind at some time to do. This is because of a conviction that had its inception in early manhood and has steadily grown in strength and power.

I was reared in one of the small New England towns, with its academy secured through great local effort to give the best education the people at that point could afford and provide. It was, however, in the midst of religious surroundings that drew a sharp line in language and thought as to beliefs outside of the so-called evangelical faith. Thus influenced, I went to Boston at sixteen years of age.

I at once allied myself with Park Street Church, joining in its activities. It was not long before I noted some things in connection with those with whom business brought me in contact that changed considerably my thoughts in the line here spoken of.

Two splendid Universalists whom I remember most appreciatingly conducted their lives so sweetly in spirit that I had to begin a readjustment in my own mind towards that denomination. Several strong souled Unitarians were brought into life's contact so that a still larger enlightenment came to me. A most impressive experience with a young Catholic priest just as he was entering upon his life work (now a splendid Father of his church) revealed to me the thoughts and teaching pressed home to those preparing for that sacred office, in such a way that I was compelled to recognize the great and sacred standards of the Catholic Church.

Nor can I ever forget the thoughts that came to me nearly a score of years ago when I worshipped in the Jewish synagogue in the City of Brussels, reading over its doors as I entered the church these words, "We are all children of One Father. Come let us worship HIM."

A grand old friend has more than once with a brightening of his eye and warmth of expression told me of his life for a season among the Sun Worshippers, giving a revelation of how their souls go out to the Infinite Father of all through their appreciation and thankful worship of God in their way resulting in characters of strength and beauty.

Thus progressively, and in many ways of further enlightenment through a very wide association with men in business experience has my life and thought been influenced and conviction strengthened that the nearer coming together of all the churches and those worshipping therein through the breaking down of prejudices and the better understanding of each others religious faith, was one of the most important movements of the world.

Such action is already very considerable, and will be continuous.

To help it on and bear the strongest testimony of which I am capable to its correctness, I have today deposited a Trust Fund, invested at the rate of 5 per cent interest per annum, with the Granite Trust Co., to be continuously under its care and keeping in the amount of $16,000.

It is given an invested form as thus it enables the immediate accomplishment of this purpose through not withdrawing the amount from its present line of use.

The annual income of $1,000 of this amount is to be retained by the Granite Trust Co., as compensation for its services, in connection with this Trust Fund, and the income of each $500 of the remaining amount, at present $25 per annum, is to be paid by the said Granite Trust Company on December 14th of each year to the organized churches in the City of Quincy, heretofore named.

Each and every one of these and any similar organizations under any other name I recognize as a portion of THE CHURCH of the Infinite Father, the Eternal God, embodying in its entirety the teachings of the great Master, Jesus Christ, making the foundation on which the best that is in man is seeking to and does accomplish the real saving and constructive work of the world, and in a union with some portion of which everyone finds that which better fits him for life.

These annual income payments are to be reported as from the "King Family Fund." It is thus designated as we are mutually pleased to join in this action for the one purpose embodied therein of testifying to our belief in the good work being accomplished by every order of earnest religious belief.

Deeply grateful for that measure of success in life which enables this action and rejoicing continuously in the larger and freer thought towards all faiths, I am for myself and the King family.

Sincerely yours,
Theophilus King.



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MILTON GYM	TILTON A C
D. Reid, rf	lb Cook
T. Hern rf	
F. Hern lf	rb Gorham
	rb Knudson
Maguire c	c Stephenson
J. Reid rb	lf Verner
Stuart lb	rf Edwards
	rf Dunham

Score. Milton Gym 41. Tilton A. A. C., 18. Goals from floor, D. Reid, T. Hern, F. Hern, 4, Maguire 2, J. Reid 10, Stuart, Gorham, Verner 7. Goals from fouls, J. Reid 3, Stephenson.



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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Tuesday fair and with seasonable temperature, probably followed by local rain or snow during the night or Wednesday.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.08
Sun sets	4.13
Length of day	9.05
Moon sets	12.00
High water, A. M.	5.15
High water, P. M.	5.30

Days decrease 6 hours 12 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	46 degrees
Dec. 16, 1911,	44 degrees
Dec. 16, 1910.	19 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

EVERYTHING WAS SCOTCH

John Anderson Proved a Delightful Entertainer

More gay than sad but enough of the sad to produce the requisite atmosphere, it proved a delightfully informal program that John Anderson "our old friend" as Mrs. Willard introduced him, gave at Livermore hall of the Quincy Mansion school Friday evening. Everything Scottish beginning with the Land o' Cakes," then a reading "The Vision of the Soul." The half hour with Robert Burns, the national poet of Scotland, born near Ayer 1759, a sketch of his boyhood days, trials and hardships, his daily life and native genius, his poetic spirit. The death of his father in 1784 when he was 25 then out of his poverty and despair came the flush of his first triumph and poetic harvest in 1785. To this year belongs the "Epistle to Davie," then followed a winter in Edinburgh. Mr. Anderson carried his hearers along.

Every now and again a pleasant little surprise was given to illustrate the quaint scotch verses and readings, he recited "Flow Gently Sweet Afton among thy gree braes," "Ye Banks and Braes o' Bonnie Doon," showing the rural life of Scotch peasantry are constant motives in his poetry. He spoke of "Tom O'Shanter" written in one day, the "Lament for James," and of course "John Anderson my Jo, John" and of the emphasis as placed upon the word Mither, hame, and Granny as used in Scotland.

"Raining day" "Each blade of grass catches its own drop of dew" "Nameless lassie," "Be kind to old Granny" and "A man's a man" all captivated his audience who went home convinced that for the mere essence of poetry and spirit of song there is not the equal of Robert Burns. During the evening the Misses Hayden, Kerlin and Rothman rendered instrumental music very acceptably. It was a matter of regret that on account of illness Miss Mary Anderson could not give her part of the program.

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HER CLOTHING IN FLAMES

Irwin Girl Saved by Prompt Work of Father

HIS HANDS BURNED

Gladys Irwin, the 13 year old daughter of George Irwin, proprietor of the lunch room on Hancock street, opposite the car barn, had a very narrow escape Sunday morning from being burned to death, but owing to the promptness of her Father she escaped with a bad scare, although her hair was burned and the only thing that saved her was the fact that her father tore all of her clothing off.

The little girl was in the restaurant helping her father and was in the kitchen standing back to the stove. On entering the kitchen, from the main room her father was horrified to see the girls clothing a mass of flames. The little girl however was not aware that she was on fire until her father grabbed her and tore the clothing from her body and threw it out of doors. Even then but for the flannel union suit which she had on she must have been badly burned.

Although the little girl escaped with a bad frieght her father's hands were badly burned the inside of his left hand being horribly scarred. Mr. Irwin's right hand was also somewhat burned but not near as bad as his left hand. Home treatment was applied until a physician arrived. It was very fortunate that the accident did not result more seriously.

The girl standing back to the stove was nearer to it than she realized and her light skirt ignited. Last May the girl was bitten by a dog which had the rabbies, but the wound was of slight character.

ANNUAL BALL.

Bishop Cheverus Assembly, fourth degree of the Knights of Columbus is arranging for its annual concert and ball, to be held in the near future. The committee on tickets from Quincy council includes Michael T. Walsh, Edward J. Murphy, Hon. William T. Shea, Michael T. Sullivan, Edward D. Barrett, John J. Cunniff and Edward D. Larkin.

WIND BLEW GAS OUT

Aged Maiden Sisters Asphyxiated as They Sleep In Bed

New York, Dec. 16.—Margaret and Esther Carroll, 80 and 78 years old, respectively, two maiden sisters, were found dead from asphyxiation in bed in their room at 137 Waverly place.

The gas jet was open and gas was escaping, but a window in the room was open, and it is not thought the women committed suicide. The police believe the sisters went to sleep with the gas lighted and the wind from the window blew it out.

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ABILITY WIDELY RECOGNIZED

Ambassador and Wife Were Among Leaders In Most Exclusive Court and Social Circles—Son Racing Over Sea Hoping to See Father Alive—Messages of Condolence

London, Dec. 16.—Whitelaw Reid, United States ambassador to the court of St. James for seven years, diplomatist and man of letters, died at noon Sunday at Dorchester House, his London residence.

Death was caused by repeated attacks of acute asthma, a malady with which he has suffered for several years, and which often occurred at this season. He was 75 years old.

Although Reid had not been in very good health since his return here from New York, his last attack of his malady was reported to be no more serious than others in the past. The last bulletin issued on Saturday by his physicians was optimistic in tone.

For more than a week there have been disquieting rumors that his condition was more grave than reported, and that his asthma had been aggravated by an attack of bronchitis.

The feeling of alarm among his many friends became intensified when it was learned that his son, Ogden M. Reid, editor of the New York Tribune, had received a cable message on Friday which caused him to leave New York Saturday morning on board the Kronprinzessin Cecilie, to hasten to his father's side.

Mr. Reid's death will not only cause a great sense of loss in diplomatic circles, but to society here in general. His magnificent residence, Dorchester House, has been the scene of many brilliant entertainments. Ambassador and Mrs. Reid have been among the leaders in the most exclusive court and social circles.

Few American diplomatists had the unusually large diplomatic and social acquaintance possessed by Reid. As minister to France in 1899, he was recognized not only as a diplomatist, but a man of letters of high rank. As special ambassador from the United States to the celebration of Queen Victoria's jubilee, and again as special ambassador at the coronation of King Edward VII., he gained new honors and new friends.

As soon as Reid's death became known messages of brief and condolence began to arrive at Dorchester House from all the great personages of Europe. There is not a capital in Europe where Reid was not known for his attainments and ability.

Whitelaw Reid, diplomatist, man of letters and journalist, was one of the best known and scholarly Americans who ever represented this country abroad. As a young man he showed his brilliant capabilities by his great work as a war correspondent in the Civil war, and from that time on he rose steadily to the commanding position he held in the world at his death.

Of Scotch ancestry. Mr. Reid was born in Xenia, O., on Oct. 27, 1837. His parents were poor then, but when the boy grew old enough to go to school a kinsman, Dr. Hugh McMillan, a trustee of Miami university and principal of Xenia academy, then a famous preparatory school, began to prepare him for college. Reid was only 15 years old when he entered Miami university.

He later bought the Xenia News and although barely of age became prominently identified with politics, and in 1856 was making speeches for Freemont. In 1860 the Xenia News was the first Ohio paper to advocate the nomination of Abraham Lincoln. Later he became city editor of the Youngstown Gazette until the beginning of the Civil war, when he was sent to the front as a war correspondent.

After the end of the West Virginia campaign Reid returned to The Gazette office for awhile but later went back to the army. He gave up this work after the seige of Corinth. He then acquired an interest in The Gazette, which proved to be the foundation of his subsequent fortune.

Mr. Reid became managing editor of the New York Tribune in 1869, Horace Greeley giving him full power. After the nomination of Greeley for presidency, Reid became editor in chief of The Tribune and subsequently its owner.

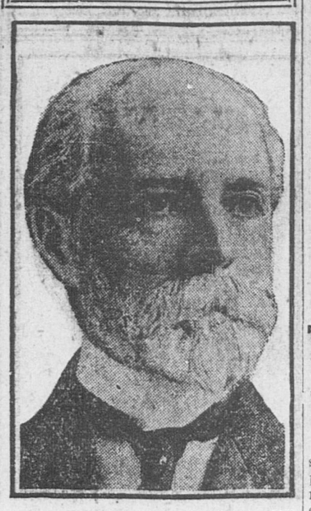
Mr. Reid had been prominent in local politics for several years when in March, 1899, he accepted his first ministerial post, being appointed to Paris by President Harrison.

President Roosevelt appointed him ambassador to Great Britain in 1905, and he has served as such since that time.

Mr. Reid was married in the spring of 1881 to Miss Elizabeth Mills. Mrs. Reid survives him, as do their two children, Ogden M. Reid and a daughter, Mrs. John Ward, who was Miss Jean Reid.

WHITELAW REID

Noted Diplomatist Dies In London Residence



WOMAN BURGLAR OWNS UP

Says Man Whose Clothes She Wore Induced Her to Steal

Danbury, Conn., Dec. 16.—Amy Travers, an attractive woman of 22, confessed after her arrest here that, disguised as a man, she entered the apartments of George F. Trumbly at 462 Main street at 2 o'clock yesterday morning in search of valuables.

Finding Trumbly, who was alone in the house, asleep in his bedroom, she crawled across the floor of the room on hands and knees, searched the pockets of the clothes that lay on a chair and crawled back to the door without awakening him. She took $2 from the clothes.

Her admission led to the arrest of George Smith, 25 years old, whose clothes she wore while engaged in the theft. Smith has a record, the police say, as an expert bicycle thief. The girl, who has never been in trouble before, says he induced her to steal.

SALARY OF CHANCE WON'T REACH $18,000

Will Get Five Percent of Highlander Stock as Bonus

Chicago, Dec. 16.—President Johnson of the American league denies the report that Frank Chance will be paid a salary of $20,000 a year to lead the Highlanders.

According to the league chief, President Farrell has decided upon the amount he will offer the former manager of the Cubs, but the sum is considerably shy of $20,000; and furthermore, that Chance's season's pay check will not foot up to $18,000, which is paid John J. McGraw, boss of the Giants.

According to Johnson, Chance will be given the 5 percent stock in the New York club it is reported he is going to receive.

INQUIRY TO BE DROPPED

Government Seeking Compromise In Alleged Oleomargarine Frauds

Washington, Dec. 16.—It is believed here the grand jury inquiry at Chicago, instituted by order of Judge Landis, into alleged oleomargarine frauds, will be dismissed as a result of a conference between United States Attorney Wilkerson of Chicago and officials of the internal revenue service.

The treasury department is now endeavoring to reach a compromise as to the amount in each case due the government by the manufacturers concerned for using oil containing coloring matter in making oleomargarine.

MESSENGER CONFESSES

Was Robber Who Stole $20,145 In Gold From a Train

Bakersfield, Cal., Dec. 16.—Marvin W. Hamby, the 20-year-old express messenger, whose car on the Sunset Western train of the Santa Fe railroad was robbed of $20,541 in gold near here, confessed he had robbed the safe with the aid of his 16-year-old brother, Melvin.

The money, which had been hidden by the boys in a brickyard at Kern Junction, was recovered, with the exception of $300, which was found in Melvin's room. Both brothers are in jail.

Hunting Deaths In Maine

Augusta, Me., Dec. 16.—Twenty deaths and twenty-six cases of injury are the toll in Maine for 1912, as the result of hunting adventures, including the regular big game season, which closed officially last night.

Commissary Steward a Grafter

Norfolk, Dec. 16.—W. W. Dickey, commissary steward of the battleship Louisiana, around whom centred charges of a graft scandal, was found guilty of "scandalous conduct" by a navy courtmartial and sentenced to five years at hard labor.

FALL OF AEROPLANE

Adds Two More to the List of Fatalities of Aviation

London, Dec. 16.—Lieutenant Parke of the royal navy and Mr. Hardwick, the manager of an aeroplane company, were killed when the machine in which they were making a flight from the Hendon aviation grounds to Oxford came down on the Wembley golf course yesterday afternoon.

The two started in a monoplane in a choppy wind. They had proceeded only a few miles, at the rate of fifty miles an hour, when the machine turned turtle at a height of 150 feet. The aviators were pinioned under the wreckage.

Parke was one of the leading aviators in the last army maneuvers.

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A SECOND STATEMENT.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lemuel Phillips late of Quincy in said County deceased:

Whereas Francis Collamore the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased: said account being rendered by Florina M. Collamore Administratrix of the Estate of Francis Collamore deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the first day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Dec. 16-3t 16, 23, 30

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lemuel Phillips late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Florina M. Collamore the administratrix of the estate not already administered of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the final account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the first day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Frances A. McDonald late of Quincy in said County, deceased intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Katharine E. Teasdale of Quincy or to some other suitable person. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
3t Dec. 4-9-16

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Annie P. L. Backman late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Edward S. Robenolt special administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County, on the twenty-sixth day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
3t 13-16-23

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r 6 33 e		6 49	6 39 a		6 47
r 6 40 abef		7 00	7 15 hgfedcba		7 41 r
r 7 08 abcd		7 30	7 41 a		7 58
r 7 25 d		7 42	7 45 c		8 03 r
r 7 33 Exp		7 48	8 35 ca		8 52
r 7 42 ab		8 00	8 42 b		8 59
7 57 a		8 13	9 10 fedba		9 32 r
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By virtue of a license granted by the Probate Court for the County of Norfolk, dated November 27, 1912, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Monday, December 30th 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described parcel of real estate of Lodoiski H. Jocelyn Winne, deceased, to wit:—a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on a private way now known as Hersey Place, in Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded as follows: beginning at the corner of land now or late of Newcomb, thence running a little east of north along land now or late of Bennett, 59.4 feet to a stone bound; thence running a little south of east 83.2 feet to a stone bound; thence running a little west of south along land now or late of Bushnell, 49.33 feet; thence running northwesterly along land now or late of Newcomb, 82.3 feet to point of beginning, containing 4180 square feet, more or less being lot No. 1 on plan of land of Thaddeus H. Newcomb by H. T. Whitman, C. E., dated August 8, 1903, duly recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 954, page 472; and being subject to and with the benefit of a right of way to Washington Street.

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DEACON'S PICKED-UP DINNER.

Mrs. Smart was getting her best china ready for a large dinner she was about to give, and her cousin, Ella Dale, was helping her, when Deacon Smart stuck his bald head in at the door.

"My dear," he said, "here's a paper of pins for you."

Mrs. Smart nearly dropped a saucer in consternation.

"What, again? More pins?" she asked.

"Yes, my dear," said the deacon, unctuously. "Pins are always useful."

"Oh, yes, pins!" said Mrs. Smart, giving her glass towel a toss as she wiped the last globule of moisture from a goblet. "But not rows of rusty wire! I do say for it, Ebenezer"—

"I'm going to Glen Depot, my dear," the deacon somewhat hurriedly interrupted at this juncture; "and perhaps I shan't be home till one o'clock."

He withdrew, and Mrs. Smart turned to Ella with a half laugh.

There, my dear," said she, throwing down the faded green roll of pin paper on the dresser—"there, you behold the secret of my domestic unhappiness—the skelton in my closet!"

Ella opened her round, hazel eyes very wide.

"I can't think what you mean, Juliana," she said, "you unhappy, and the dear deacon such a truly good man?"

"That's the trouble," said Mrs. Smart; "he is too good."

"But I don't hardly see how that can be possible," protested Ella, more perplexed than ever.

"And it's all at my expense," said Mrs. Smart, dolefully. "Do you see the paper of pins?"

"Why, of course I see it," said Ella.

"Well, Mr. Smart has bought that paper of pins of a pedler at the door," said Mrs. Smart. "Pedlers always come here. This house is a Mecca to the race of pedlers. They know that Mr. Smart always buys of them—he's too good hearted to say no; or, rather—let us speak the truth, and shame him who shall be nameless between us—he is really too indolent to resist their importunities."

Ella burst out laughing.

"But what an insignificant little trial!" she said.

"Oh, yes, I dare say!" said Mrs. Smart. "The sting of a hornet isn't so very terrible in itself, but when a whole swarm is let loose upon you what then?"

"A whole swarm?" repeated innocent Ella.

"My dear," said Mrs. Smart, lowering her voice to a confidential whisper "up stairs in my bedroom closet I have 18 papers of just such cheap pins—utterly useless for anything but to bend themselves up double when you try to put them through a single thickness of calico and to deprive you of your temper just when you need it most; 6 cards of porcelain buttons, an article which I never use; 9 packages of stove blacking, 13 bottles of machine oil, 5 papers of rusty needles a dozen pairs of shoe strings and 8 rolls of tape, which is an insult to one's common sense! If I could reconcile it to my conscience, I'd fling the whole collection into the fire; but I was brought up to economize. What do you think, Ella? Would it be a sin to annihilate all these pitfalls to my equanimity?"

"It's rather a hard problem," said Ella, soberly.

"And with all this, said Mrs. Smart, waxing vehement as she went on, "Ebenezer is unwilling to give me money to buy decent darning needles and respectable tape. He wonders why I can't make my dresses last a little longer, and thinks I am extravagant in wanting a new feather for my old velvet bonnet. He says that I use too many raisins and spices, and asks me why I can't raise poultry and have eggs in exchange for groceries at the villiage store. And yet—oh, the inconsistency of men—he expects me to give a bowl of coffee and a sandwich, to say nothing of wedges of apple pie and three-cornered bits of cake to every abled bodied tramp and stout pedler woman who happen to come along."

"Doesn't he make any allowance for it in the housekeeping money?" asked Ella.

"Not he! Just look here!" Mrs. Smart opened the drawer of the kitchen table. "This is where I keep the house-keeping money—which he gives me every week; and he came here twice this morning—once to get a quarter for a lame beggar and again to get 10 pennies for that same outrageous paper of pins!"

And she cast a baleful glance at the article, which still lay on the dresser.

"This is piracy," said Ella, judicially.

It's highway robbery!" declared Mrs. Smart. "And there comes the butcher's cart, and I haven't money enough left from my week's allowance to buy a single steak, and here it is only Wednesday."

"Can't you buy on credit?"

"Never!" said Mrs. Smart, with spirit. "It's a thing I never have done, and I never will do!"

Ella's hazel eyes sparkled as she shook her head vehemently at the butcher, who was just checking his old horses at the door.

"Nothing today," she said.

Mrs. Smart dashed away a tear.

"Give me some of that shelled corn, Ella," she said. "I suppose I can catch a chicken for dinner."

"Do nothing of the sort, my dear," said Ella.

"But what are we to do?"

"Why have a picked up dinner," answered Ella. "You just leave me to manage it for you."

"But I'm afraid the deacon won't like it," said Mrs. Smart.

"Well, and if he doesn't? You don't like the pedler business, do you?" quickly retorted Ella.

At one o'clock the table was all spread with three hugh central platters carefully shielded with the covers which were ordinarily brought out only on state accasions, and Mrs. Smart and Ella were peeping out of the window and wondering what kept the deacon so late.

"There he comes now!" said Mrs. Smart. "Good gracious me! And there is Willis Mildmay coming home with him! We never counted on his bringing company to dinner, Ella!"

"What signifies company?" asked Ella, stoutly maintaining her composure, although her pretty face had turned pink all over. "Willis Mildmay won't care when he comprehends it all. Willis is a sensible man."

"Come in, Mr. Smart—come in, Mr. Mildmay," said Mrs. Smart. "You're half an hour late, Ebenezer. Ella and I could not imagine what had become of you."

"I hope I'm not intruding," said Mr. Milday, looking at Ella as if one glance at her rosy face was all the dinner he wanted.

"Oh, not in the least!" replied Mrs. Smart. "Pray sit down. We have but a plain dinner today, but it is all that my housekeeping allowance would admit."

"No apologies, my dear," said Deacon Smart—"no apologies. Hunger is the best sauce, as we well know."

Thereupon, they all seated themselves at the table, and the deacon whisked off the big platter covers with a countenance of expectation.

"Hello!" said the deacon.

There upon the centre platter lay the 18 green paper of pins. At the right and left, on small platters, were arranged the cards of porcelain buttons and the rolls of tape and the shoe strings, while the bottles of machine oil and packages of stove-blacking were arranged like a child's block house on a side table, beneath a white napkin, by way of dessert.

Ella burst out laughing. Mrs. Smart joined in. Willis Mildmay, spurred on by the infectious sound, laughed too, although he had not the least idea what he was laughing at. The deacon stared as if he had suddenly become all eyes.

"Juliana," he said, "what is the meaning of all this?"

"It means, Ebenezer, that you have spent my housekeeping money for pedlers' cheap wares, and that Ella and I determined to serve them up to you for dinner. And what you don't eat we are going to burn; and henceforward, whatever is bought is got to be of good quality, or I won't have it in the house! And if you give me money for housekeeping it isn't for you to spend it in buying articles which no one can use.

"Certainly it isn't!" said Ella, coming valiantly to the rescue.

The deacon's jaw dropped; he had half a mind to be angry, but he thought better of it and broke into a low chuckle.

"Mr. Mildmay," he said, turning to the young man, "be warned in time! You see what tricks women folks will always be up to."

But Mr. Mildmay, who had somehow or other got hold of Ella's hand under the folds of the tablecloth, did not seem to heed those words of wisdom as deeply as he should have done under the circumstances.

"Ladies," he said, "there's a bushel of oysters out in the wagon that I was taking home. If you will build up a good fire we'll have a roast, and I'll be head cook. I suppose you've got plenty of good bread and butter."

"Yes, and nice hot coffee," said Mrs. Smart. "Make haste, Ella, and start the fire to a blaze, and we will stimulate it a little with machine oil and pins."

The deacon sat by and made no demur. He only laughed in a sheepish silent sort of way.

And they dined off hot roast oysters bread and butter and coffee. Toward the close of the repast a stout, itinerant vender, with a basket on his arm, tapped on the door.

"I hope I see your honor well," said he, with a regular professional whine. "Will 'ee buy something today? Pins, needles, shoe laces, hairpins or a little"—

But Deacon Smart shut the door in the midst of his oily oration.

"No!" he said.

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GREY MAKES OPENING SPEECH

Austria's Increased Armaments and Practical Mobilization of Her Army Due More to Troubles at Home Than Probability of Declaring War Against Servia

London, Dec. 16.—Dr. Daneff, head of the Bulgarian plenipotentiaries, returned to London from Paris late last night and the historic peace conference opened today.

Sir Edward Grey, the British secretary of foreign affairs, made a brief speech of welcome, and after expressing the hope of a fruitful end of their labors, he retired and left the conference to deliberate in private.

The sessions are being held in the historic St. James palace, where the "picture gallery" has been selected as the conference room. It is a secluded apartment and entirely shut off from the noise of the London streets.

The delegates spent a quiet day Sunday. Nothing has transpired yet to show whether any serious difficulty is likely to arise over the attendance of the Greek delegates. Concerning the Austro-Servian controversy, the Balkan delegates thing it the result of Austrian bluff. They say:

"Vienna, having seen her traditional program of gradually extending through the Balkan states to Saloniki completely wrecked, she has tried to counterbalance the bad effect it has had at home by clamoring that Austria's increased armament and the to the Austro-Italian agreement concluded in 1907. Therefore, neither Greece nor Servia can occupy the Albanian-Adriatic coast, much less Servia, as Servia means Russia."

According to the Balkan delegates, Austria's increased arguments and the practical mobilization of her army are due less to the probability of declaring war against Servia than to the grave internal stuation in the monarchy, the unrest in Hungary and the agitation among Servians, especially in Bosnia and Herzegovina, where even those holding positions under the Austrian government have openly protested against the attitude of the empire.

An additional cause for concern is the threatening attitude of the Slavs generally throughout Austrian territory, which caused the dissolution of the municipalities of Sebenico, Spalato and Zara, on the charge of being anti-Austrian.

No further development in the international situation is reported. Accordng to a Vienna dispatch nothing is known of the statements circulated in Paris that Servia has protested to Austria against the latter country's military demonstrations.

A Belgrade dispatch represents the Servian government as ready, if necessary, to send delegates to Vienna for friendly negotiations with Austria on the basis of Albanian autonomy and a Servian port on the Adriatic, which Servia would engage not to transform into a military port, while Austria would enjoy the right of preference in the matter of loans and public works and the most favored nation treatment.

In accordance with the terms of the armistice, provision trains for the Bulgarian army are now passing through Adrianople station with the permission of the Turks.

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MAKING INSPECTION

(Continued from Page One.)

In one store the firemen found that the place was heated by a stove and that a piece of oil cloth had been wound about the funnel where it entered the chimney. The proprietor kicked about taking it down but had to comply with the orders.

In another store they found that the rear entrance was blocked up with goods so that it would be impossible to get into the building from that point, and in still another place they found that a lot of goods were piled high in front of the fire escape completely blocking it. The proprietor here said that these things could be easily moved if necessary and he would not move them. He was given a few hours to clear away the goods or suffer the consequences. A call later in the day found that he had complied with the order.

The information obtained by the firemen will be of inestimable value should a fire happen to start in any of these places, especially in the night, for it is rather dangerous for a fireman to enter a strange building at night, when the place is on fire and not know what he is liable to run up against. By knowing where the exits are as well as where the electric light and gas shut offs are located, they will be able to either flood the place with light or prevent an explosion from escaping gas.

It is probable that the inspection of buildings will be carried out all over the city. This same plan of education is carried out in many places especially in the city of Boston where the fire department is furnished with a complete floor plan of all buildings and where the firemen make it a part of their duty to inspect every building thoroughly and familiarize themselves with its surroundings.

SULZER QUITS CONGRESS

Flood Assumes Chairmansip of Foreign Affairs Committee

Washington, Dec. 16.—Governor-elect William Sulzer of New York presented his resignation to the house, to take effect Dec. 31. Sulzer left today for New York and will not return to congress before taking up his duties at Albany.

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Come any time, come tomorrow between 3 and 6 o'clock, and enjoy the special courtesies we shall provide for you, and fill your needs from our great stock, or merely to look around.

Tuesday, Dec. 17, between 3 and 6 o'clock we offer

6 BARS OF WELCOME OR KIRKMAN'S BORAX SOAP FOR . . **19c**
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Thursday, Dec. 19, from 3 to 6 o'clock, we offer

FANCY PRUNES, REGULAR 15c GOODS, THIS YEAR'S PACK . . **10c**
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Dec. 16, 17, 18, 19

RECEPTION ON HER BIRTHDAY

Minister's Wife Remembered by Congregation

The members of the Swedish Lutheran Church gathered at the new parsonage of eRv. Leander M. Hokenson, 28 Cottage street, Saturday evening, and tendered Mrs. Leander Hokenson a reception in honor of her birthday. She was presented with a sum of money from the congregation and a bouquet of flowers from the ladies sewing circle. The presentation was made by Mrs. Jacob Bervass.

During the evening there was an impromptu entertainment, many taking part in the festivities. Refreshments were served by the ladies.

The committee in charge were Mrs. J. Bervass, Mrs. Andrew Anderson, Mrs. F. Johnson, Mrs. R. W. Lofgren, and rMs. Andrew Nelson.

BRIEFS

Miss Hazel Smith of Boston was the guest of Miss Edith Johnson of Putnam street over Sunday.

The public schools close Wednesday for the Christmas holidays. The new year term begins Monday, Dec. 30.

City Solicitor John W. McAnarney left Saturday for Chicago and the west on a business trip. He hopes to return for the Christmas holidays.

Regular meeting of the City Council tonight. It is probable that the meeting will be adjourned to a further date as it will be impossible to finish all business tonight.

Miss Gertrude Rogers, daughter of Mr. and rMs. Howard Rogers, who sustained injuries by falling down a flight of stairs Thursday is rapidly recovering at the home of her parents 1063 Hancock street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Cushing Lane, nee Susan Godfrey Morse, of Goffe street, Presidents hill, are receiving congratulations on the birth on Saturday of a son, who has been named Seth Cushing for his grandfather, the late Seth Cushing Lane.

BRIEFS

Although the new year is near at hand, few 1913 calendars have been seen.

There is good skating on Butlers pond and a large crowd of young people enjoyed this invigorating sport Saturday and Sunday.

At the regular meeting of the Granite City club Saturday evening resolutions were pased on the death of James F. Burke, one of the long time members of the club, who pased away some weeks ago.

An inspector from the Massachusetts Highway Commission is in town today examining the drivers of the auto chemical apparatus at the Central and Atlantic stations, preparatory to giving them licenses as chauffeurs.

Dr. H. Almon Jones is entitled to the rank of Commodore of the all the year round sailors, says the Yachting editor of the Globe. He celebrated Thanksgiving day by sailing around the bay in a snow storm in his yacht.

George W. Duncklee, Field Secretary of the North American Civic League for Immigrants, will give an illustrated lecture this evening before the Laymen's Club in Christ Church Parish House on "Immigration and the Work of the League." All men are cordially invited to attend.

Sunday was an ideal day for a walk and many people took advantage of the exceptional fine weather to take a long walk. Many visited Quincy's shore front with a view of posting themselves in relation to the possibility of a public dock, theq uestion of which will come up at an adjourned public meeting next Wednesday evening.

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BROKE WINDOWS AND FINED $25

Two Neponset Young Men Found the Fun Expensive

Officer Duffy while patroling his beat at Atlantic Sunday night heard the sound of breaking glass and found a gang of young men on Atlantic street throwing stones at the windows of a house occupied by Daniel O'Mera. Two windows had already been broken, but when the officer came in sight the gang started to run.

Officer Duffy however captured two of them who are said to live in Neponset. They gave their names as Arthur Beechin, of 8 Water street and Michael Monihan of 11 Walnut street Neponset. In court this morning they were fined $25 each for malicious injury to reality.

TEMPERANCE MEN PLAN BANQUET

The St. Mary's Catholic Total Abtinence and Mutual Relief Society are reparing for their installation of offiers which will take place Thursday vening. Following the ceremonies a anquet will be served and speakers ill address the society on Total Abtinence. The officers to be installed re:—

President—Daniel J. Duggan.
Vice President—Joseph R. McGilray.
Treasurer—George Reinhalter.
Financial Secretary—Thomas F Obrien.
Recorder—Joseph Rooney.
Corresponding Secretary—Paul Litle.
Entertainment committee—William Duggan, chairman.
Board of Directors — Joseph O'Rourke, chairman.
Trustees—John J. Buckley, John yan, Cornelius Sullivan.

NEW THEATRE.

The Kincaide Theatre will open tonight, although it has been a case of hustle for a week, especially today. There has already been a large advance sale of reserved seats as many want to attend the initial performance Crowded houses are expected at every evening performance thiswe ek. The program includes a pleasing sketch entitled "The Little Girl," also a musical artist, a comedy pair, Pathe's pictures and other moving pictures.

The first matinee will be Tuesday at 2.30. Two performances are scheduled daily at 2.30 and 7.45, with a change of program every Monday and Thursday. The attractiveness of the theatre is sure to be appreciated, and Mr. Kincaide is being congratulated on his enterprise.

INCREASING MEMBERSHIP.

A large increase in the membership of the Holy Name Society was noted at the Sunday evening meeting at St. ohn's church. Rev. Fr. Coan directed the services. A union service will be held on Jan. 12 with the Sacred Heart church society at that church.

MRS. CARA RECOVERED.

Mrs. John Cara who was taken to the Quincy City Hospital late Thursday night suffering from corrosive sublimate poisoning was discharged Sunday and isn ow at her home in the rear of the Welch block. Mrs. Cara is in good condition and will probably suffer no ill effects.

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CURLEY REVISES HISTORY

Says Bosto Tea Party Should Be Calle Boston Beer Party

Washingt n, Dec. 16.—Representative Curle of Massachusetts, in a speech agai ist the Burnette immigration bill an i its educational test, announced in the house that there was no such thing as the Boston Tea Party; that in reality it was the "Boston Beer Party" that threw the tea overboard in Boston harbor as a protest against British taxation.

"I have discovered," said he, "that the persons who constituted the so-called Boston Tea Party did not meet in the Old South church, as many of the histories say, but they met and formulated their plans for throwing the tea overboard, in Dugan's Tavern, Boston. The party was misnamed. It was not the Boston Tea Party, it was the Boston Beer Party."

Curley intimated that the members of the party had patronized the saloon well before they threw the tea overboard.

RAILROAD MAN WINS HELEN GOULD'S HAND

News of Engagement Is Given Out by George Gould

Lakewood, N. J., Dec. 16.—Announcement of the engagement of Miss Helen M. Gould of New York to Finley J. Shepard, a railroad man of St. Louis, was made at the residence of George J. Gould here. Details of the time and place of the wedding are withheld for the present.

Asked whether he desired to say anything additional concerning the engagement, Gould remarked that "there will be nothing more, except that this engagement is most pleasing to Mrs. Gould and myself."

Shepard has long been prominently identified with railroad and financial affairs in the west. He is at present assistant to the president of the Missouri Pacific railroad.

In a thumbnail sketch of Helen M. Gould in "Who's Who In America," her occupation is given as a philanthropist, and it is as a philanthropist that Miss Gould has become most widely known. She is 44 years old.

PREACHER ROBBED GRAVE

Money Was Supposed to Have Been Buried With Rich Indian

Poteau, Okla., Dec. 16.—G. W. Adkins, a Baptist preacher, was convicted here of robbing the grave o. Wiley Kincade, a wealthy Indian, who was buried near Brazil, Okla., more than fifty years ago.

It is said a large amount of money was buried with Kincade's body in accordance with the terms of his will. The jury was unable to agree on a prison sentence for Adkins, who is 58 years old.

Three other men are awaiting trial here on the charge of robbing the Indian's grave.

DEATH OF BISHOP JAGGAR

Was Head of American Potestant Episcopal Church In Europe

Paris, Dec. 16.—Right Rev. Thomas A. Jaggar, bishop of the American Episcopal church of Europe, died at Cannes.

Bishop Jaggar had been in charge of the European work of the church for the last four years. He was a noted preacher and writer on religious subjects and was born in New York seventy-three years ago.

NEW TELEPHONE SYSTEM.

Work installing the new interior telephone system in the several offices at City Hall is about completed. The only offices not now connected are those of the City Clerk and Board of Health. These will be connected this week. The Couch system manufactured at Norfolk Downs is used and works to perfection. It will save the officers and clerks at City Hall many steps.

☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

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SPLIT EVEN WITH NEWTON

First Team Put Up a Garrison Finish

SECOND TEAM LOST

Two great basket-ball games were layed Saturday night at the local Y. M. C. A. between Newton and Quincy irst and Second teams. As these ere league games the interest was of ourse much greater than ordinarily nd to judge from the way the boys layed one would have thought that he championship title rested on the esult.

The First team game was in Newon's favor during the greater part of the game and it was not until the last ew minutes of the second half that the local rooters had a chance to enhuse. The first half ended with the score 8 to 3 in the vistors favor, but our fouls in rapid succession were made by Newton and Henry Trask was the right man for the job for he caged them all. Newton then made two goals from the floor and the score was 12 to 7. Rich made himself popular with the crowd by caging a beauty from the side of the floor and then Trask also dropped a nice one in and with a foul by Newton, the score was tied 12 to 12. Holmes was compelled to leave the floor at this time owing to the league rule that a player retires from the game when he makes 5 fouls. Johnson was put in and Jacobs scored a dandy, putting Newton ahead again. Parker was out of the game on account of a bad cut over the left eye and Price, of the second team was put in his place. Jacobs made another score and then Trask scored three goals from the foul line. The final score was 18 to 15 in Newton's favor.

"Chick" Holmes again shut out his man, this making the fourth game that his man has not scored. Cady, his opponent made some pretty tries for a goal but Holmes was right there all the time. Parker and Jacobs had a great battle and it was not until Parker left the game that Jake was able to score. Trask, as usual outplayed his man getting two goals to one, and also scoring 9 goals on fouls.

The second team game was a hummer from start to finish, the score seesawing back and forth all through the game. Price started right off the reel with two pretty shots but Newton soon evened up the score when Bills and Chivers scored. Thomas scored two points by shooting from the foul line and Corthell also made a couple of goals from difficult angles. The first half ended with the score 19 to 14 in Newton's favor.

The Second teams rested while the Big" teams played, and from the time the whistle blew for the 2nd half there was no let-up. Dineen scored followed immediately by another one by Price; a foul by Newton which Thomas made and the score was tied, 19 to 19. The play was fast and furious and the pace was too fast for Corthell, who was up against a man weighing almost 200 pounds; Johnson was put in at forward and Thomas went to center position. "Pin" made himself solid by scoring at once and Quincy was ahead again. Newton then caged four goals while Quincy was scoring three Croucher who had taken Pinels place then made a foul as did Johnson also both of which were made by Viles of Newton: this put Newton ahead 29 to 27 and only half minute to play. Dineen scored a beauty from almost the full length of the floor and the whistle blew with the score tied at 29 to 29. Play was resumed at once with the undertanding that the game was to be ended when ither team had scored two points. They had been playing but two minutes when Price received a dandy pass rom Croucher right under the goal, which he dropped in the basket, winning the game by the score of 31 to 29.

The score:

FIRST GAME.

NEWTON Y M C A		QUINCY Y M C A
Cady rf	lb	Holmes
Miley lf	rb	Keen
Middlemas c	c	Trask
McKenzie rb	lf	Rich
	lf	Johnson
Jacobs lb	rf	Price

Score, Newton 18. Quincy 15. Goals from floor, Miley 4, Middlemas, McKenzie, Jacobs 2, Trask 2, Rich. Goals from fouls, Jacobs 2, Trask 9. Refre, Stone. Score Blanchard. Timer, LaRose. Time 20m periods. Attendnce 500.

SECOND GAME.

UINCY 2D		NEWTON 2D
Thomas rf	lb	Graves
Price lf	rb	Viles
Corpbell c	c	Bills
ohnson c		
Dineen rb	lf	Chivers
inel lb	rf	Irving
roucher lb		

core, Quincy 2D 31, Newton 2D 29. Goals from floor, Thomas, Price 7, Corpbell 2, Johnson, Dineen 2, Graves 2, Viles 2, Bills 4, Chivers 4, Irving. Goals from fouls, Thomas 5, Viles 3.

Charles Parker was elected Captain f the First team and Stewart Dineen of the Second team just before the games were started.

MACHINES COLLIDED.

Thee lectric runabout of Mrs. Theophilus King camei nto collission this noon near the fountain in iCty Square with an automobile owned by Mr. Woodward. Mrs. King was driving by when her car skidded and went bang into the automobile of Mr. Woodward. Neinther car was going fast and the only damage was the smashing of the mud guard on the automobile of Mr. Woodward .

DRIVER HURT HIS HAND.

The automobile operated by Maurice atcomb, connected with the Johnson umber Co., turned turtle Sunday afternoon when a rear tire exploded, on Chestnut street, near Faxon hall. The four occupants including a child were pinned under the machine and xtricated themselves when a passerby lifted the side of the car. Mr. Gatcomb received a slight injury to his hand and the child was badly frightned but uninjured. In the machine were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Myett.

BIRTHS

LANE—In Quincy, Dec. 14, a son, Seth Cushing Lane, to Carleton Cushing, and Susan Godfrey Morse Lane of Presidents hill.

MARRIAGES

FLOWERS—SMITH—In Boston, Dec. 14 by Rev. Dr. A. Z. Conrad, Mr. Alfred Garfield Flowers of Quincy to Mrs. Nellie Harlow Smith of South Weymouth.

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GRADE CROSSING ABOLISHMENT RECOMMENDED AT BRAINTREE

Railroad Commissioners will Set About the Task of Distributing the Cost

School, Elm, River and Union Streets to be Affected

The Board of Railroad commissioners have decided to abolish the grade crossings at Braintree, and School, Elm, River and Union streets are the streets which will be affected.

The Railroad commissioners gave hearings to all parties interested, and finally decided that the crossings should go. The Board will now enter upon the task of adjusting and distributing the cost of the change to the various places which are interested but such an expenditure shall not exceed the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth.

The following is the official notification from the Board:

December 16, 1912.

Quincy Daily Ledger, Quincy, Mass.

Gentlemen,—As requested, I send herewith copies of the orders of the Board consenting to changes in the grades of the Old Colony railroad in Braintree, and relative to abolition of certain grade crossings in that town.

Very truly yours,
Charles E. Mann,
Clerk of the Board.
December 16, 1912.

(9124)

Petition of the Old Colony Railroad Company and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company for certificate relative to abolition of grade crossings in the town of Braintree.

After notice and hearing and an examination of the proposed plan for abolishing the grade crossings of the tracks of the Old Colony railroad (New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, lessees) and the highways known as School, Elm, River and Union streets in the town of Braintree, as set forth in the report of the special commission appointed by the Superior Court to consider the matter, and after consideration of the expenditure therein authorized,—it is

ORDERED, That the Board hereby certify that in its opinion the adoption of said plan and the incurring of such expenditure are consistent with the public interests and are reasonably required to secure a fair distribution between the different cities, towns and railroads of the Commonwealth of the public money appropriated for the abolition of grade crossings, and that such expenditure will not in its judgment exceed the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth under the provisions of law relating thereto.

Attest:
(Signed) Charles E. Mann,
Clerk.

A true copy.
Attest:
Charles E. Mann, Clerk.

PRESENTED WITH PURSE

Lodge Remembers Janitor Going on Vacation

An enjoyable whist party was held at Protection hall, Monday evening by the degree staff of Quincy Lodge, N. E. O. P. Fourteen tabes were in play.

The scores were Mrs. R. Chapple, 54 points; Miss Jennie McCarthy, 48 points; Mrs. J. Field, 47 points; Mrs. Mary A. Thomas, 46 points; Mrs. James Higgs and H. S. Thompson tie at 45 points. The winner secured 18 points in four hands.

After the party a purse of money was presented by Mrs. Mary A. McNeil to Dexter Remick, superintendent of the building, who leaves today for an indefinite visit to Florida.

The committee was Mrs. Mary A. McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Brown.

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

CHRISTENING NEW THEATRE

Immense Audience Attended First Performance

AT NEW PLAYHOUSE

With a crowd of about 2000 standing in front of the door, many holding tickets which had been purchased in advance, Col. Henry L. Kincaide and Capt. George A. Wardwell urged about 100 mechanics to exert themselves so that everything would be in order for the opening of the New Kincaide theatre at 7.45 Monday night, but it was a few minutes after eight o'clock that the doors were thrown open.

At seven o'clock the utmost confusion appeared to reign and it was 7.20 before State Inspector McKeever signed the necessary license to open. Traps, tools and workmen were actually forced out as the people swarmed in the doors, and six policemen who had been hurriedly despatched at the urgent call of Manager Wardwell were busy directing the anxious patrons how to turn.

When all had settled into their comfortable seats at about 8.30 the show commenced to attract. The newness of the appearance had kind of worn off, although they continued pointing and talking about different features. In the meantime the photoplays were being thrown from an asbestos booth harboring two high power No. 6 machines, one being a two cable combination with dissolving effect.

By nine o'clock the popularity of the house was assured and the audience numbering over 1300 people let loose their approval of the acts, pictures and everything in general.

The first tickets were purchased by James McGilvray of South Quincy and the second sale was made to Miss Nellie Desmond. A large crowd forced their way to the ticket window at the theatre and Miss Annie McLeod was busily engaged accommodating the patrons who had come from surrounding cities and towns.

Inspector McKeever told a Ledger reporter Monday afternoon that the New Kincaide Theatre was one of the finest of buildings, that the laws had been complied with in every respect and that the means of egress were 50 per cent larger than required by law. He was loud in praise of the theatre, and said that with such building the safety of the public and the comfort of the patrons was assured.

The interior is not completed by any means, since considerable small detail must be attended to and it will probably be another week before the last work will be finished. The body of the house however is O. K.

The pictures that will run until Thursday change are Mountain Dew, The Ranchman's Anniversary, Bunny at the Derby and the Pathe weekly which gives scenes of world wide interest.

The vaudeville portion of the bill includes Lou Fitzgibbon in a musical act which calls for an exhibition of the greatest dexterity in xylophone selections, and one which carried the house by storm.

Morse and Frey, a colored team of entertainers upset the house with their comedy line of talk. Their finale is a plantation song, double melody, which was applauded again and again. Each rendered solos during their 12 minute appearance.

James Horne and Harry Carleton presented the premier sketch, "The Littlest Girl" by Richard Harding Davis. The youthful appearance of the little girl attracted the attention of Inspector McKeever who inquired her age. When informed that she could legally appear he expressed considerable surprise and gave his sanction to the act.

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SUDDEN ATTACK PROVED SERIOUS

William Westland Removed to Hospital For Operation

William Westland was taken suddenly ill at his store 1590 Hancock street, Monday afternoon. He was removed to the Quincy hospital in the police ambulance where it was found he must have his appendix removed. He was immediately operated upon and is doing well. A short time before he took the pain Mr. Westland was busy about the store, apparently in the best of health. Dr. John F. Welch was called and ordered him taken to the hospital.

INITIATION STUNTS.

Brickley, along with Hardwick of Quincy, Bradlee and theother sophomores, are being put through their initiation stunts daily around Harvard square. They wear white sneakers and coarse, homespun socks. They are required to trot from their rooms to classes and back, saluting those who are already members of the Institute as they pass them. At the clubhouse they are compelled to submit to many petty indignities. Mornings, just after the sun has risen, Brickley gets a stock of the Boston papers and delivers them to the doors of many Institute members. He is dressed grotesquely when doing this.

SPEAKS IN WOONSOCKET.

Senator-elect John J. McDevitt will speak on Social Reform Friday evening at Woonsocket, R. I. The audience will be the members of the Holy Name Society of which Rev. James A. FitzSimmons is spiritual director.

☞PRATT'S BREAD—baked by experts in a light, well-ventilated building. All grocers.

BILL OF $25 ON WOLLASTON SCHOOL NOT LEGAL ONE FOR CITY

School Committee Has No Authority to Pay For Injunction Advice

City Solicitor's Salary will Reach $1800 Per Year

Just 37 minutes was all that was required Monday evening to transact the business that came before the regular meeting of the City Council. There was practically no debate on any of the matters and business went along smoothly. Councilmen Bailey, Forde and Mahoney were absent.

President Hobbs granted permission for Councilmen Barker and Mahoney and Councilmen Gilliatt and Forde to change seats.

A venire was received for the drawing of traverse jurors. The Mayor, City Clerk and Councilman Beeman drew the following according to law: Thomas Swithin, Edward W. Coughlin, Henry L. Esterbrook, James Leonard, Richard E. Raycroft, Robert Finley, John D. Sutherland, Bernard F. Manning.

A communication was received from the Assistant Engineers asking for an increase in salary from $150 to $250 per year. Laid on the table until later when Councilman J. R. S. Ross offered an order for the same which was referred to joint Committee on Finances and Ordinances.

A communication was received from the Mayor and City Clerk asking for $75 for Miscellaneous in the City Clerk's department. Laid on the table until later when Councilman Studley offered an order making the transfer from the appropriation for vital statistics. Adopted.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Board of Health asking for $550 for Miscellaneous and $1,200 for contagious diseases. Laid on the table until later when Councilman Craig offered orders for the same which were referred to the Finance Committee.

The City Auditor forwarded a communication stating that the order passed at the last meeting transferring $250 from Interest of Temporary Loans to City Clerks State Aid account could not be charged to that account as there were no funds. Laid on the table until later when Councilman Cunningham offered an order transferring the amount from Miscellaneous City receipts. Adopted.

A communication was received from the City Solicitor stating that the Council had authority to revoke the assessment on Tyler street if the same have been illegally assessed and reassessed. Placed on file.

A communication was received from the City Solicitor giving his opinion on the bill of George H. Brown for legal services to the School Committee in the matter of an injunction to restrain the city from selling the old Wollaston school buildings.

The City Solicitor in his opinion says: "In my opinion the bill for $25 of George H. Brown Esq., dated Sept. 21, 1912 for services rendered to the school department as attorney, relative to a proposed petition to the Supreme Court for the purpose of enjoining the City from making a sale of the old Wollaston school house is not a legal claim against the city. The City Auditor should not approve the same, and the school committee has no authority to pay it from any of the school funds at its disposal."

On motion of Councilman Cunningham the bill and opinion of the City

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These Specials---on Sale for Three Hours

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

We invite all of Quincy into our store to "look around"—to come in any time and see our stock of fresh, clean goods, to inquire regarding them, to ask for particulars, to interrogate for prices, to know what this store holds that may be of service to you.

Come any time, come tomorrow between 3 and 6 o'clock, and enjoy the special courtesies we shall provide for you, and fill your needs from our great stock, or merely to look around.

Tuesday, Dec. 17, between 3 and 6 o'clock we offer

6 BARS OF WELCOME OR KIRKMAN'S BORAX SOAP FOR . . **19c**

You must *COME* to the store and order it and pay cash for it. We will deliver it. No telephone or team orders accepted, and at this price, it cannot be charged. Regular price 5c a bar. 12 bars limit.

Wednesday, Dec. 18, between 3 and 6 o'clock we offer

HATCHET BRAND TOMATOES, EXTRA SIZE, TALL CANS, at a can . **12c**

No telephone or team orders accepted. You must *COME* to the store and leave your order. On sale at this price only at the hours stated. The regular price is 17c a can. 6 cans the limit. For cash only.

Thursday, Dec. 19, from 3 to 6 o'clock, we offer

FANCY PRUNES, REGULAR 15c GOODS, THIS YEAR'S PACK . . **10c**

No telephone or team orders. You must *COME* to the store and leave your order. 5 lbs. limit to each visitor. Cash only.

OR

HECKER'S FLAP-JACK, OR AUNT JEMINA'S PANCAKE FLOUR . . **7½c**

Personal orders only will be accepted. No telephone or team orders. Regular price on either, 10c a package. Cash only.

The above prices are made to induce you to visit our store and "look around." We have hundreds of customers who have never visited us—who have transacted their business with us by 'phone or team—and to pay them for coming to this store and "looking around" and see our immense stock of groceries, meats and vegetables, we offer the above inducements. None of the above goods will be charged. The above prices are for CASH only.

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Dec. 16, 17, 18, 19

Hand Painted China

MRS. GREEN will have her annual exhibition and sale of Hand-Painted China on

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 16, 17 and 18,

at **No. 1 Irving Place,** opposite the Quincy depot. Hours from 2 to 9 P. M. The sale will continue until Christmas.

Dec. 14-3t

HOW IS THIS?

Twelve Christmas presents for $1.50 that's all it costs for one dozen of our photo Christmas cards, Folio style and you would be surprised to know how many are getting them. All sittings made this week, photos delivered before Christmas. If you prefer something larger, say a life size bust picture there is still time to get it out. No enlargements made from small pictures. Our large photos are all made from original negatives, that is why they are different. If you have the negative glass or film, bring it along and see what we can do with it.

H. CORMACK, Photo Studio
387 Granite St., Brewers Corner.
16-4t

Public Dock Hearing

The Committee on Public Docks will give a hearing to all interested citizens in the Council Chamber, City Hall, **Wednesday Evening, Dec. 18,** at 7.30 o'clock.

CHARLES W. BAILEY,
Secretary.
17-1t

TO LET

Ground Floor—Granite street, near City Square, 22x55 feet. Splendid light—excellent opportunity.

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Office—Hancock Chambers, 16x18 feet, one flight up, very low rent.

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Furnished Rooms—With care steam heat, and detached bath with hot and cold water. $1.75 to $6 per week

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Music Hall—Music Hall Block—Capacity 912—highest rating by the State of any Hall in the City, "Excellent" in every particular.

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Hancock Hall—Hancock Building, City Square—Capacity 150.

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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Next Sunday will be observed in many of the Churches as Christmas Sunday. Choristers, organists and Sunday school superintendents are notified and requested to have their musical programs and children's concert programs in the Ledger office, not later than Thursday afternoon, to insure their publication in Saturday's Ledger.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Congressman Curley would revise the history of the Boston Tea party. History is not the congressman's long suit.

And now comes the wail from Worcester that John A. Thayer is to have the Boston custom house. Maybe some of the Boston Democrats will have a word or two to say about that.

With the butter supply in cold storage the price is soaring. It should be a crime for one to speculate with the food stuffs of the world in this way.

The long hatpin has found a victim. Possibly now there will be an active movement for reform of this nuisance.

A week from tonight and the stockings will be hung in their annual accustomed places.

That Los Angeles lady police officer must be going through Boston blindfolded and with mufflers over her ears, judging from some of the remarks with which she is credited.

The hunting season death toll was 33 which leads to the question was it worth it?

Those Saturday night burglars were industrious enough but they failed to get much booty.

Mrs. Corey cannot live in America because it is so noisy. Poor thing, if delightful silence had greeted her stage efforts, as an attraction she would not have figured very high.

This flying across the Atlantic stunt is only in its planning stage.

Mr. King's method of celebrating his birthday, was not only novel but decidedly christianlike. His deed of gift, bespeaks the fine broad liberality of the man.

We may now look for daily bulletings of the Shepard—Gould wedding.

Mr. Reid made a good representative at the court of St. James and his wealth enabled him to take a leading place at that capital.

The Lynn barbers have demonstrated that their proposed raise of rates was no joke.

Old winter is having a hard time to establish himself in his proper sphere.

It is the duty of every citizen to attend that public dock hearing Wednesday night to enlighten the committee as to their views on the subject.

Joseph Walker is showing an independence in his progressiveness that is refreshing in this time of political trimming.

Anothed kidnapper was caught in Newburyport and said he took the child for fun. Neither the police or the parents of the child could determine anything very clever in the joke.

Col. Kincaide has a fine up-to-date theatre. It is a credit to Quincy and should receive the patronage it deserves.

A SEASONABLE GIFT.

The $16,000 trust created by Theophilus King, is a timely and seasonable good work. It is likewise liable to indelibly stamp in the minds of his fellow citizens the natal day of the donor. Possibly few outside of his immediate family were cognizant of his birthday, but now it is quite likely that it will be known and remembered by thousands. The deed of gift speaks volumes for the broad and liberal mindedness of the man. Nothing, mean, small or sordid is contained in that lucid document, setting forth the experiences of the man and what they produced.

Every church and denomination is remembered. It is not a half way gift, where denominational and sectional sentiments are presented to curtail from the splendid liberality of the deed. None are forgotten. Charity of this kind, given along the broader lines of universal christianity are certainly worthy of more than passing notice. All will share of the generosity of the donor. As a birthday gift, not to, but from the celebrant it is unique. It is a gift which is fully appreciated by every church and the entire community. It is the earnest wish of all that this broad minded, liberal man who can embrace all religions in his good work, may live long to enjoy the good work which his generosity has made possible. Men of this type are rare. A community is the gainer by their residence. It will no doubt afford him much gratification to watch the working out of his plans.

It will undoubtedly afford him as much gratification in watching its operations as it will afford relief to many worthy people.

THE PUBLIC DOCK.

Every citizen should attend the hearing at City Hall, Wednesday evening by the committee on the proposed public dock site. This is a matter of more than passing moment to the people of Quincy. Unless the committee can secure a fair expression from the voters they will not be able to reach an intelligent conclusion, so far as it means carrying out the will of the people. Therefore it is a duty that the citizens owe themselves, the community and the committee to place themselves on record.

If a majority of the people are opposed to the public dock now is the time to say so. If a majority of the people favor the dock, then it is up to them to say so. Then later on whichever position, the committee may take there will be no chance to criticise for the building of the dock or not building as the case may be.

It may be feasible to erect the dock and then again there may be arguements which some people know which would show that the work was really unnecessary. So taking the whole matter from a broad minded view, it is really up to the voters. It is for them to determine. It is the money which is to be expended. By reason of this the voters should therefore be heard. The committee wants enlightenment. They cannot get that if every one remains silent, to pop up later on which every way the committee decides with the inevitable "I told you so." The date of that expression is long past. Action is needed with regard to the dock and the action is up to the citizens.

DOCK HEARING MOST IMPORTANT

Committee Seeking All the Light Possible on the Subject

The hearing before the special committee of the City Council and committee of citizens on the advisibility of establishing a public dock as well as to select a site for the same will hold a continued hearing in the Council Chamber at City Hall Wednesday evening. This is one of the most important subjects that has been before the city since the purchase of the plant of the Quincy Water Co., and for this reason the committee desires to get all the information possible on the subject. All citizens whether for or against the proposition are urgently requested to attend the hearing and express their views. It is probable that at this hearings plans for a site for the dock will be presented.

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GOLDEN WEDDING AT S. BRAINTREE

Rev. and Mrs. Kyte Round Out 50 Years of Married Life

RECEIVED MANY GIFTS

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Kyte of South Braintree, observed their golden wedding at their home, 301 Pond street, Monday afternoon and evening.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. Kyte only close relatives and friends were present. Rev. and Mrs. Kyte received many presents in gold from old-time friends and former parishioners in other towns.

Bith Rev. and Mrs. Kyte are natives of Maine, the former having been born there in 1836 and the latter in 1835. He was ordained in Mechanics Falls in 1862, and his first church was in that town. He has filled many pastorates in New England, the last one being in Abington, Conn., where he preached till five years ago.

Rev. and Mrs. Kyte have been residents of South Braintree since 1896, and both have been active in the work of the South Congregational Church. On many occassions when the church was without a regular partor, Rev. Mr. Kyte has taken charge of the services.

Of their five children four are living. They are Dr. Albert Kyte of Westport, Conn; Mrs. George W. Stose and Miss Helen Kyte of Washington, D. C. and Mrs. Robert E. Whitman of Sunset road, South Braintree.

In addition to a number of valuable gifts received today, Rev. and Mrs. Kyte had many letters from former parishioners.

—His leg burned until a six-square inch section of skin graft was necessary did not prevent John Kelly from making a 150-mile trip from Montana to Spokane under a box car. Kelly suffered the injury when his tent burned over him in a mining camp. Having no money, he boarded the first freight and made the perilous trip in spite of the terrible burn. Kelly is recovering rapidly, following an operation.

LONG WAIL FROM THE SEA

With Satire as Accompaniment on the Dock Problem

Quincy, Dec. 16, 1912.

Editor Daily Ledger:

The all-absorbing topic is the Municipal dock proposition, with water front development a secondary consideration.

Should this project succeed in making headway, as those proposing it intend, it would not be surprising if it absorbed everything in sight, particularly city treasury assets of golden hue.

Papa is rich! Why consider this feature of the proposition? Simply ponder on the tremendous earning power, indefinite perhaps, nevertheless still glaringly promising!

It is claimed that the city's commercial importance will be suddenly and materially advanced. There is compensation in that.

Why allow an initial payment, in amount only one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) of tax payers' money to interfere with this stupendous and enterprising programme?

Deserving mention at this time is another practical proposition; one which is being frequently considered and debated by the honorable council. This is the order to widen and improve Sea street, boulevard incomplete.

This order calls for an appropriation of ($8,000) eight thousand dollars. Although it has been pending only a few years, it is now so far advanced that at each council meeting it is taken from the table, seriously deliberated, and then returned to its old haunts; that is again "laid upon the table," there to dwell in serene repose until such time as a two thirds vote may be recorded in its favor to speed it joyfully on its way.

What is the condition of Sea street, boulevard incomplete, meanwhile? Does it glorify the famed city of Quincy? Has the sentiment for a more "Beautiful Quincy" wholly vanished?

Respectfully submitted, gentlemen, for your sensible consideration.

M. J. Connors.

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HEPTASOPH MAN GAINS

Adds 775 Votes and Passes Fred Kessler

SAM SHELLMAN MOVES UP

The biggest gain in the Washington contest today is made by A. R. MacKay, the Heptasoph candidate, who adds 775 votes and passes Fred J. Kessler.

Sam Shellman, the tonsorial artist also made a good gain, and has moved up two places in the contest. Mrs. Annie Lamont now has four figures in her total. Fred Williams and Galen Bowditch continue to gain, also Dan Scouler, Helen King, F. J. Hamel, Walter A. Pendis, J. F. Hyland George Powers, J. McCullough and others.

There is another new candidate today—T. F. Flaherty of Currier's market, who starts modestly with 25.

THE WHITE HOUSE.

The winners of the Daily Ledger contest who go to Washington may see two Presidents at the White House, President Taft on March 3 and President Wilson on March 5. The White House is of stately simplicity. It is constructed of Virginia freestone. The site was selected by President Washington who laid the corner stone, Oct. 13, 1792. But President and Mrs. John Adams of Quincy, Massachusetts, were the first occupants of the White House in 1800. During the term of President Madison in 1814 the house was fired by the marrauding British troop, and only the walls left standing. With the restoration the stone was painted white to obliterate the marks of fire, and outside of official usage it is as the "White House" that the Executive Mansion is universally known.

Candidates in forwarding votes are requested to mark on the package the number of votes, so that the Contest Editor may verify his count.

A prize certificate good for 300 votes will be awarded as a Christmas present at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 23, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 16-23. Remember, for the "biggest gain." It is subscription certificates good for 1000 votes each that the candidates should strive to obtain. They count big.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	17040
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	10060
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	2570
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	1685
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St	1170
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1000
Galen Bowditch, messenger	380
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Sam Shellman, Granite street	290
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	255
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Richard Larkin, High school	120
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	95
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	75
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	70
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
Elizabeth Ross, Eastern Star	65
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	60
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
George Powers, Fore River	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
B. L. Smith, Fore River	55
William Kelley, conductor	50
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
J. McCullough, shipyard	40
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
Walter Mead, High school	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	30
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	25
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	25
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	25
Clara Stoddard, S. of V. Aux.	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
William Allen, Eagles	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
John Evans, Progressive	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

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PUSHING DYNAMITE CASE

Thirty-One of the Defendants Have Testified Thus Far

Indianapolis, Dec. 17.—The trial of the fourteen men accused of complicity in the McNamara dynamite plots, which has been in session here for almost three months, and in preparation by the government for more than a year, is said by both sides to be nearing an end.

Thirty-one of the defendants have testified in their own behalf, denying the charges of illegal transportation of explosives. Some of the remaining ten defendants are not to take the stand.

When the defense's counsel stated it could not finish with a witness before the regular adjournment yesterday Judge Anderson said:

"Continue right on. I am going to lengthen the hours. We must finish this case."

☞Can you think of a better Christmas present to give your family than a year's subscription to the Quincy Daily Ledger? Just think of it, when you subscribe for the Ledger it means pleasure for you each day of the coming year and only costs $5.00. Start the year right, don't go to bed during 1913 until you have read the newsy little "home daily." tf

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Dec. 14-9t

FORESTERS BUSY NIGHT

St. Ambrose Court Elect Officers and Transact Other Business

The annual meeting of St. Ambrose court of Lady Foresters was held Monday evening and these officers elected:—

Chief Ranger — Mrs. Catherine O'Brien.

Vice Chief Ranger,—Mrs. Catherine Martin.

Recording Secretary—Miss Susie Pickering.

Financial Secretary—Miss Mary Pickering.

Treasurer—Mrs. Annie G. Watson.

Senior Conductress—Mrs. Georgianna O'Brien.

Junior Conductress—Miss Elizabeth Farrell.

Inside Sentinel—Mrs. Mary O'Dowd.

Outside Sentinel—Mrs. Annabel McDonald.

Physician—Dr. John H. Ash.

Trustees—Mrs. Ernest Bizzozera, Mrs. Eugene Shyne, Mrs. Michael Reardon.

Delegates to State Convention—Mrs. Alice T. Ash, Mrs. Mary D. Mahoney.

Alternates, Mrs. Agnes Reardon, Miss Katherine Shea.

The officers will be installed in St. Joseph's hall, Crescent street, Monday evening, January 6.

—It seems very likely that the cause of Woman Suffrage in Massachusetts will win out very shortly. To amend the constitution allowing this, it is necessary that the state legislature vote favorably for two successive years, after which the matter is submitted to the voters for a referendum vote and a majority vote in favor is all that is necessary. As all three of the big political party's platforms were in favor of passing it along to the people as soon as possible it seems inevitable that the coming legislatures will vote favorably, so as to allow the people to pass upon it. It is possible, therefore, that the women may be voting within three years, and let us hope they will be.—Framingham News.

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DOUBLE TRACK WANTED AT NECK

Associates to Meet and Stir Up Street Railway Co.

TO KEEP THEIR PROMISE

A mass meeting of the Houghs Neck Associates is called for next Friday evening to take action on the matter of the double tracking of Sea street by the Street Railway Co., from City Square to a point near the Hose house at the corner of Babcock and Sea streets.

A petition that the street railway double track this section was presented to the Railroad Commissioners late in the summer and on Sept 15, a hearing was held on the petition. At that time the street railway company asked for a continuance, promising that it would make a report soon after the Brockton fair, and in time for the Railroad Commissioners to report on the question in its annual report.

According to the Houghs Neck Associates who are back of the original petition the railway company has not as yet made any report and the mass meeting called for Friday evening is for the purpose of stirring up the street railway and taking action that will bring the question to a head.

MRS. O'CONNELL CHIEF RANGER

Elected Head of the Irish National Foresters

The Irish National Foresters Benefit Society held their annual election of officers at Hibernian hall Monday evening. It was voted to hold a joint installation with the men's branch on Jan. 7 at Hibernian hall. The following officers were chosen:

Chief Ranger—Mrs. Ellen O'Connell.

Sub Chief Ranger—Miss Alice M. O'Brien

Financial Secretary—Miss Agnes Colligan.

Recording Secretary—Miss Mary Byron.

Treasurer—Miss Mary Collins.

Beadle—Miss Mary Roche.

Outside Beadle—Miss Madge Donahue.

Sentinels— Miss Helen Reveney, Miss Mary Sheehan.

Physician—Dr. George M. Sheehan.

A committee on the joint installation was chosen as follows: Chief Ranger, Miss Mary Costello, Miss Catherine Barry, Mrs. Michael Griffin.

WHIST AT HOUGHS NECK.

A very enjoyable whist party was held Monday evening at Houghs Neck under the auspices of the Ladies Associates. The trophies for the best scores were awarded to the following. Mr. and Mrs. P. S. O'Brien, Michael Coughlin, Mrs. McGiviney, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Winnett, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. French, Mrs. Buchanan and Mrs. Dr. Ferris.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Anna O. Ohlsson to Eugene B. Hamilton dated Oct. 25, 1911, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1195, Page 415, will be sold at public auction for breach of conditions contained therein on the premises hereinafter described on Wednesday the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by the said mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows, viz: a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Quincy, Mass., called Wollaston, being lot numbered twenty-three (23) on a plan called "Milton Terrace" Wollaston, Mass., dated Feb. 1909, Ernest W. Branch C. E. and recorded with said Deeds, at the end of Book 1113, and is bounded Southeasterly by Eddie Street fifty (50) feet, Northeasterly by lot numbered twenty-two (22) on said plan seventy-five (75) feet; Northwesterly by lot numbered twenty-eight (28) on said plan fifty (50) feet; Southwesterly by lot numbered twenty-four (24) on said plan seventy-five (75) feet. Containing 3750 square feet of land more or less according to said plan. Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments if any there be. Terms made known at time and place of sale.

For further particulars inquire of the undersigned at 805 Old South Bldg., Boston, Mass.

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HICKEY CALM AT HIS TRIAL

Insanity will be the Defense of the Boy Murderer

DELAY REFUSED BY COURT

The trial of J. Frank Hickey, formerly of Quincy on the charge of murdering Joseph Joseph, the 7-year-old son of George Joseph of Lackawanna, began before Justice Charles H. Brown in the Supreme Court at Buffalo, N. Y., Monday.

Three jurors had been selected when court adjourned for the day, and it is the belief of Dist. Atty. Wesley C. Dudley that the jury will be completed before tonight.

Insanity will be the plea advanced to save Hickey from the electric chair. The first movement by Daniel V. Murphy, assigned by the court to defend the confessed murderer, was to ask for a postponement of the trial. He read an affidavit by Dr. Herman S. Matzingeer of Buffalo that Hickey is insane now andw as insane when he killed the Joseph boy and Michael Kruck, the New York newsboy.

Mr. Murphy said he wished to take evidence in Boston and Whiting, N. J. by commission, and that he would prove that Hickey twice attempted suicide. Justice Brown declined to grant the postponement, however, and ordered the drawing of talesmen to proceed.

Hickey, who was brought into the courtroom surrounded by the sheriff and five deputies, watched the proceedings calmly and several times conferred with his attorney .

NEW THEATRE

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The plot revolves around the effects of a divorce, how a father refuses to love his daughter because he had divorced her mother after a spectacular career and the way the parent love asserts itself when brought face to face with the conditions of seeing his child reared by an old pal who had seen the game of life with him and knew what the outcome of the girls life would be if he allowed her to follow the stage where she was already appearing. The story is gripping, the acting is perfect and the setting is picturesque.

The stage is 36 by 30 feet and is thoroughly equipped. The curtain is 36 by 27 and does not roll. An asbestos curtain divides the stage from the house. With eight dressing rooms nearly complete and all conveniences performers will have no occasion to complain.

The switch board is 72 inches wide and is nearly as large as that distributing the current in the Majestic theatre. Over 500 lights are used in the stage effects.

The scenery was furnished by the Ben Craig Scenery Co., and they are now preparing a drop with a Quincy scene. The olio curtain is a Geneva scene and was chosen by Mrs. Henry H. Kitson.

Music during the entire show is furnished by a ladies orchestra of which Miss Helen Qualey of Braintree is director.

The foyer is spacious and according to Inspector McKeever "one is in the theatre and still on the street." There are two balcony entrances and four side exits. Ventilation is furnished by two five feet fans which are set in the wall. The air passes over a steam heated chamber and into the theatre. It is forced out through an exhaust set in the balcony.

On the first floor will be a gents room which will be furnished in mission furniture and a ladies room which will be furnished in rattan. The manager's office will be furnished in oak. Two check rooms are set near the exits in case of need.

The manager is Capt. George A. Wardwell and P. J. Barry is stage manager. Miss Annie McLeod is ticket seller and Georgo Tanner is ticket taker. The head usher is George Lavelle.

The ushers are Everett Johnson, Robert Allen, Bryan Donahue, Kenneth Ward, Walter Welsford, Edward Binder, Roland Estey and Alvah Innis. George Cole of Weymouth is the moving picture machine operator.

The ushers and floor officials wear handsome blue uniforms with brass buttons. Four attend to the floor and four to the balcony.

Performances commence at two and 7.45 o'clock each day and the program changes Monday and Thursdays.

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CRANE REPORTS ON CONVENTION

Submits a Resume of Waterways Legislation

THAT IS QUITE INTERESTING

The report of Frank Fesserden Crane Commissioner of Water Front, Waterways and Navigation.

To His Honor, Mayor Eugene R. Stone

Dear Sir:— Acting under your appointment as delegate to the National Rivers and Harbors Congress at Washington, D. C., December 4th, 5th, and 6th, I beg to report as follows:

Under the old method of an appropriation of approximately twenty million dollars, every alternate year for all the Rivers and Harbors of the United States, waterway improvement was naturally slow, and owing to the inadequate supervision of projects, unworthy matters occasionally received large appropriations, which brought disfavor on River and Harbors Bill.

Realizing that one of the great economic questions of the present day was that of transportation, The National Rivers and Harbors Congress was organzed nine years ago under the able leadership of Senator Elect Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana to educate the people of the United States to a policy of improving the transportation facilities of the whole country by a systematic plan of waterway improvement under Government supervision. No projects to be allowed in Rivers and Harbors Bill that were not surveyed by the District Officer's staff and reported on favorably by him and also approved by the Board of U. S. Engineers at Washington.

The slogan of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress was A Policy and not a Project and its work has been the collection, preparation, and presentation to the Congress of the United States of such facts and statistics as will lead that body to make annual appropriations of not less than fifty millions for all the rivers and harbors of the whole country. This amount would enable all meritorious work to go on by a continuing contract system, and all unworthy projects would be eliminated by the supervision of the U. S. Engineers. While the Congress has not absolutely reached the fifty million mark, it has increased the ordinary appropriations about one hundred and fifteen million dollars since its organization and has brought about an annual River and Harbors Bill.

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GO HOME FOR CHRISTMAS.

The public schools of the city will close Wednesday noon for the Christmas holidays. Many of the teachers in the public schools do not claim Quincy as their home and as the schools will not reopen until the last Monday in December they will have an opportunity to spend the holiday in their own home. That they may not go home empty handed the City Treasurer will pay them their salary for the month of December, Wednesday and it is quite a neat little sum that is required for that purpose. In fact, it will make $6,000 look sick.

DIED IN BRAINTREE.

Mrs. Helen van Vloten, wife of Jacob van Vloten, died at her home in Quincy avenue, East Braintree, Saturday. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, burial being in the Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

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EXTRA TEAM FOR GREENERY

Properly and Men Located After Long Chase

NO COMPLAINT MADE

The Quincy police department figured in a sensational chase Monday evening, the route being from Atlantic to North Weymouth where they captured and turned over to office r Nash two men who gave their names as Dave Howard of Scituate and William Smith of South Boston. They were booked on the charge of drunkenness and in court this morning were also charged with the larceny of a buggy from the stable of Phillip Prescott of 59 Walnut street of Neponset.

A telephone from Mr. Prescott to the Quincy police station advised Sargeant Bishop of the theft and he understood the stable to be on Walnut street, Atlantic. Officers Cahill and Halloran were sent down in the auto and after a search failed to locate the property.

While returning to Quincy they met Mr. Prescott near Madison avenue and Hancock street. They picked him up and through inquiry learned the direction in which the men had gone. They followed along Washington street to the Fore River bridge. From there they saw a team ahead with a buggy trailing in its rear. They caught up with the men and held them for the Weymouth officer.

The men said they were on their way to Norwell for Christmas greenery and wanted an extra wagon.

BRIEFS

The joint Committees on Finance and Ordinances meet Thursday evening.

The St. John's Dramatic Club will hold the first rehearsal of "Down in Dixie" at their rooms tonight.

Installation of the officers of Wollaston Masonic lodge tonight by William H. H. Soul, Past Grand Master.

Burr Nichols of Gay street has passed the civil service examination and will immediately work for "Uncle Sam."

Miss M. Lizzie Furnald was taken to the City Hospital Monday evening to undergo a slight operation. Her many friends hope to see her out again soon.

It is worth a visit to D. E. Wadsworth & Co's. to see the unique Christmas decorations. Dainty white trellis work over which is twined pine boughs and red berries. The decorations were designed by David Curtin.

LECTURED ON IMMIGRATION.

George W. Duncklee, Field Secretary of the North American Civic League for Immigrants gave an illustrated lecture Monday evening to the Laymen's club of Christ church in the vestry. He spoke on "Immigration and the Work of the League," pointing out the connection between both, the assistance rendered and the good work accomplished through its efficient and interested members. A large attendance of men was present.

COLONIALS ELECT OFFICERS.

At a meeting of the Colonial Athletic club of West Quincy, Sunday, December 15, the following officers were elected:—

President—C. J. Patriarca.
Vice President—Oswald D. Shea.
Treasurer—Frank L. McPherson.
Secretary—James A. Doyle.
Manager—William R. MacDonald.

Preparations are already under way for the first dance of the Club, Easter Monday, in Alpha hall, the proceeds to be used to defray the expenses of a baseball team next year. This club made an enviable record on the diamond the past three years and the name is familiar to all the baseball fans of the city.

DISTRICT COURT.

William Smith and David O. Warner were fined $15 each for drunkenness at Weymouth. Sentences suspended until July 9.

Lawrence Sullivan was fined $10 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Wilmot E. Raymond was fined $25 for creating a disturbance on a street car at Weymouth.

Bennet Cohen was arraigned for operating an automobile without a license at Milton. Case continued until Dec. 23.

John J. Sullivan was fined $3 costs for drunkenness at Quincy.

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RECORDS WENT BY THE BOARD

Bowlers in Fine Fettle Make Pins Fly

NEW TOTAL OF 1428

Records were smashed in the Fore River League matches at the Coliseum alleys Monday evening. Scores were high and during the past month a very noticeable improvement in rolling has been observed among the players.

Bliss of the Pipefitters made high single of 133 and smashed the existing record of 130 which Tirrell of the Machinists Floor held.

The Shipfitters, leaders of the league made the new mark for team totals of 1428 which has been held by the Yard at 1426.

Kiley of the Yard made high total of 319.

The Shipfitters beat the Yard 4 to 0; the Pipefitters beat the Electricians 3 to 1 and the Machinists Floor easily beat the Hull Draftsmen 3 to 1.

The Bachelors and Benedicts of Wollaston rolled, the former winning 3 to 1. Bachelor Tabb made 103 for high single and 283 for high total. The scores:—

MACHINISTS FLOOR

	1	2	3	Totals
Carlson	95	103	79	277
Stevens	83	95	83	261
Annelius	92	112	81	285
Moran	103	85	103	291
Tirrell	95	95	97	290
Totals	468	493	443	1404

HULL DRAFTSMEN.

Bohlken	77	83	95	255
Butler	74	85	84	243
Ryan	95	90	85	270
Fromm	79	85	91	255
Olsen	77	76	91	244
Totals	402	419	446	1267

SHIPFITTERS.

Feilds	95	88	83	266
Hansen	98	105	83	286
Smith	107	104	106	317
Burke	111	88	93	292
Hynes	81	89	97	267
Totals	492	474	462	1428

YARD

White	72	79	85	236
Anthony	100	93	79	272
Craig	92	84	86	262
Kiley	104	106	109	319
Smith	109	90	84	283
Totals	477	452	443	1372

PIPEFITTERS.

Kateon	119	90	104	313
Hough	91	74	86	251
Blake	74	90	86	250
Smith	68	81	75	224
Bliss	87	86	133	306
Totals	439	421	484	1344

ELECTRICIANS.

Lincoln	66	84	82	232
Smith	72	81	85	238
Porter	71	98	107	276
Malinati	70	112	89	271
Stewart	78	75	101	254
Totals	357	450	464	1271

BACHELORS OF WOLLASTON.

Berry	84	79	69	232
Cahill	82	79	73	234
Tripp	78	72	87	237
Tabb	94	86	103	283
Totals	338	316	332	986

BENEDICTS OF WOLLASTON.

Rich	86	87	71	244
De Coste	73	91	69	233
Shea	79	90	76	245
Robertson	69	76	81	226
Totals	307	344	297	948

BASKET BALL LEAGUE SURE

Quincy will Have a Strong Team in the Running

The N. E. A. A. A. U. basket-ball committee met in the rooms of the St. Joseph T. A. Society on Cambridge street, West End, Monday evening and elected William McVicar, secretary of the committee. The following teams were represented and have filed their applications for membership in the league; St. Joseph's, St. Mary's of the North End, Quincy A. A., Crowell Five of the South End, Cunningham Gymnasium, North Dorchester A. A., Fitton A. C., of East Boston and St. Alphonus of Roxbury.

It was decided to leave the membership list open until next Monday night when the applications will be acted upon and the schedule drawn up. The applications for referees was also left over until next meeting.

CLEAN PLAY BY BOTH TEAMS

Not a Foul Called on Sullivan or Clapp Teams

Sullivan Academy defeated Clapp Memorial five in the Clapp Gym at East Weymouth, Monday evening, 34 to 26. Not a foul was called on either side. The summary:

Sullivan Academy		Clapp Memorial
Nolan rf		lb J. Curtin
		rb Studley
Ahlstedt lf		rb Warren
Loring lf		rb Fitzgerald
Sheehy c		c Bumpus
Loring rb		lf R. Curtin
Shannahan rb		
Looney lb		rf Schutz

Score, Sullivan Academy 34, Clapp Memorial 26. Goals from floor, Nolan 2, Loring 2, Ahlstedt 4, Sheehy 6, Shanahan, Looney 2, J. Curtin 6, Bumpus 5, Schutz 2. Referee, Fabyan. Umpire, Pratt. Scorer, Fraher. Timer, Flannery. Time 20m periods.

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HOUGHS NECK—Capt. Fosdick's.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Wednesday rain followed by clearing. Thursday fair.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.09
Sun sets	4.14
Length of day	9.05
Moon sets	12.58
High water, A. M.	6.00
High water, P. M.	6.30

Days decrease 6 hours 12 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	40 degrees
Dec. 17, 1911,	39 degrees
Dec. 17, 1910,	31 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

Fragment society First church will not meet tomorrow, the regular monthly meeting for December being omitted.

The central station combination wagon was called to near the corner of Palmer street Sunday afternoon on a still alarm for a grass fire.

The Dramatic club of the Atlantic Memorial church repeats the drama, "Pa's New Housekeeper," at a social in Bethany church, this evening.

Probation Officer Fahey attended the meeting of the Boston Society of Jewish women at Boston Saturday. The probation system was discussed.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Mrs. E. E Jameson and Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann are to give a dancing party for the younger set at Alpha hall, Monday night, Dec. 23. The matrons will be Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur, Mrs. William Doble, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Russell A. Sears.

BURIED IN HINGHAM.

The funeral of Bela Remington took place from the home of his daughter Mrs. James E. Conrad of 654 Washington street Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. A. M. Thompson of the United Presbyterian church. Burial was in the Fort Hill cemetery, Hingham. The deceased lived to the ripe age of four score nine and was a long time resident of Hingham, having recently come to live here.

MRS. LEE BURIED.

The funeral of Mrs. Jessie Lee took place from her late home, 29 Thompson street, Saturday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. C. P. Marshall, a former pastor of the Washington Street Congregational church and now of the Church of the Pilgrimage at Plymouth. He was assisted by Rev. C. S. Bates of South Ashburnham. A choir from the church rendered music during the service. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

OPERA IS MODIFIED

Salome Scene Is Slashed With Blue Pencil by Chicago Censor

Chicago, Dec. 17.—It was a modified "Heroidade" which the Chicago Grand Opera company presented last night for the first time in this city.

The blue pencil was used ruthlessly in the last scene, in which John the Baptist succumbs to the charms of Salome. This scene aroused a storm of protest in New York, profiting by which, and Mary Garden's recent experience as "La Tosca" in Boston, where her realism nearly cost the theatre its license, Director Dippel decided to run no risk of offending Chicagoans.

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OFFICERS TAKE UP THEIR WORK

Young Hebrew Society Engaged in Worthy Enterprise

The installation of officers of the Young Men's Hebrew Association took place at the regular meeting Sunday afternoon at the club rooms on Water street. Committees were chosen to develop the principals of the organization and a movement to establish a fund, with the view of building a clubhouse was left to a committee following much favorable discussion.

The officers were installed by Isadore Abrams, Esq., assisted by Joseph Szathmary, Samuel Kadets and Edward Berman. They are as follows:

President—Sidney Litchman.
Vice President—William Asnes.
Treasurer—Max Cutler.
Secretary—Joseph B. Grossman.
Custodian—Judah Smith.
Trustees—Louis Sherad, Percy Schwartz.

Following reports by the retiring officers the following committees were chosen.

Educational committee— Edward Berman chairman, H. Philip Levowitch, Joseph Szathmary, Isadore Abrams.

Membership committee — William Asnes, chairman; Joseph Halter, Joseph Szathmary.

Athletic committee—Judah Smith, chairman; William Wolf, Henry Yaeger.

Entertainment committee — Joseph B. Grossman chairman; Samuel Kadets, Samuel Grabowski.

House committee—Judah Smith chairman; Sidney Grossman, H. Yaeger.

The educational committee will immediately commence arranging for a series of lectures and debates and assist those who require teaching in the rudements of the English language. The first class will be held on Thursday evening.

The building committee consists of Samuel Kadets, Joseph Szathmary, Isidore Abrams, Henry Litchman, Joseph B. Grossman, William Wolf and Edward Berman.

RED CROSS SEALS PROVIDE FRIENDS IN NEED.

A large, rugged-looking man stopped before a Red Cross Seal booth and looked at the display of seals with more than usual interest.

"And those will help the folks that are suffering with consumption?" he asked. He was told that was the idea.

"Then," he said, reaching down in his pocket, "here's where I get some seals. My wife," he explained, "died the year after we were married. She died of consumption. We were so



happy, and I had done everything I could for her, but I didn't have much money then, and times were hard. I lost my job, too, because I got to work so late. You see, I had the housework to do, and that took a lot of time, and they docked and finally fired me. I couldn't blame the company, but it was pretty hard. Right in the dead of Winter, too! I could not get her the things I would have liked to, and there was no one to help me. Not a soul, for I was a stranger in a strange city, and so was my wife. She died in the Spring," he added, as a tear trickled down his face. "And now I'm going to buy some of these seals so some other poor fellow can get help if he needs it like I needed it." And he did.

CHARGES AGAINST LAWYER

Boston Bar Association Files Petition For Vahey's Removal

Boston, Dec. 17.—The removal from office as a practising attorney of Thomas F. Vahey is sought by a petition filed in the superior court by the Bar association of the city of Boston. It is alleged he gave checks on banks in which he had no money and settled claims for clients and did not turn the money over to them.

The petition for his removal sets forth that he is not of good moral character, and that he is guilty of deceit, of malpractice and of gross misconduct.

COM. CRANE'S REPORT

(Continued from Page Three.)

The Convention this year was a most notable one; the attendance unusually large and nearly every state was represented. President Taft, in making the opening speech, advocated the expenditure of fifty million dollars at once on the Mississippi Valley as the first and most important waterway project. It is needless to say that this sentiment did not meet with the approval of the Atlantic Coast Delegates.

Continuous work on reliable projects was one of the matters very strongly urged. All speakers emphasized the fact that when meritorious projects were begun they should be carried forward to completion that the people might enjoy the benefit.

The issuing of Bonds for the improvement of waterways did not meet with favor, it being the general sentiment that if the annual appropriations were kept up to the limit of approximately fifty million, the work could be carried on promptly and in a sane and reliable manner, that would command the approbation of all the people of the United States.

The building of Municipal Terminals that would ensure a ready, easy and economical transfer of freight from one to the other was strongly advocated and advised.

The making of laws to insure the liberty of the shipper to have untrammelled choice of routing shipments by rail or part rail and part water wherever available, was urged.

Municipal Water Terminals owned and operated by cities for the use of all transportation received great support and was strongly advocated.

Investigation by the Attorney General and the Interstate Commerce Commission where there was alleged destruction of water competing lines by the railroads was advised and was incorporated in the resolutions of the Convention.

The Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, which has among its members many of Quincy's most prominent citizens created the sensation of the Convention when its President, Congressman J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania in accordance with a vote passed by the members present at the Convention from his Association, sounded a warning note. Mr. Moore rising to second the adoption of the report of Committee on Resolutions said that he was instructed by his Association to say that all improvements for Rivers and Harbors must be based, as in the past, on the elements of commerce and transportation, and the needs and possibilities of the same; and that conservation and reclamation of lands must not be considered as an item to secure appropriations in the Rivers and Harbors Bill, but must be considered separately.

The delegation from Massachusetts did not appear before the Rivers and Harbors Committee and advocate any projects. The Mississippi delegation appeared before the Rivers and Harbors Committee and stated that the agricultural districts of the Mississippi had put up sixty million dollars for levees and asked for an appropriation of two dollars by the United States Government for every one put up by the tax payers along the river. They stated that the Government had only put up twenty six million for this purpose.

Kansas City appeared and asked for two million, one hundred thousand to deepen the Missouri from Kansas City to its mouth, and for three million dollars to deepen the Missouri between Sioux City and Kansas City.

The Oregon delegation asked for more money for the Columbia River and Portland Harbor and one million, thirty-two thousand was asked for a breakwater around Indiana Harbor on Lake Michigan.

The western people believe in the text "Ask and ye shall receive," and it is about time that the people of the North Atlantic Seaboard considered, "Go thou and do likewise."

There was a large and imposing delegation from Massachusetts, Mayors of five cities, delegates from the Port Directors, Harbor and Land Commission, Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange and Chamber of Commerce; also several men representing the State by order of the Governor.

The Quincy delegate was especially honored, being one of the six to escort the President to the hall and platform and was re-appointed Director of the North Atlantic Seaboard.

Respectfully submitted,
Frank Fessenden Crane.
Commissioner Water Front, Waterways and Navigation.

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WILSON STAYS UNTIL MARCH

Will Hold Down Job as Governor of New Jersey

MUCH WORK IS BEFORE HIM

Will Clear Away Accumulated Detail of State Office Before Taking Up Business In Connection With Presidency—Has Not Mentioned Single Name as Possibility For Cabinet

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 17.—After a month's leisure and recreation in the Bermuda islands, Woodrow Wilson returned home last night and took up in earnest the many tasks that confront him in his dual role as governor of New Jersey and President-elect of the United States.

Thousands of letters awaited Wilson's arrival, and though most of them concerned his national administration, the president-elect made it clear that he was still governor and intended to devote his energies to state business.

Mr. Wilson said he would defer office-filling and announcements concerning his administration until after he had cleared away the accumulated detail of his New Jersey office.

Mr. Wilson will remain governor of the state probably until about March 1, only a few days before he must go to Washington. This is because he wishes to finish his program of legislation pending in the state legislature which convenes Jan. 14.

With respect to his cabinet, Wilson said he had not made any final selections. At no time in his conversations with the correspondents who have been traveling with him constantly, has he mentioned the name of a single individual as a possibility for his cabinet.

Mr. Wilson said he realized that before deciding upon the personnel of his cabinet, he would have to determine just what type of cabinet he would form. He recognizes two types from a review of the manner in which his predecessors have met this question.

One type is the political cabinet constructed from party material that must, in a sense, be rewarded in order to preserve party harmony. The other is characterized by Wilson as the personal cabinet, made up of men whose business fitness is known to him personally and on whose judgment he would like to lean.

Carefully steering the correspondents away from all questions of personnel, Wilson also declined to say which type of cabinet he now prefers. He said he had written some years ago a magazine article criticizing Mr. Cleveland's cabinets, but he had not specifically asked Cleveland which type he had found the more desirable.

M'FAWN HELD IN $5000

Former Cashier Has Sympathy of Wife Whom He Deserted

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 17.—Robert H. McFawn, former paymaster, bookkeeper and cashier for the Derby Desk company, who was arrested on charges of stealing $10,140 of the firm's money, was arraigned in the district court and the case was continued by request of counsel until Thursday. McFawn was held in $5000 bonds.

Mrs. McFawn, the wife whom he deserted for another woman, the police said, was in court. She talked frequently with the accused paymaster. It was apparent she is now determined to help her husband all she can. She declared whatever might have come in the past between them she would do all in her power to save him.

GLASSMAN LOSES HIS SUIT

Claimed Miss Rickless, Who Was "Kissless," Had Broken Troth

Boston, Dec. 17.—The "kissless, hugless heart balm" suit, brought by Harry Glassman of Plymouth against Miss Rebecca Rickless of Lynn, was won by the young woman, a jury in the Suffolk superior court returning a verdict for her. The jury was out an hour and a quarter.

Glassman sued for $2000, claiming Miss Rickless had broken her troth. Glassman testified he had never hugged or kissed the young woman. He said she was his first sweetheart.

Miss Rickless is to be marred to Maurice Friedman of Lynn Dec. 24.

Chauffeur's Unlucky Night

Willimantic, Conn., Dec. 17.—Hurrying to a hospital with 10-year-old Fred Hedin, whom he had struck with his automobile, Clinton C. Rood, a chauffeur, last night struck 14-year-old Armand Hurtau. Rood took both boys to the hospital in his automobile. Little hope is entertained for their recovery.

Patrolman Kills Police Chief

Riverside, Cal., Dec. 17.—Patrolman Bert Barrett shot and killed Chief of Police John Baird at police headquarters during a quarrel. They were rival candidates for chief of police.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

HOLIDAY FRUIT PUDDINGS.

INSTEAD of plum pudding some families find a simpler and more digestible sweet desirable as a finish for the Christmas feast, which is heavy enough without a rich pudding.

In families where there are small folks it is so often advisable to omit the plum pudding that the following recipes may be useful in suggesting desserts that will be like yet not so rich as the English plum pudding:

Inviting Pastries.

Baked Cranberry Pudding.—Take two well beaten eggs, a cupful each of sugar and milk and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Beat these together, first combining the sugar and butter, and add to this three cupfuls of flour and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder which have been sifted together. Wash and drain a cup and a half of nice, firm cranberries and stir these into the batter. Butter a pudding dish, pour the batter into it and bake in a moderate oven. Serve with whipped cream or cranberry sauce.

Fig Pudding.—Fig pudding is sometimes served for Christmas dinner in the place of plum pudding and is made of one cupful of molasses, one cupful of chopped suet, one cupful of milk, three and one-quarter cupfuls of flour, two eggs, one teaspoonful of soda, one of cinnamon, one-half a teaspoonful of nutmeg, one pint of figs. Mix together the molasses, suet, spices and the figs cut fine. Dissolve the soda with a tablespoonful of hot water and mix with the milk. Add the other ingredients. Beat the eggs light and stir into the mixture. Add the flour and beat thoroughly. Butter two small or one large mold, turn the mixture into the mold and steam five hours. Serve with a cream sauce.

Christmas Good Cheer.

Fruit Pudding.—Beat the yolks of five eggs, add a cup of sugar and beat again. Take half a pound of minced suet, of ground nutmeg, cinnamon and cloves a teaspoonful each, two cupfuls of milk and a pint of flour. Have ready chopped two ounces of citron and a half pound of seeded raisins. To these add half a pound of cleaned currants and dredge all with flour. Stir the fruit slowly into the flour and last of all stir in the stiff whites of the five eggs. Turn all into a well greased pudding dish and bake in a uniformly heated oven for an hour and three-quarters.

FANCY ICES.

ICES make a delightful finish for the Christmas dinner, or they may be served in the evening at the dainty supper which in most households closes the day.

The ices may be placed in molds and pressed into some appropriate shape. If you have no mold plain white ice cream shaped into a ball and dressed with a spray of holly will make an attractive Christmas snowball.

The ices may be colored green with spinach juice, while red will be supplied by beet juice.

Chocolate ice cream or frozen plum pudding is lovely served on green blocks and dotted with pistachio nuts. Pink ices are pretty on green molds, and vanilla ice cream is served on pink ice and surmounted with pink flower candles.

Seasonable Delicacies.

Ginger Ice Cream.—Add to three pints of plain vanilla ice cream, just before it is thoroughly frozen, a cupful of preserved ginger chopped fine and powdered in a mortar. Mix it with three-fourths of a cupful of sherry wine, finish freezing and let stand for an hour before serving.

Cut or buy squares of angel food and trim them as nearly as possible into the shape of a ball. Dip them in thin white boiled icing and roll in shredded cocoanut. Serve the ices with these cakes.

Christmas Ice Cream.—Scoop out vanilla cream in one of the bell shaped dippers, which can be had for the same price as the cone shaped. Scatter crystallized sugar all over the mold and put a sprig of holly in the top, or pack in little red paper cases resembling flower pots and scatter grated sweet chocolate over the surface. Place a piece of feathery asparagus vine in the middle.

A Showy Dessert.

Frozen Plum Pudding.—Boil two cupfuls of milk with two ounces of grated chocolate. Pour it over eight egg yolks beaten with a cupful and a half of powdered sugar and cook to a stiff, smooth custard. When cold add one pint of cream, half a teaspoonful of ground cinnamon and a tiny pinch of cloves; strain into a freezer and freeze. Have three ounces each of chopped malaga raisins, figs, candied cherries and two ounces of crystallized apricots; add them to the frozen mixture and pack solidly in a pretty mold. Let remain buried in ice and salt for three hours. Unmold, decorate with holly and pour over each portion when served a warm maple nougat, which will candy deliciously on the frozen pudding.

Anna Thompson

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ITINERARY OF THE TOUR

Many are not aware what an attractive prize the Daily Ledger offers in its Washington trip. Just read the itinerary below and note the many extras which are included!

As already stated, the winner can select a companion to accompany him of her. It would make a good wedding trip for newly-weds, or for a couple who never took a bridal tour. It will be a personally conducted party, so that two ladies, or two gentlemen, would find all their comforts anticipated, and something doing all the time.

Here is the itinerary in brief:

Friday, Feb. 28,—Leave Boston at 6.00 P. M. by train for Fall River, connecting with one of the magnificent steamers of the Fall River line for New York. Stateroom provided.

Saturday, Mar. 1,—Breakfast on steamer is provided, and New York is reached at 7.20 A. M. The forenoon will be devoted to sight-seeing about the city. Luncheon provided at hotel. Leave New York at 2.00 P. M. via the Royal Blue line. Seats in parlor car included. Arrive Washington at 7.00 P. M. and transfer to a first class hotel, where rooms and meals will be provided for the stay at the National Capital.

In Washington until Thursday. Under direction of the conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4, is Inauguration Day. The inauguration of a President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle.

The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol building, in front of which take place the actual Inauguration ceremonies including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the chief justice of the Supreme court.

Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy, and Militia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson and down Pennsylvania avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage.

Tuesday evening the grand Inauguration ball is held in the immense Pension building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of the building is cleared for the event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine band, and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations, and of the officers of the Army and Navy, form a brilliant spectacle.

On Wednesday, Mar. 5, a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ church where Ellsworth was killed.

Thursday, Mar. 6.—Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included, and New York is reached at 2 P. M. Leave New York at 5 P. M. on Fall River Line steamer. State rooms assigned and evening dinner served.

Friday, Mar. 7,—Arrive Fall River at 5.30 A. M., connecting with train for Boston.

SUCCESSFUL SEASON CLOSED

Fore River Marked It by Defeating Newton

The Fore River Draftsmen wound up their 1912 season on Saturday, when they defeated Newton Centre, at Newton, by a score of 2 goals to nothing. The Draftsmen have had a very successful season, having won seven straight games, with 26 goals to their credit to 5 scored against them.

Saturday's game was a very enjoyable one and free from unpleasand episodes, the best of good feeling prevailing throughout. For the major portion of the first half, Newton had the better of the play, but the Draftsmen, though weak forward, were often dangerous. Their first goal come from the foot of Artis, who scored from full back. It was a fine kick, which the Newton goal keeper badly misjudged some time later. Laidlaw added the second and final goal and the game ended as above.

After the game, the Fore River men were entertained at supper by Manager J. C. Skelton of Newton Center, and Mrs Skelton; and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Manager Skelton is doing his best to build up a strong team in Newton.

The Fore River Draftsmen lined up as follows:

A. H. Price, goal; A. P. Artis and B. G. Barnes, backs; J. Hunter, R. Wilson and C. Bartlett, half backs; and R. L. Hendry, J. Preston, J. G. Laidlaw, J. McLay and W. Lambie forwards. Referee J. Wishart.

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GOOD WILL OF PEACE ENVOYS

Displayed at Meeting to Settle the Balkan Trouble

ADRIANOPLE COMES UP FIRST

Will Prove the Most Critical Point of Conclave—Vast Territory In European Turkey Is Asked by Allies—Chair to Be Taken Alternately by Delegates of Nations Concerned

London, Dec. 17.—The first meeting of the peace plenipotentiaries who are trying to solve the Balkan problem was permeated with good will and the desire to achieve success. The discussions were devoted solely to questions of procedure. The Turkish delegates, it is understood, agreed to forego their threatened opposition to Greek participation in the conference before the Greeks had signed the armistice.

The question of Adrianople is likely to be the first real business of the conclave and that will bring up the most critical point, for unless Turkey yields up the fortress to Bulgaria "war will recommence," according to Dr. S. Daneff, the head of the Bulgarian delegation.

The principal conditions of peace demanded by the allies comprise the immediate surrender of the Turkish fortresses of Scutari, Adrianople and Janina, to the garrisons of which full military honors will be granted; the evacuation of eastern Europe by Turkey as far as Tchataldja to a line to be delimited on the spot; the cession to Greece of all the Aegean islands; the annexation of Crete to Greece, and the payment by Turkey of a war indemnity and of the expenses incurred by the allies on account of the Turkish prisoners.

The allies in return are prepared to grant complete amnesty to the Mussulman population in the territories they have annexed for any acts of hostility during the war; the return of all prisoners; the recognition of the spiritual sovereignty of the sultan over Ottomans becoming subjects of the Balkan states, and the free administration by the Musssulmans of their pious foundations in the Balkans.

To these conditions has now been added the taking over by the Balkan states of that part of the Ottoman public debt corresponding to the territories which they annex, unless the powers controlling the Ottoman debt allow them to deduct that part from the war indemnity imposed upon Turkey, which would thus remain the only debtor.

It has been arranged that the chair shall be taken alternately by the delegates representing the five nations concerned, and this is to be done alphabetically. Bulgaria will thus be first and Turkey last.

LIPTON IN BOSTON

Talks Yachting and Booms Fitzgerald as Successor to Reid

Boston, Dec. 17.—Sir Thomas Lipton, on his arrival in Boston last night, declared for Mayor Fitzgerald as successor to the late Whitelaw Reid for ambassador to the court of St. James.

The yachtsman says Fitzgerald would be an acceptable choice for the English people, and knows of no better man to represent the people of America at the English court.

At the Copley-Plaza hotel Lipton first spoke of Fitzgerald's diplomacy. Then he launched into yachting.

Sir Thomas has entered his fifth Shamrock, yet to be built, in the San Francisco cup races to be held in 1915 under the auspices of the Panama exposition committee.

Cupid Captures Deputy Sheriff

Pontiac, Ills., Dec. 17.—Miss Irma Hill, who was famed as the only commissioned woman deputy sheriff in Illinois, has been captured by Cupid, and is now Mrs. A. R. Vogel.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

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Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays** 7.56 A. M., then same as week days **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same a week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and ever 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same a week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes t 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then sam as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (Wednesdays and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.25 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days

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Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

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r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	e	8 03 r
r 7 33	Exp	7 48	8 35	ca	8 52
r 7 42	ab	8 00	8 42	b	8 59
7 57	a	8 13	9 10	fedba	9 32 r
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4 04	a	4 20	4 12	fedcba	4 34 r
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			*11 07	a	11 25 r
			†11 10	fedcba	11 35 r
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SUNDAYS

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Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)-6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11 20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.24, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.28, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.25 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.10, 11.20 P. M, **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCHES

Topics and Announcements For Coming Week

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL.

A congregation which filled the church to its capacity listened to an inspiring sermon by pastor Rev. Dr. Sneath, the theme of his discouse being "Joseph the Husband of Mary." Dr. Sneath chose for his text Matthew 1-16 "And Jacob begat Joseph the husband of Mary of whom was born Jesus who is called Christ."

"In the olden time women were held in great subordination and were not supposed to come prominently before the public. They were expected to keep silence in the churches. A Rabbi was not expected to speak to a woman in the street. It was not so many years ago that in a record of church membership of one of our New England churches, the names of the male members only were given and then followed the words 'and thirty women.'

"And so we have in the geneology of Joseph a long line of male ancestry but no mention of woman until Mary of whom was born Jesus! How different in these modern times! Woman is now receiving the recognition which is her due. 30 or 40 years from now it is quite probable that items like this will appear in the local columns of the Quincy Ledger—'Joseph the husband of Mary Smith is seriously ill,' so rapidly are conditions changing.

"Interest in a noted personage always creates interest in his ancestry. We know but very little however about the ancestors of Joseph. We know that Joseph was a poor man extremely poor. He was a man of magnificent forth. Joseph was a man of piety, not shilly shally piety; he loved God and kept the Commandments of God. He was also a just man and a man of mercy.

"Our interest in Joseph is of course because of his connection with Jesus Christ. Our own lives are of true value and significance only as they are related to Jesus Christ. What would we know of Paul except for his relation to Jesus.

"There is a place for every humble life in the scheme of Divine Providence. For every one of us there is a mission in life. The universe is made up of stones and the universe would not be complete without each and every one of them. More and more are we known and remembered by our works. We need not be famous or prominent.

"Joseph fulfilled his function in life in a humble way by caring for the Child Jesus. Thomas Carlisle has testified to the influence of his humble mother on his own life by a beautifully worded tribute. Thomas Carlisle will move the hearts of men long after 20th century but what would Carlisle have been without that mother's influence, and the same motherly influence gave to the world John Knox and Dwight L. Moody. It is better to have the recording angel write well of your life than a newspaper editorial reciting your virtues."

At the opening of the morning service the pastor read a letter from Theophilus King announcing his gift to all the churches of Quincy in commemoration of his 68th birthday and the church voted to request the clerk to write a suitable letter of acknowledgement.

On next Sunday there will be held services appropriate to Christmas. Special music will be rendered by the Quartet and also by a chorus of male voices.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday was the 38th anniversary of the dedication of the Hall Place M. E. church. At the morning service the pastor said that as the anniversary of the church covered several dates no celebration would be held at this time but that the anniversary committee was planning a fitting celebration to be held probably some time in January.

In honor of the day however the same hymns as sung at the dedication were sung. The 122d Psalm used at the dedication service was also read and the text Mark 14-9. "Wheresoever this gospel shall be preached throughout the whole world, this also that she hath done shall be spoken of for a memorial of her." Mr. Martin preached from Isaiah 41: 6-7. "They helped every one his neighbor; and every one said to his brother, Be of good courage. So the carpenters encouraged the goldsmith and he that smootheth with the hammer him that smote the anvil saying, It is ready for the soldering: and he fastened it with nails that it should not be moved." The choir sang "Cast thy bread upon the waters" and the service closed with the singing of the Doxology and benediction.

At the evening service the pastor read a Christmas story.

Wednesday evening, George W. Penniman will lecture on "Picturesque America or from Plymouth Rock to the Golden Gate." One hundred beautiful views will be presented, the lantern being run by Mr. Adams.

Friday evening the choir will hold a rehearsal at the church.

Sunday services appropriate to Christmas will be held. In the morning there will be special music by the choir and appropriate sermon. In the evening a fine concert has been arranged by the Sunday school.

MEMORIAL CHURCH.

An advanced Christmas vesper service was held in Memorial church Sunday evening. The program was as follows:

Organ Voluntary
Miss Davison, organist
Processional
Anthem—"The Hush of Night Hath Fallen" W. R. Spence
Carol—"As Joseph was Awalking" G. L. Osgood
Anthem—"The Angel's Song" Ira B. Wilson
Response—"The Shepherd is the Lord, my God" Philip Greely
Address—By the pastor.
Anthem—"Angels from the Realm of Glory" W. H. Neidlinger
Recessional
Organ Postlude—by organist.

The service was in charge of Mr. Spencer Apollonio, directo. of the chorus.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

Rev. Carl G. Horst took as his text for the morning sermon Sunday, David's cry "O that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Bethlehem, that is at the gate!" Had he given in addition, a subject, it might have been the "Power and Value of Association." The discourse was given under three general heads; the home, the Bible and the church, each in its turn having attributed to it the distinctive features of its own peculiar influence for helpfulness. The far-reaching and consecrated love of the mother in the home was taken as the type of purest earthly affection, the memory of which renewed with each generation, keeps the heart tender and home-loving. The Bible was spoken of as the book of books, and its daily reading urged, not as a study, but as a source of inspiration—"better reading there is none to be had" declared the preacher; "than many of the old and familiar chapters of that wonderful legacy which has come to us from the past.

And our church edifices are to us places where we instinctively and involuntarily find ourselves in a mood receptive to those devotional and religious feelings which are fostered there as in no other place.

The Ladies' Aid Alliance meets Wednesday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock. A trio of ladies will sing appropriate Christmas music. A paper on "The spirit of Gift-giving" will be given by Mrs. E. T. Huntington. A complete report of the recent fair wil be given by the different chairmen, in charge of the tables and they will tell the different ways in which the money was earned. It was the most successful fair in the history of the Alliance.

The special selection by the young ladies' choir Sunday morning was greatly enjoyed by the congregation.

Large number from this church attended the tenth anniversary service of the Boston Federation of Young People's Religious Unions in the First Parish church, Eliot square, Roxbury, Sunday evening.

The Earnest Workers Lend-a-Hand club meets with Louise Emery, 22 Winthrop avenue, Tuesday, at 2 o'clock. Important business will be discussed and a full attendance is requested.

The Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters holds an apron and candy sale at Mrs. E. A. Sayward's, 253 Belmont stret, Tuesday afternoon.

The annual business meeting of the church will be held Monday evening, January 27th and its 25th anniversary will be observed Jan. 31 and Feb. 1-2.

The Social Service committee has engaged Mrs. Garlin Spencer of New York to lecture in the church, Jan. 7th.

The service, the music, the sermon, the decoration of the church and the chancel next Sunday will all be appropriate to Christmas. The Sunday school will hold a special Christmas service in the church, Sunday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock. Instead of an address a professional story teller will tell a Christmas story.

The Sunday school Christmas entertainment will be given in the vestry Monday evening, Dec. 23.

The Good Citizenship Forum meeting next Sunday, it being Christmas Sunday will be omitted. But the following Sunday the usual meeting will be held. The speaker will be Levi Turner, subject: Proportional Representation.

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CITY COUNCIL

(Continued from Page One.)

Solicitor were referred to the City Auditor.

Petitions were received from the N. E. T. & T. Co., for attachments on Crescent street, Newport avenue, Hollis avenue and Liberty street, and from the Q. E. L. & P. Co. for a relocation for poles on Old Colony avenue and Beale street. Granted.

The Committee on Fire Department reported an amendment to the order making an increase of five in the number of permanent firemen. The amendment reduces the number of call men by fifteen. Referred to the joint Committee on Finance and Ordinances.

The Committee on Fire Department reported reference to the next City Council on the order for a fire alarm box on South Walnut street. Accepted.

The Committee on Streets reported on the following matters:

Granting the New England Telephone Co., and Electric Light Co., a location for poles. Ordered to a second reading.

Reference to the next City Council on the petitions to accept Winthrop street and petitions for location for poles. Accepted.

Ought not to pass on the orders for resurfacing Franklin street, accepting Saville street across the railroad tracks and changing the grade of Palmer street. The order relative to Palmer street was recommitted and the remainder of the report was accepted.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported ought to pass on the order for $300 to purchase a lot of land near the Poor Farm. To Finance Committee.

An order for $1,000 to retube and repair boilers at the High school. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Committee on Fire Department reported ought to pass on the order for a fire alarm box at Montclair, referred to Finance Committee.

Ought to pass on making certain transfers in the appropriation for Fire Department, order adopted.

The following orders in the calendar took their second reading and were passed to be ordained by roll call without any opposition.

Appropriating $1,500 for Claims and Awards.

Appropriating $900 for garbage.

Establishing three fire districts and rules and regulations concerning the construction of buildings.

Increasing the salary of the City Solicitor from $1,400 to $1,600 per year. The order also provides that as clerk of the Finance Committee he shall receive $200 per year, making his salary practically $1,800.

Adjourned at 8.12 on motion of Councilman Sandberg until next Monday evening.

APPOINTMENT FINDS FAVOR

Alsburg Formally Named as Chief of Bureau of Chemistry

Washington, Dec. 17.—President Taft has directed Secretary Wilson to appoint Dr. Carl L. Alsberg, a chemist in the agricultural department, chief of the bureau of chemistry to succeed Dr. Harvye W. Wiley.

A real scientist and a capable administrator have been secured in the selection of Alsberg. This is the unanimous testimony of the scientists who for four years have watched his work as a chemical biologist in the bureau of plant industry, which position he now holds, and who testify that the scientific world generally accords him high rank as an original investigator.

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STOLE TOOLS FROM BUILDING

Carpenters Minus Implements From Buckingham Road Structure

Officer Whelan reported to police headquarters that sometime Monday morning a new house on Buckingham road was entered and carpenters tools taken. They were one 12 grade 22 inch saw, one 24 inch rip saw of 16 grade and marked letter K, and bearing the manufacturers mark of Henry Dusten & Son. The building is being erected by John E. Poland.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters addressed to the following persons remain unclaimed at the Quincy post office, for the week ending Dec. 21:

John W.Bennet, Juan Betansos, Miss Ina Caden, Mrs. Ha Crane, A. DeFlavio, Francesco Faniorusso, Giovanni, Miss Edla Jonasen, Mrs. Jenkins, Donald McLeod, Miss Susie Misker, Miss Augusta Person, Geo. Pusingane, S. Rea, Miss Rose Schullian, Geo. L. Storm & Co., Lizzie M. Whitney.



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BRIEFS

George W. Penniman will give his lecture on "Picturesque America" at the Hall Place church, Wednesday evening.

The many friends of Everett Howie of Liberty street, are pleased to learn that he is improving slowly, although he is still confined to bed.

Miss Abbie Thompson of Baldwin, Long Island who has been visiting Quincy friends returned yesterday to her home after a short stay here.

Dr. J. Gardner Smith, physical director of the schools of the city is at the Quincy City Hospital with appendicitis. He was admitted Sunday and is doing well.

The committee who are considering changes advisable in the City Charter should attend the meeting of the First Parish club tonight and hear Dr. Eliot's address on the Commission form of government for cities. The subject is one which Dr. Eliot has made a thorough study of and probably no one is better posted on this subject than is he. After his address Dr. Eliot will answer questions.

TRIBUTE PAID TO REID

Eulogized by Asquith and Balfour In House of Parliament

London, Dec. 17.—The British nation united in paying tribute to the memory of Whitelaw Reid, American ambassador to the court of St. James, who died at Dorchester House Sunday.

In parliament last evening Premier Asquith eulogized Reid and announced that the admiralty had offered the United States government the services of a warship to convey the remains to New York.

A. J. Balfour, for the opposition, followed Asquith and spoke in behalf of the Unionist party. He indorsed all the sentiments expressed by Asquith.

On Friday memorial services will probably be held in Westminster Abbey.

Taft Not to Name Successor

Washington, Dec. 17.—President Taft announced that after conference with Secretary of State Knox he had decided not to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Ambassador Reid.

Crushed to Death by Car

Boston, Dec. 17.—Joseph H. Mullen, 48 years old, was instantly killed last night in the Fields' Corner car barn of the Boston Elevated Railway company. Mullen, who was employed as a laborer by the company, was crushed against a wall by an electric car. He leaves a widow and six children.

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MRS. FEDERHEN GIVEN DIVORCE

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MOTHER GETS CHILD

Mrs. Laura Federhen, was granted a divorce from her husband, Herbert M. Federhen, a Boston attorney, Monday. The divorce was granted by the courts at Reno, Nev.

The couple formerly lived in Quincy and Mr. Federhen was one year a member of the City Council.

Mrs. Federhen testified, "My husband simply wanted an heir, and he thought I would be a good mother. He didn't care for me in the least."

The couple married in Canterbury, N. H., Sept. 4, 1897, and she left him in Boston, February, 1911, she testified. She was granted custody of their young son.

Federhen, who is managing his grandfather's estate, was served personally and appeared by formal answer, but did not contest. His home is at 558 Columbus avenue, Boston.

Mrs. Federhen testified her husband would remain from home days and nights at a time; that he refused to speak to her for the last two years, and threatened to put her in jail if she did not sign certain blank deeds to property. He compelled her, she said, to be absolutely dependent upon his parents with whom they lived, for her clothes, which were selected by them for her. "Beggars couldn't be choosers," she was told. He declared he was "a true Bostonian," while she was but a country girl, devoid of refinement, she testified.

At other times he refused to take her to any entertainments and spurned her affections, she said. She came to Reno last May, accompanied by her son.

Mr. Federhen was a member of the Quincy club which flourished some years ago.

MINUTE MEN AND THEIR AIMS

Oppose Public Money for Private or Sectarian Purposes

The aims and accomplishments of the American Minute Men, an organization formed to oppose the support of sectarian institutions from public funds were discussed by two members of that body at the meeting of St. Chrysostom's Men's club, Monday evening. Rev. William L. Clark of the Church of the Ascension told of the fight that had been going on for the last 10 years at the state house to attack such an amendment to the constitution.

The text of the proposed amendment reads "No law shall be passed respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof, nor shall the state, government, county, city, town, village or other civil division use its property or credit or any money raised by taxation or otherwise, or authorize either to be used for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding by appropriation, payment for services, expenses, or in any other manner, any church, religious denomination or religious society, or any institution, school, society or undertaking which is wholly or in part under sectarian or ecclesiastical control."

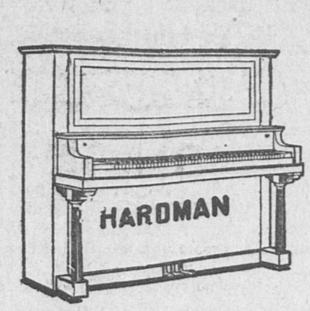
This, declared the speaker, was not a fight of the Protestents against the Roman Catholic but simply an effort to disassociate the church and State. Many Roman Catholics were declared to be in favor of it.

Frank J. Batchelder, chairman of the national committee of American Minute Men declared this seems to be the only way of settling immediately and in a broad way a matter that otherwise would mean years of controversy. The amendment had not gone through in the past because the movement had lacked organization and had been opposed by a strong silent force under the surface. Men should be elected who would maintain the principles of the movement.

A large number of questions followed and the speakers were tendered a hearty vote of thanks.

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High School Will Put Strong Team on the Ice

Hockey is becoming the topic of discussion with many of the Quincy High school students and if the team is as strong as the interest displayed as fast a team as has ever been seen in this city will fly the red and blue. Candidates were to report for practice today, but because of the thinness of the ice it will probably be postponed.

William Thompson '13, has been chosen the captain and Hayden Crocker is the manager. The latter is wisely looking over the candidates preparatory to completing a schedule.

PLEA OF GUILTY IS ENTERED BY HOSFORD

Slipper Company Treasurer Admits Larceny of $12,090

Boston, Dec. 17.—Edward H. Hosford, treasurer of the Donovan Slipper company, who was indicted for forging and uttering and larceny, pleaded guilty to one of the bills against him in the superior criminal court.

The indictment to which he pleaded guilty charged him with larceny in thirty-one counts of $12,090.91 from Frank E. Paige. Hosford is also charged with forging and uttering in twenty counts each, forging and uttering in eleven counts each and larceny in one count. To these three indictments he has pleaded not guilty.

Immediately after his plea of guilty Hosford was released in $20,000 bonds, his case being continued for sentence.

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WOULDN'T WAIT FOR DOCTOR

Little Italian Girl Knocked Down by Auto Truck

SUSTAINED NO INJURY

An unknown Italian child was knocked down by the truck of the Citizens Gas Light Co. on Maple street this morning. The machine was operated by Harold Gullickson, a chauffeur, and was preceeding at a very slow speed. The accident occurred when she tried to cross the street after stealing a ride on the truck of the W. G. Shaw Co. Both machines were going in opposite directions. The child was picked up and carried into the office of W. E. Bradford where a doctor was summoned. Before he arrived she said she was all right and ran away to her home. She appeared to be about five years of age.

BETHANY SOCIAL.

This evening at 7.45 will be held in Bethany chapel the first of the series of Bethany socials. These are intended for all the attendants at the church and their friends and everyone is welcome. A good entertainment has been provided.

Seven hundred and seventy-two pupils in the grade schools of North Yakima, Washington, earned $16,659 during their summer vacations. At the suggestion of Superintendent W. D. Sterling summer occupation clubs were formed, and of the money earned $6,183 was saved.

☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

MRS. F. A. HEINZE

Actress Wife of Ex-Copper King Is Granted Decree of Divorce



WINS $12,000 ALIMONY

Mrs. Heinze Is Granted Divorce From Former Copper King

Newburgh, N. Y., Dec. 17.—The second highest alimony ever recorded in New York state was allowed Mrs. Bernice C. Heinze of New York city when Justice Tompkins of the supreme court granted her a decree of divorce from her husband, Fritz A. Heinze, former "copper king."

Under the provisions of the decree, Heinze is to give his wife $1000 a month alimony and is to pay the rent of her apartments in New York, amounting to $233 a month, until the present lease expires.

Mrs. Heinze also receives the custody of the couple's only child, F. A. Heinze, Jr., born Dec. 6, 1911, and the father is directed to pay for the lad's education after the boy reaches the age of 5 years.

Shown a photograph of a man and woman taken in Denver in September, Heinze acknowledged that it was his picture. The woman was alleged to be "Mrs. Lavelle," a chorus girl.

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SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCHES

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ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH.

The calendar for the week is as follows:

Today, 7.30 P. M.—Christmas entertainment of Junior Auxiliary in Parish rooms.

Wednesday, 7.30 P. M.—Choir rehearsal.

Friday, 8 P. M.—Girl's Friendly society.

Saturday, (St. Thomas), 8 A. M.—Holy communion.

Parish House Fund:—

Amount last reported	$2269.33
Added since	57.75
Total on Dec. 9	$2327.08

The regular mid-month meeting of the Men's club will be held in the Parish rooms on this evening. The speaker of the evening will be Mr. Frank J. Batcheller of Somerville.

Tuesday evening, the members of the Junior Auxiliary are to give a Christmas entertainment to consist of a bright little play entitled The Garden of the Christmas Trees, Christmas Tableaux, Recitations, etc. The following ladies have interested themselves in this affair which is presented under their direction. Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Parlee, Mrs. Rundlett, Mrs. Steenstra and Mrs. Waite. The spirit of Christmas will be there in plenty. Candy will be on sale.

The English tea party given by the Woman's Guild Dec. 5, proved a most delightful time socially and those who attended must have been impressed by the spirit of cordiality that marked the occasion. The sale disposed of most of the left overs from the fair. The sum of $42 was realized.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The church calendar for the week is as follows:

Tuesday, 8 P. M.—Confirmation by Bishop Lawrence. 3.45 P. M.—Junior Auxiliary. 8 P. M.—Confirmation.

Tonight, 8 P. M.—Laymen's club illustrated talk.

Thursday, 8 P. M.—Gardner club.

Friday, 7.30 P. M.—St. Margaret's Guild. 7.45 P. M.—Reapers' Circle with Miss Pollock.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of Massachusetts will administer the rite of Confirmation, Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. This evening a speaker from the North American Civic League will give an illustrated talk on the Protection of Emigrants, before the Laymen's club.

The Reapers are especially asked to meet at the home of Miss Pollock 32 Bigelow street, Friday evening.

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COMMISSION GOVERNMENT AND ITS BENEFICIAL RESULTS

Dr. Eliot Told Representative Men of the Operation at Galveston and Houston

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It was a very large and representative body of men who gathered at the monthly meeting of the First Parish club at the First church Tuesday evening. In fact it was the most largely attended of any of the meetings. The subject of the evening was one in which the thinking men of Quincy are very much interested, especially at the present time when the city is confronted with the highest tax rate in its history with the prospect not very bright for a lower rate next year.

Among men who gathered, about the long tables in the chapel for dinner, were many prominent in the affairs of the city in the present and other years. They included Mayor Stone and ex-Mayors, Russell A. Sears, John O. Hall, Charles M. Bryand and William T. Shea. On the platform were Theophilus King, Col. Edward Anderson, Dr. Charles W. Eliot, the speaker of the evening, Rev. Dr. Hudson, George E. Pfaffmann, Henry M. Faxon, Hon. Charles M. Bryant, Charles C. Hearn, president of the Board of Trade and Mayor Eugene R. Stone.

After an invocation by Col. Anderson the usual dinner of roast beef, creamed potatoes, string beans, rolls, coffee, celery, ice cream and jumbles was served by the boys of the Junior Laymen's club.

The dinner was over at 7.30 and after listening to the report of the secretary of the last meeting, Dr. Hudson spoke briefly in introducing the speaker.

He said that the topic was one of universal interest because of the high tax rate. It is not for this club to place the responsibility but to treat it in a spirit of fairness. Officials should be supported if they are acting in good faith. There is another support which officials have and that is from people who have an axe to grind. It is not fair to leave them to bear all the pressure and then blame them if they yield. If we must answer to the, citizens for the things we do and we are subjected to pressure for things we do not believe in the only thing is to meet that pressure. In this respect the words of the marriage ceremony might well be used "If there is any objection make it known or forever afterward hold your peace." What we need is citizens who will become a help at this time. If we have any reasons why the policy pursued would increase the burdens now is the time to speak. No matter what the form of government, the efficiency turns on the character of the people. The wise city government depends on the responsibility of its people. There must be a sense of duty and obligation on the part of its public men if it is to be realized. The ultimatum in our cities depends on the faith in God, truth and righteousness. This club stands for these things expressed in the form of civic righteousness.

Dr. Hudson then spoke of the forty years service of Dr. Eliot at Harvard and the growth of that great university. When he retired from the head of that great university he was entitled to a rest but he took up the duties of active citizenship, and in him we must recognize not only a great educator but a great example of American citizenship.

As Dr. Eliot rose to speak the club rose as one man and gave him a most royal welcome. Dr. Eliot spoke for over an hour in an even moderate tone of voice apparently without emotion of any kind. His address was an exceedingly interesting one and he was followed closely by his hearers.

In opening he said the fundamental object of this club is to promote a sense of brotherhood and a great

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Quincy National League Help Cause of Irish Home Rule

THE MONEY PAID OVER

Quincy Branch, Irish National League, 161 has donated $100 to the cause of Irish Home Rule. This money will be added to the Parliamentary Fund, which is now available to continue the contest for Home Rule, before the British Parliament. A meeting of the National League was held at the American House, Boston, last night. There was a Quincy delegation in attendance.

President Peter J. McConarty, with John Byron, Miichael Burns and Enos Costa were a committee appointed by Quincy branch to present the donation of $100 to the state committee. They attended to their duty in a fitting manner. Quincy branch has the honor of being the oldest wing of the Irish National League in existence in America at the present day.

SCHOOL MASTERS.

The annual banquet of the Quincy Schoolmasters club was held Tuesday evening at the Quincy house, Boston. The speaker of the evening was Joseph B. MacCabe who gave a talk on the "Olympic games at Stockholm." The only guest was Supt. Albert L. Barbour.

NEEDLESS ALARM.

The alarm from Box 31 at 4.25 Tuesday night was for a chimney fire in the old Thomas Hayes house on the corner of Phipps and Water streets. The house is occupied by an Italian family. There was no damage. When the alarm sounded the auto chemical was at a woods fire near the old stone crusher off Centre street.

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REVERENCE FOR GOD AND DUTY NEEDED FOR COUNTRY'S FUTURE

Educational Campaign Required For Great Experiment of Direct Government

Dr. Hamilton Sounds Warning Note of What Confronts Nation

At the meeting of the Wollaston Congregational club, Tuesday evening, Dr. Frederick W. Hamilton former president of Tufts College spoke on "The great experiment."

An interesting short talk on the speculative end of the salmon industry was given by George E. Hyde, Jr., one of the club's new members.

President William A. Mann spoke of the joint meeting of men's clubs to be held in January at which plans for federation will be taken up.

During the supper hour vocal solos by C. H. Everett and Mr. Rogers were enjoyed. John Gourlie was the accompanist.

Dr. Hamilton spoke in part as follows:

"An experiment in government is being tried in the United States of America, the experiment of democracy.

"People are a bit surprised when we speak of democracy as an experiment. When the War of the Rebellion was over people began to consider it was not an experiment. In the late 60's and 70's men said the question was settled.

"Now we are beginning to realize that the experiment has only just begun. Now we realize we encountered only the first stages of the problem before. Fifty years ago the people of the United States were fairly homogeneous. Up to that time they came from nearly the same great racial stock. Although it was a mixture, it was a mixture of like peoples.

"What is the condition today? In 1910 out of a population of 92 millions only 49 1-2 were born of native parents. The rest were nearly equally divided between foreign born and native born of foreign parents. How far foreign? Foreign in the sense of

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TED KEOHANE AND ROACH

Move Up Today in the Washington Contest

NO CHANGE AMONG LEADERS

None of the first five candidates in the Washington contest made gains today, but several of the others did. Mrs. Lamont of the L. L. O. L. added 65. Ted Keohane moved up from No. 23 to No. 13, while Edmond Roach moved up from No. 86 to No. 20. Others to gain were Walter Mead, Gertrude Nelligan, Flora Collins, Clara Stoddard and John Evans.

One bunch of coupons was received today from someone unknown, and the coupons were entirely blank. Every coupon to be counted should contain the name of the candidate.

A request has been received from a candidate to transfer her votes to another candidate, but no transfers of votes are allowed.

Candidates in forwarding votes are requested to mark on the package the number of votes, so that the Contest Editor may verify his count.

A prize certificate good for 300 votes will be awarded as a Christmas present at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 23, to the candidate who makes the "big-

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COMMUNITY HOUSE PROJECT FAVORED BY WOLLASTONITES

$40,000 Structure to Meet All the Requirements Will Probably Be Erected

Mass Meeting Next Month to Decide Important Question

By an overwhelming majority the Wollaston Park Improvement Association, at its meeting Tuesday evening, voted to endorse the project of the Wollaston Community House Committee for a community house in Wollaston. Frank A. Page, chairman of the committee described the plans for the $40,000 building contemplated. It is proposed to have it situated on Beale street between the railroad station and Hancock street, making it accessible from all parts of Wollaston. It is planned to hold a mass meeting in the Wollaston School hall, probably on January 14, at which the plans for the edifice will be fully described and the method of procedure laid out.

This is the first public appearance of the project since March 1911 when two meetings were held by the Wollaston Community House committee.

At the second meeting in Odd Fellow's hall a ways and means committee of six, with powers of addition by the chair was appointed to look into the financial phase of the situation, consider initial and operating cost, location and nature of building desired with orders to report at the next meeting.

The committee included Charles W. Bailey, Walter S. Pinkham, William M. Chase, Albert N. Murray, Charles E. Monroe and Percy L. Davidson. Up to Tuesday night this committee had not reported nor had the general committee of seventy-two, known as the "Wollaston Community House Association," held further meetings.

Frank A. Page stated that a $40,000 three story building with a large hall was planned, to be fire and sound proof and could be used by lodges, Men's clubs and other associations. It would contain dance halls, banquet hall and ante rooms besides smaller rooms where ladies societies and womens clubs could meet.

Louis S. Cleaves, chairman of the committee appointed to consider a building for the Improvement Association presented the favorable features of a structure of the bungalow type containing a hall. This could be constructed for about $6,000.

A recess was taken by the meeting to examine three sets of plans for a larger community house.

By Clinton Noble, for a $45,000 building of wood, three stories, containing a hall 50 x 104 feet, seating 600 with balcony and two stores 25x70.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by John M. Quale, of said Quincy, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded southerly by Broadway fifty (50) feet; easterly by Harvard Street eighty-one and 6-10 (81.6) feet; northerly by Lot No. 2 on Plan of Property belonging to the Bellevue Land Associates fifty (50) feet; and westerly by the remaining portion of Lot No. 1 on said plan by a line drawn parallel with Harvard Street and distant fifty (50) feet westerly from the westerly line thereof eighty-one and 6-10 (81.6) feet; containing 4080 square feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year nineteen hundred and twelve.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

CLARENCE C. SMITH. Recorder.

(Seal.)

4-3t 4-11-18

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Elizabeth Sanborn to the Boston Co-operative Bank dated May 1st, 1911, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Norfolk Book 1176, Page 143, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same on Friday the 27th day of December 1912, at 3.15 o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows: a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Wollaston, being a part of Lot Thirteen in Block Five, Section Two of the Lands of the Wollaston Land Associates, as shown on a plan of said section drawn by D. Grainger and Son, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 402, and bounded: Southeasterly on Lot Twelve in said Block, forty-five feet; Southwesterly on Lot Two in said Block, one hundred fifty-one and 2-10 feet; Northwesterly on Warren Avenue, forty-five feet; and Northeasterly by the remaining portion of said Lot Thirteen, one hundred fifty-one and 2-10 feet. Containing about 6804 square feet of land.

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PROBE OF NEW HAVEN ROAD

Pressure Brought to Bear on Democratic Leaders to Have It Widened—Old Charge That Boston and Maine Used Its Influence to Defeat Chandler Is Again Brought Up

Washington, Dec. 18.—A caucus of Democratic representatives will be called early in January with a view to reaching a determination upon the broadening of the scope of the proposed inquiry of the New York, New Haven and Hartford-Grand Trunk railroad situation so as to probe into the political activity of railroads in New England.

It is likely a move will then be made to have the caucus create a special investigating committee.

Pressure already has been brought to bear upon some of the Democratic leaders to have the investigating committee inquire into the political power and relations of the railroads in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Connecticut and Rhode Island, particularly.

The old charge that the Boston and Maine railroad, since passed under the control of the New Haven road, used its influence to bring about the defeat of Senator Chandler of New Hampshire and to dictate the filling of other offices in that state has been brought to the attention of some of the leaders, along with other political matters.

It was announced that decision on the O'Shaunessy resolution calling for the investigation of the railroad situation in New England probably would not be reached until the first week in January.

Grand Jury Seeking New Facts

New York, Dec. 18.—The New Haven railroad investigation being conducted by the federal grand jury took a new line in an effort to get at the exact facts attendant upon the actual cessation of work by the Grand Trunk on the construction of the Southern New England railway, which the government is attempting to prove was the result of an agreement between President Mellen of the New Haven and the Grand Trunk head.

To this end, two new witnesses were called, George H. Curtis of New York and H. C. Estep of Providence. Curtis is president of the O'Brien Construction company, which was doing the construction work on the New England road, and Estep acted as engineer for that road and for the Grand Trunk.

Other witnesses were William Skinner of Holyoke, Mass., a director of the New Haven railroad and one of the executive board, and N. Kinsella, secretary to President Chamberlin of the Grand Trunk.

CALLED A PERJURER

Vice President of International Bridge Workers Is Jailed

Indianapolis, Dec. 18.—John T. Butler of Buffalo, vice president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, last night was locked in jail after his bond of $10,000 had been increased to $15,000 and after the court had said he committed perjury in testifying in his own behalf as a defendant in the "dynamite conspiracy" trial.

Next to President Ryan, Butler is highest in office in a labor union of 12,000 members. With Ryan he is charged as being one of forty officials who conspired to promote dynamite explosions, including the wrecking of the Los Angeles Times building.

PIGSKIN IS GRAFTED

Three Square Feet Used to Save Life of Youth Who Was Badly Burned

Middletown, O., Dec. 18.—Three square feet of pigskin was grafted on the chest and right shoulder of Clyde Rich, aged 20, in an effort to save his life.

Rich was severely burned in an explosion in New York four months ago. He has been in a number of hospitals, but the operation yesterday is thought to have been a successful one.

Buffalo Sold In Stockyards

Kansas City, Dec. 18.—For the first time in twenty years, and perhaps for the last time, live buffalo were sold in the stockyards, two bulls and five cows being received here for slaughter from New Mexico.

Heavy Snow In Minnesota

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 18.—Duluth and vicinity are blanketed under one to five feet of snow in the worst blizzard in ten years. The temperature is not low, however.

Relic of Bygone Ages

Syracuse, Dec. 18.—The foundations of a Greek temple dedicated to Minerva, and dating from the fifth century B. C., have been discovered.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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VOTING CONTEST

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gest gain" during the week of Dec. 16-23. Remember, for the "biggest gain." It is subscription certificates good for 1000 votes each that the candidates should strive to obtain. They count big.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	17040
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	10060
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	2570
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2015
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	1685
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St	1170
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1065
Galen Bowditch, messenger	380
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Sam Shellman, Granite street	290
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	255
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	175
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Richard Larkin, High school	120
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	95
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	75
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	70
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
James Neary, Fore River	60
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	60
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
George Powers, Fore River	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
B. L. Smith, Fore River	55
Walter Mead, High school	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf, Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	40
Clara Stoddard, S. of V. Aux.	40
J. McCullough, shipyard	40
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
John Evans, Progressive	30
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	25
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	25
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
James McNamara, police	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
William Allen, Eagles	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

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HOMEMADE candies for New Year's desserts or for the children's New Year's party are desirable. Fudge is a sweetmeat that is popular with almost all, and it may be made in different ways. Some excellent recipes are given here:

Toothsome Sweets.

Peppermint Fudge.—Take two cupfuls of white coffee sugar. Add to it one half cupful of water and eight drops of oil of peppermint. Boil the sirup for about ten minutes before dropping in the peppermint. Stir it hard until it begins to cream. Then pour into buttered pans and cut into squares.

Marshmallow Fudge.—Take two cupfuls of granulated sugar, two-thirds of a cupful of milk, two squares of chocolate, two level tablespoonfuls of butter, one teaspoonful of vanilla, one-fourth of a pound of marshmallows.

Put the sugar, milk, chocolate and butter into a saucepan and place over the fire. Stir until the chocolate is melted. While the mixture is boiling cut the marshmallows into small pieces and scatter them over the bottom of a buttered shallow pan. When the fudge is almost done set the pan into a moderately hot oven to soften the marshmallows. When the fudge has boiled for ten minutes drop a little of it into cold water, and as soon as it forms a soft ball take the pan from the fire and add the vanilla. Beat until it thickens; then pour over the marshmallows. When slightly cool cut into squares.

Two Chocolate Fudges.

Chocolate Nut Fudge.—Take two cupfuls of white or brown sugar with boiling water to moisten it. Boil until it forms a soft ball when tested in cold water and then add one tablespoonful of butter, one-half of a small cake of chocolate scraped fine and one tablespoonful of milk. Boil until a little of it on a dish seems firm and waxy. Do not scorch. Beat well and when it thickens add one cupful of walnut or hickory nut meats.

Chocolate Fudge.—Take three cupfuls of granulated sugar, one small cake of chocolate, butter the size of a walnut, one scant cupful of milk, one scant half cupful of water. Mix thoroughly; boil, stirring occasionally, until a firm ball forms when tested in cold water. Remove from the stove and let the vessel stand in hot water for ten minutes without stirring. Have ready in a good sized saucepan the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs, with one-half teaspoonful of salt. Pour the chocolate mixture gradually over the beaten whites, stirring constantly. Beat for a few minutes until it stiffens. Pour into buttered tins. Cut in squares.

CHICKEN GIBLETS.

CHICKEN giblets must be well cleaned before using. Take off the membrane around the heart, remove all veins and arteries and trim off all green looking tissue near the gall bladder. Cut the gizzard through the thick part, taking off all fat and membrane. The inner lining should be removed without breaking.

Savory Patties.

Giblet Patties.—Take a half pint of fresh giblets, clean well and stew in a pint of water with onions, pepper, salt and a little thyme and parsley. Add one pound of lean beef or fresh pork cut in small strips and stew with the giblets for fifteen minutes. Thicken with one tablespoonful of flour.

To make the puff paste for the cases take a quart of flour, one pound of salted lard; stir flour and lard together—a little baking powder will improve it. Mix with ice cold water, handling quickly. Put the under crust in pattypans and fill with giblets. Cover with crust and bake in a quick oven.

Sewed on Skewers.

Chicken Livers on Skewers.—Scald the livers and soak in boiling water for several minutes; then drain and wipe them. Cut slices of breakfast bacon the size of the livers and place these on skewers, preferably steel or silver ones, using first a chicken liver, then a piece of bacon till the skewer is full. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and broil over a clear fire, basting with melted butter. Serve on the skewers with melted butter poured over them.

The French Way.

Boulettes of Chicken Giblets.—Take a half pound of chicken giblets, clean, cut up, put into a saucepan and cover with boiling water and simmer for twenty minutes. Drain and chop fine. Pour a half cupful of milk into a double boiler, put in this a tablespoonful of butter into which two tablespoonfuls of flour has been rubbed. When this has been well stirred into the milk add the chopped liver. Cook in the double boiler for about ten minutes; then add a teaspoonful of minced parsley, salt, pepper and a teaspoonful of onion juice. Stir in the well beaten yolk of an egg and turn out to cool. When cool form into balls, dip these in egg and then in breadcrumbs and fry in hot fat.

MAPLE CANDIES.

THERE is nothing in the shape of candy more wholesome for the little ones than confections prepared with maple sugar.

No matter how simple these are, if perfectly fresh they are delicious. The boiled maple sirup may be run into fancy buttered tins to form all sorts of quaint figures. Tins of this sort, intended for small cakes, may be bought in the shops.

Delicious Confections.

Maple Caramels.—Here is a simple recipe for caramels: Take a pound of maple sugar and break it into pieces. Put the pieces into a pint of milk which is part cream and boil until it hardens when tested by dropping a little into cold water. Pour into buttered pans and mark into squares.

Maple Nut Taffy.—Take two pints of maple sugar and just enough water to dissolve the sugar. Boil until it will snap when dropped in cold water, add a tablespoonful of vinegar and pour over nut meats previously placed in buttered pans.

Simple, Yet Dainty.

Maple Fudge.—Take half a cup of granulated sugar, one and a half cupfuls of maple sugar and a cup of milk. Heat together, then add an ounce of grated chocolate and butter the size of an egg. Boil for about twenty minutes or until a little dropped in cold water will harden at once into a soft ball. Take from the fire and add a teaspoonful of vanilla and beat until it begins to thicken, then pour into greased tins and when cooling mark off into squares.

Like French Candy.

Cream Maples.—Take some fondant made for cream candies, work a little vanilla flavoring into it and form into balls the size of small marbles. Set these in a cool place to harden. Prepare the dipping fondant as follows: Put a cup of fine crushed maple sirup in a smooth, clean saucepan with a cupful of granulated sugar and three-quarters of a cupful of boiling water. Cook in same manner as white fondant, but do not let it stand. When done put a little in a tiny saucepan that will fit over the tea kettle (unless you have a tiny double boiler for the purpose). Stir the fondant as it melts and as soon as soft drop in a ball of the white fondant, roll it around quickly until entirely coated, then with a little wire candy dipper lift out quickly and lay on oiled paper, giving the dipper a little twirl to give that curl seen on "French bonbons."

Anna Thompson

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf



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SPEED OF SOUND.

An Easy Method of Judging the Distance It Travels.

There is an old saying that if you can count five between the flash and the thunder you are safe. Modern science tells us that if you can see the flash at all you are safe, because if it struck you you would have no time to see it. The speed of lightning is about 180 times that of sight.

The old idea was that if you could count five the storm was a mile away, which was considered a safe distance. Sound travels at the rate of 1,142 feet a second, or about a mile in five seconds. In order to count seconds accurately many photographers start by saying to themselves: "No one thousand, one one thousand, two one thousand, three one thousand," etc. This gives about the right space between each count of one, two, three, etc., if you stop at the number of seconds you want to time. With a little practice with a watch beside you this is accurate up to half a minute or more.

If you see a steam whistle blowing and note the instant it stops you can count the seconds until you lose the sound, and by allowing a fifth of a mile for each second you can judge the distance. The same is true of guns, or an explosion, or even of hammering or any loud sounds.—New York Press.

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Turks Refuse to Recognize the Delegates From Greece

HITCH OVER THE ARMISTICE

Hellenic Envoys' Refusal to Sign It Makes It Necessary For Ottoman to Refer Matter to Home Government—Daneff Says European Capitalists Are Arrayed Against Allies

London, Dec. 18.—An obstacle was encountered yesterday by the plenipotentiaries of the Balkan allies and of the Ottoman empire, who are gathered here with the object of bringing about peace. The absence of Greece's signature to the armistice protocol was the cause of the hitch in the proceedings, and the delegates found it necessary to adjourn without effecting any real business. They will not meet again until Thursday and in the meantime will communicate with their home governments.

The credentials of the peace delegates of the Balkan allies and of Turkey give them full power as plenipotentiaries. They can therefore not only negotiate for peace, but if they come to an arrangement can conclude and sign it. The meeting of the conference lasted less than two hours. It was noticed that contrary to Monday's procedure, when the delegates all lunched together, the Turks yesterday left the palace and went off to lunch at their hotel, while their allied colleagues remained in the palace.

After their adjournment Dr. Daneff, leader of the Bulgarian delegation, confirmed the report that the question of the protocol had been under discussion without a decision being reached. It is understood the powers of the Turkish plenipotentiaries do not authorize them to recognize the Hellenic delegates unless Greece signs the armistice, and therefore they were obliged to refer the matter to Constantinople before proceeding with the conference. The Greek representatives refused to sign the protocol when invited to do so yesterday, pointing out that it would make no practical difference, as the allies were united and the decisions reached by the members of the Balkan league would be binding on Greece equally with the other members of the federation.

The plenipotentiaries have decided to ask Sir Edward Grey, British secretary of state for foreign affairs, to appoint an English secretary to take complete charge of the secretariat of the conference.

That the capitalistic group of Europe is arrayed against the Balkan allies was the statement made here by Dr. Daneff.

"Financiers are attempting to make favorable terms by maintaining the integrity of the Turkish debt, which means the capitalists are arrayed against the allies," declared Daneff.

"I believe the conference will be successful, but if Turkey refuses to accept the boundary lines we have laid down for her, I will telegraph to Sofia to open fire on Adrianople at once. We will cede Rodosto, and the terms of our indemnity demands may be rearranged, but the principal demands, including the disposition of Salonica and Albania, must be met reasonably by the Ottoman delegates."

ARMY NEEDS AEROPLANES

Training of Officers as Expert Military Aviators Is Urged by Allen

Washington, Dec. 18.—The necessity of securing army officers as expert military aviators is emphasized in the annual report of Brigadier General Allen, chief signal officer of the army, in which he says 100 aeroplanes are needed.

General Allen says the number of expert civilian aviators now available in the United States is not large enough to provide an adequate auxiliary and he does not believe that any marked advance will be made in the manufacture of aeroplanes in this country unless the manufacturers receive support from the government.

INCENTIVE TO HUSTLE

Policemen to Get Ten Days' Vacation For Each Highwayman Caught

Kansas City, Dec. 18.—"Beginning at once, a ten days' leave of absence with pay will be granted to each patrolman who brings in, dead or alive, any highwayman caught seizing a purse from a woman, or holding up a citizen."

This order was issued by Wentworth E. Griffin, chief of police, in an effort to quell crime.

Lipton Going After Cup

Boston, Dec. 18.—Sir Thomas Lipton said definitely yesterday that he is going to challenge for the America cup, but he will say no more until he hears from the New York Yacht club.

Pick Postmasters at Primaries

Washington, Dec. 18.—Representative Kinkaid of Nebraska intends to introduce a bill to have all postmasters chosen at primaries.

"JONAH" ON THE KOREA?

Liner Arrives at San Francisco With Log Reading Like Dime Novel

San Francisco, Dec. 18.—The log of the liner Korea, from the Orient, reads like the table of contents of a dime novel. First a Chinese passenger jumped overboard and was drowned.

Another Chinese passenger was claimed as the victim of a tong war before the ship reached Honolulu. The slayer is held by the federal authorities at Honolulu.

Before the liner left that port another Chinese made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide. A day later still another Chinese jumped overboard to his death.

At Yokohama a Japanese peddler plunged a knife into the back of Andrew Benussi, a watchman on the ship. Benussi recovered.

E. C. Miller, a cabin passenger, was giving his 2-year-old son a bath when he accidentally turned on the hot water. The child was scalded so badly that he died an hour later.

LIFE AGAIN MENACED

Threat Against Wilson Revealed at Hearing of Three Accused Men

Newark, N. J., Dec. 18.—President-elect Wilson's life again has been threatened by a letter writer. The letter was mailed in New York Dec. 12. It is now in possession of United States Assistant District Attorney Lindabury, who declines to discuss it.

The receipt of this letter became known at the arraignment of Jacob and Warren Dunn and Seeley Davenport of Wharton, who were charged with having sent Wilson, on Nov. 11 last, a missive demanding $5000 upon penalty of death.

The hearing was not concluded, but Commissioner Stockton dismissed the case against Warren Dunn, and took under advisement a motion to make a similar ruling in the case of Davenport.

HEARST PRODUCES ARCHBOLD LETTERS

Copies Shown Probers Into Campaign Contributions

Washington, Dec. 18.—Photographic copies of all the John D. Archbold letters made public through his speeches and publications were given by William R. Hearst to the senate committee investigating campaign contributions and Standard Oil correspondence.

In the list were six telegrams and letters which Hearst said were either entirely new to the public or had received publicity only through his campaign speeches in 1908.

One of these purported to be a telegram from Senator Penrose to Archbold, proposing to make an appointment with Senator Aldrich for some unnamed person.

Two others were letters from Archbold to Joseph B. Foraker, then senator from Ohio, one stating that a loan of $50,000 previously discussed could be made on a 5 percent basis; another stated that a certificate for the $50,000 was inclosed therewith.

REPLY OF RAILROADS

Ready to Adjust Differences With Firemen With One Exception

New York, Dec. 18.—The fifty eastern railroads announced, through their committee of managers, readiness to adjust differences with their firemen, if the latter would waive their demand for two firemen on certain heavy types of locomotives.

It was stated the demands of the firemen both as regarding working conditions and wages would mean a minimum total increase of $15,134,000 to the railroads in cost annually, or 56 percent of the firemen's present wages, in contrast to the firemen's estimate that their requests would mean only a $4,000,000 increase.

FRIEDMANN'S NEW SERUM

Discoverer Inoculates Consumptives at Opening of His Institute

Berlin, Dec. 18.—Dr. Herman Friedmann, purported discoverer of a preventative and cure for tuberculosis, has opened his first institute for demonstration.

He personally inoculated with his serum several patients in the presence of eminent physicians and scientists from Europe and America.

Dr. Friedmann still refuses to give out any of his serum. He says that from a tiny drop of it a bacteriologist could propagate enough of the bacilli to supply the world.

Prominent Hotel Manager Dead

Boston, Dec. 18.—Fred M. Purmort, general manager of the Parker House, died at his home in Brookline yesterday. He had been identified with the hotel business in Boston for more than a quarter of a century.

Reid's Body Coming on Battleship

London, Dec. 18.—Mrs. Whitelaw Reid has decided to accept the offer of the British government to take the ambassador's body to the United States on a British battleship.

That Letter

By HUDSON C. EASTON

I had been for some time devoted to Eleanor. I had received such encouragement as to lead me to believe that if I proposed to her I would be accepted. But my mind was not definitely made up. A man is not likely to come to a conclusion in the matter of marriage unless some great advantage is to be gained or he is madly in love. The first may not always decide him, but the latter will. In my case there was no especial advantage to be gained, and I had drifted so gently into love that I was unaware that I had got there.

I called one evening and found Eleanor sniffing at some cut flowers. Who had any business to be sending her flowers? The corners of my mouth went down, my nostrils dilated, a color came into my cheek and a spark into my eye. I was about to say something disagreeable when I remembered that there was no contract between Eleanor and me whatever. She might receive flowers from Old Nick if she liked.

So I recovered myself sufficiently to make it appear that I was indifferent. When she saw that I would not ask from whom the gift came she told me that Hathaway had sent them. Hathaway was a newcomer in the place, was good looking, dressed well, and all the girls sat up and took notice of him. I damned him with faint praise, made my call very short and went to my room uneasy. It occurred to me that sometimes these affairs between the sexes come about very suddenly. When a fellow sends a girl flowers it may be a sign that he is getting ready to propose.

Sunday afternoon I had been accustomed to spend with Eleanor. I determined that the next Sunday afternoon I would endeavor to find out how far the affair between her and Hathaway had gone. Usually when I called the maid ushered me into the drawing room. This Sunday I was shown into the library. There was a writing desk there, and a letter addressed and stamped lay on it. I glanced at the superscription and saw that it was for Hathaway and the writing was Eleanor's.

Evidently the affair had gone much faster and much further than might have been expected. I wondered if the letter were not an acceptance of a proposal. It is said that a raw recruit will become panic stricken at the first sound of a gun. A lover is naturally a coward, and I was no exception to the rule. I trembled. I paced back and forth in a great dread, now and again looking at the letter, which lay on the desk mocking me. I could scarcely refrain from taking it up and throwing it in the fire that blazed merrily on the hearth.

Presently Eleanor came in. She seemed a bit annoyed at seeing her letter on the desk and said:

"It was so cold this morning that instead of writing in my room I wrote here, where it is warm."

Leaving her letter where it lay, she took a seat before the fire and began to chat about the weather. I sat down on a sofa a trifle further than she from the blaze, for my cheeks were warm enough already. I tried to say something, but that confounded letter to Hathaway stared me in the face and tongue tied me. If I said anything it was disconnected and irrelevant. Eleanor did not share in my embarrassment. She was evidently enjoying the genial warmth, not appearing to care whether I talked, talked disconnectedly or did not talk at all.

I was badly rattled. I wanted to get in a proposal before that letter was posted. Had I retained my equanimity I would have felt assured that if Eleanor had received a proposal from Hathaway and had replied to it favorably anything I could say would not be likely to alter her decision. If she had replied in the negative there was nothing to do in the premises. But I was in no condition of mind to make a proposal. Proposals, except where they are a mere matter of form or at a venture, come from the heart. The lady is sympathetic, coos, and the man feels something welling up in his bosom that comes out in a declaration. But I was disgruntled and Eleanor didn't coo. I couldn't propose. After spending half an hour in this fashion I arose to go.

"Would you mind posting a letter for me?" asked Eleanor in an indifferent tone.

This was too much.

"Yes," I said, "I would mind posting a letter which I have reason to believe is a reply to an offer. This man Hathaway's attentions to you have been perfectly plain. I, who have been long devoted to you, have been suddenly thrust aside"—

But enough. The ice was broken. Eleanor soothed me. I went on throwing off a lot of senseless talk—love talk, such as lovers have spoken from time immemorial and which, were it coherent, would not be love. Eleanor gave way before it, and instead of leaving her disgruntled I remained till 11 o'clock that night, finally departing engaged.

Some time after our marriage I found the letter to Hathaway pigeonholed. I took it to my wife and asked her if I might read it. She gave me a smiling permission. I opened it and took out a sheet of blank paper. I looked at her surprised.

"If I hadn't done it," she said, "you'd never have proposed."

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BLACK HAND REVELATIONS

Leading Operator In White Slave Traffic Makes a Confession

Montreal, Dec. 18.—Under sentence to die next Friday, Carlo di Battiste, convicted of murder, told in jail here a long story of the operations of the Black Hand society and of white slave traffic throughout Canada and the United States.

His revelations were considered to be of such importance that they were committed to writing to be forwarded to the department of justice. Although declaring his own innocence of the murder charge of which he was convicted, he confessed he was one of the leading operators in white slave traffic which, he said, was organized on a systematic basis, with Montreal and Quebec serving as headquarters.

He said houses even as far distant as the Pacific coast were supplied and controlled by the organization's chiefs in Montreal and Quebec.

MANY WINDOWS SMASHED

"Gold Coast" at Harvard Is Shaken by Mysterious Explosion

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 18.—A terrific explosion in the court formed by the rear of Ridgely, Claverly, Ridgely Annex and Claverly, senior dormitories on the "gold coast" at Harvard, threw the tenants of the four halls into consternation and wrecked windows facing the court here last night.

Students, half clad, poured into the court. Through the clearing smoke they found nearly every window in the walls of the four halls facing the court smashed.

The cause of the explosion has not been discovered, although the Cambridge police are investigating.

The night had been a rather stormy one along the "coast," on account of the number of initiations that usually precede the holiday vacation period.

DEFECTIVE SPRING FROG

Caused Wreck of Express Train, According to Report of Expert

Hartford, Dec. 18.—In his report to te public utilities commission, Engineer Elwell says the derailment of the Portland express on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad near Milford, Conn., Nov. 16, was due to a defective spring frog. Parts of the frog had become loosened by constant jarring and the base plate broken.

The fact that the base plate was broken should have been discovered by the section foreman, says Elwell.

BOYS WHO DID BIG THINGS.

Many of the World's Great Men Won Fame In Their Youth.

Some of the greatest achievements in the world have been made by youth, and it will always be so in human history. David, the sweet singer of Israel, was a shepherd, a poet and a general before he was twenty and a king at the age of eighteen. Raphael had practically completed his life work at the age of thirty-seven. He did no great artistic work after that age. James Watt, even as a boy, as he watched the steam coming out of the teakettle, saw in it the new world of mechanical power made possible by the old element turned and driven by a simple appliance.

Cortes was master of Mexico before he was thirty-six. Schubert died at the age of thirty-one after having composed what may perhaps he called in some ways the most entrancing melody ever written. Charlemagne was master of France and the greatest emperor of the world at the age of thirty. Shelley wrote "Queen Mab" when he was only twenty-one and was a master of poetry before he was twenty-five.

Patrick Henry was able to shape the revolutionary history of a new country before he was thirty and astonish the world by his oratory before he was twenty-six years old. At the age of twenty-four Ruskin had written "Modern Painters," and Bryant, while still a boy of high school age, had written "Thanatopsis." Robert Burns wrote some of his greatest songs while he was a plowboy.—London Answers.

Caustic.

Scene—Train stopping at small roadside station. Irritable Old Gentleman—What on earth do they stop at a station like this for? Objectionable Passenger (alighting)—To allow me to get out. Irritable Old Gentleman—Ah! I see it has its advantages, then!



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NOTICE.

The Ledger is receiving a great many communications these days, the more the better, and is glad to give publicity to the thoughts therein expressed, especially when they are for the good of the city as a whole, believing too much publicity cannot be given under the circumstances. We will accept anything for publication that is honest criticism without malice or personal grudge, provided the communication is sent in with the writer's name and address. It would seem as though it was not necessary for us to again reiterate that we do not accept or use anonymous communications but as we receive unsigned letters most every day whose fate is the waste basket the statement seems necessary. Why not follow the rule of this and other newspapers?

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Next Sunday will be observed in many of the Churches as Christmas Sunday. Choristers, organists and Sunday school superintendents are notified and requested to have their musical programs and children's concert programs in the Ledger office, not later than Thursday afternoon, to insure their publication in Saturday's Ledger.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

By whatever name the wise critic of the present day may determine to call the Boston Tea Party, they cannot refuse to accept its success.

If the papers would quietly drop Mr. Stebbins and the ideas which he set forth, some of which are hardly worth rumpling the grey matter over, from some points of view, there would be less heard from this particular type.

She says they were, he says they were not but the press agent got in his work all right.

President Taft did the only thing there was under the circumstances by leaving the British Ambassadorship to his successor without prejudice.

By the way if President Taft ever should get out of a job there is an opening for him on the stage as a travel lecturer.

And the coal situation seems to be about as bad as ever. Little less investigation and more action would go a long ways to solve this high cost of living.

Has anyone heard anything about that $29,000,000 fine which Rockefeller was to pay lately?

The Boston papers have been busy digging up future rulers of Albania. Maybe the Albanians and then a few European rulers will have to pass on the credentials of the aspirants.

The army of war correspondents was larger than the army of women who moved on Albany.

That half dozen light weights who are tramping from New York to Albany are receiving more free advertising than the occasion really warrants.

After 10 years, the government has been informed that that which every one knows exists has not been proven. And the chances are that the price of coal will take another boost.

How would a little less investigation and fewer civil cases and a few stray criminal cases do to break up the grip of the octopus?

Eggs are lower, but kerosene goes up a cent. That is the second raise since the dissolution of the Standard Oil which was to effect so much relief.

Hurley's hat is still in the ring, with the same oud familiar tilt in Boston.

If the combination is broken how is it that there is such a uniformity by all the alleged competing companies in the raise in price?

Home Rule is now predicted in 1914. Better late than never, but why cannot it be pulled off the coming year, is it because of the superstition in the mystic 13.

The people have so many things to think of at the same time, that it is no wonder that little attention is given to anything in particular so that the manipulators work their pleasure and the people do not realize they have been buncoed until the thing is actually accomplished and then it is too late to make a howl.

THE PUBLIC DOCK.

Again attention is called to the hearing upon the proposed public dock in Quincy. It is not a question which any single individual can decide or determine upon in hasty and snappy judgment. There is too much at stake too much involved. It requires mature judgment and deliberation. It requires a close study from all angles before deciding for or against the proposition.

The men who are members of the committee to decide this question, are representative citizens. They are business men, acquainted with the needs of the city. They also know the financial situation and the handicap under which the city is at present struggling. With regard this latter proposition it must be admitted that no one is down hearted. No one is shirking responsibility but all are taking hold with the idea of working out an improvement at the earliest possible moment.

With regard to the dock question, the members of the committee have their own ideas. Probably some members favor the enterprise while others oppose. It would be strange indeed if they were all of the same mind at this early stage of affairs. It will materially aid the committee to secure the judgment of the citizens at large upon this momentous question. It is therefore the duty of every citizen to attend the hearing and give expression to their views in order to aid the committee. It is a big problem. Being a large undertaking, it is only proper that all the citizens should assume their proper share of responsibility and be heard upon this subject and it is hoped that the citizens will attend and give their views.

AMBASSADOR REID.

The death of Whitelaw Reid, Ambassador to England is a severe blow to the diplomatic service of the country. It was natural that Mr. Reid, 76 years old should pay the debt of nature, yet his passing will be keenly felt. Tactful, possessing rare qualifications to perform the by no means light duties of his delicate position, he gained the respect and confidence of people on both sides of the water. It would not be reasonable to say that his place cannot be filled, but that it will demand the service of a man of large attainments is conceded.

While busy correspondents immediately picked a successor for the dead ambassador, President Taft with becoming dignity and a true conception of the eternal fitness of things, has decided that where the time is so short he will permit his successor the privilege of naming the next Ambassador to England. Of course President Taft would exercise his prerogative and appoint an ambassador, the term would only be a brief one as those posts change with change of administration. Under those circumstances it is rather strange that such good men are secured for the diplomatic service.

A WORD OF WARNING.

The advent of cold weather always quickens the youthful pulse with thoughts of exhilerating movement on the ice, on glittering steel runners. Older people enjoy the pastime just as well as the youngsters while perhaps not being able to devote as much time to it. In this connection and at this time, a word of warning would not go amiss. The mild weather this fall, while at present producing some ice has failed to present a very thick quality. Only on the very shallow bodies of water is the congelation sufficient to warrant indulging in this favorite winter sport. The larger and deeper bodies are only coated over with a thin sheet of ice, with which it is hazardous and foolhardy to take too many long chances.

A clip of sharp zero weather is the only sure means of getting bearable ice on the larger ponds. Even on the smaller and shallower ponds at this time, there is danger of breaking through with a pedal extremity ducking, but venturing on the larger fields means sure immersion with possible dire results. Patience must be exercised. It is better to be sure than sorry. There is hardly call for too hasty effort in this direction. The cold weather will come all right and with it the ice of proper thickness. So let skaters wait until that time arrives before testing their skill in performing the figure eight on the larger ponds.

CONVICT LABOR.

Gov. Donahey of Arkansas has pardoned 360 convicts. The wisdom of letting loose upon the world this small army of evil doers at one and the same time, may be questioned. The governor however aims more to strike a blow at the lease system in the prisons, by means of which convicts perform service for outsiders at a given price, much less than they could be otherwise produced. If the government is in this contract business there is no reason why it could not be conducted at a profit. Why should any state, house, feed, clothe and care for prisoners who perform work out of which some lucky contractor gains immense sums yearly.

It is not justice to the state that pays the bills or to laboring men in general engaged in the same kind of work.

If there is to be labor performed in the jails there is no reason why the state and nation should not receive as high value for the service as any other institution as the institutions providing this labor are costing enormous sums each year.

COMMUNITY HOUSE

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terra cotta with a hall 48x50, seating 500, these are the plans favored by the community house committee.

By Berry and Davidson for a $30,000 building, three stories of brick and stucco, with a hall 40x45, seating 350 and two stores 20x40.

All three plans call for buildings of second class construction with fire stops complying with the building laws.

The meeting was then thrown open for discussion. General sentiment favored joining with the Wollaston project rather than building an association structure. But five were in favor of the latter.

It was voted to continue in office the building committee of Louis S. Cleaves, Russell T. Anthony and William M. Burrell to act in conjunction with the Wollaston committee.

The nominating committee brought in the dual slate of names to be voted upon at the annual meeting in January. The meeting which was held in the Wollaston Yacht club house adjourned with coffee and sandwiches.

BRIEFS

For the accommodation of Christmas shoppers the local stores will be open every evening until Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Cumming announce the engagement of their daughter Helen to Warren L. Bates of Braintree.

Quincy merchants are using the Red Cross Christmas seals liberally. The little messenger brightens up a letter, even a prosaic bill.

All the stores are now open evenings until after Christmas and Quincy is the place for Quincy people to buy their Christmas gifts.

An eight-page Ledger today and until Christmas. Read Ledger advertisements and see what the reliable home merchants are offering as inducements for you to buy of them.

SEAL ON EACH SOLE.

"Am I using Red Cross Christmas Seals?" reiterated a good-natured old cobbler as he looked up from the shoe he was repairing to the person who stood blocking the doorway of the little shop, and who had asked the question originally. "I don't know of them. What are they for?" he asked.

When told that the little stickers



were being sold all over the United States to raise money to prevent tuberculosis, the cobbler became very much interested.

"Now, I call that a good cause," he drawled, "I can't afford many because I don't get very much work away out here in this end of town, but you can leave me ten of them.

"No, I don't write any letters and I don't send any Christmas packages. There's just me and the old woman left. I'll tell you how I can use them. I will stick a seal on the sole of every shoe I tap!"

COMMISSION GOVERNMENT

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united public spirit. He had just been touring two great European countries where the ideas of brotherhood has never taken hold of the mass of the people. China has just got hold of the idea that the government was for the benefit of the whole people. This has come from the education of the young Chinamen. It is not the idea in China to help one another but to let a diseased and injured person run about with no public or private care for the distressed.

In Japan it is a little different. They are getting the idea of universal brotherhood. The greatest gift that civilization can give to the oriental people is that of human brotherhood. In Japan they are just getting at the conception of this public spirit. This club therefore is for the promotion of a sense of brotherhood and public spirit. Coming to the subject of the evening, "The Commission form of government for cities," Dr. Eliot said that the commission form of government originated in Galveston after the great flood which wiped out the city and destroyed many lives. It came as an example of public spirit. Three gentlemen, all lawyers met and discussed the question of relief and making the streets accessible, and directing the work of rescue. These three men met night after night and discussed and thought out the plan for the new government for Galveston. They made the plans and presented the bill to legislature for the commission form of government. Great things have come out of those meetings. The charter was granted which provided for the government by a commission of five men. These three who inspired it did not dare to leave the selection of the five men to the people but provided that two should be elected and three appointed Since then over 200 cities have adopted a commission form of government and he had yet to hear of any city that had returned to its former state.

There are a great variety of charters for the commission form of government. In some cities they include the election of school committee and in other cities the schools are entirely separate while in others the schools are in the hands of the commission. Many questions will arise as to which is the best form for Quincy and you will have to select that which is most practical for your needs.

The fundamental principles of a commission form of government are first a short ballot. This is one thing that is needed if we are to get an efficient government. The long ballot makes bosses and machine wrkers. It is impossible for any citizen to intelligently use one of these long ballots unless some machine helps you, and indicates for whom you should vote. At the recent election in Cambridge, Dr. Eliot said that he had to fall back upon the machine for help. There is still one machine left in Massachusetts. (laughter).

The long ballot puts the power into the hands of the bosses and we will never escape until we get a short ballot. Another thing is that in the commission form of government, is the merit system for city employees. It is the most fundamental of all forms of government to obtain for cities, workers capable of giving efficient work. American cities are struggling from incompetent men put in charge of great interests.

The work to be done under the commission form is just plain business. It is like a great railroad, where they have a board of directors who simply execute. We need water supplies, sewers, police, bridges and other things. There is no question as to the policy of these things and the best way is to put the question to the people by popular vote. The question is how to get these things and have the business done straight. That is downright business with no politics in it.

All corporations have a small group of managers, or directors. These directors employ no one but experts, certified to them. The result is that under these few directors we have a group of heads of departments each of whom manages his own departments. All men under them serve during good behavior and efficiency. This is absolutely the only way discovered to produce loyal intelligent service.

If the citizens of Quincy are to study the question, the best way is to get the annual reports of these cities that have adopted the form and see what has been accomplished. Then it is necessary to study the nature of the voting body. Is the majority of the vote cast by poll tax payers or by men of property? Is it a voting body of tax payers or a voting body of non tax payers. Another question to consider is, does any form of religion possess the majority of the voters. If you want to take up the question the first thing to do is to appoint a committee to study these methods and you will find some favor greater supervision and some less.

The great democracy is to have a government so that no one man is held responsible for failure. So in our present form of government the responsibility is not fixed on any one man. The responsibility in most forms of commission forms of government can be traced to one man, for in this form each has his part of the work to do.

The speaker then touched at length on Houston Texas where much had been accomplished in the way of public improvements without creating a loan or increasing the tax rate He had made a personal study of this city and had learned that the secret was that the commission got a dollars worth of work for a dollar expended. Their predecessors in office only got fifty cents of work for a dollar expended. There are very few cities where a dollar is returned in work for a dollar expended. In Houston the city was not considered an institution for charity but for efficiency. This method will save any city thousands of dollars. It is astonishing how many great cities have been regarded as charities to take care of the people. It however will take time for the United States to accomplish the good results that have been obtained in Houston.

Dr. Eliot then spoke of a Virginia city of 25,000 population where one man was hired for a salary of $2,000 to run the city. So successful was his management that the next year they raised his salary to the large sum of $2,500. He was an engineer and had entire charge of the city's business. This man saved enough in the purchase of coal alone to more than pay his salary.

Other cities have tried similar plans that is putting a competent man in charge and it seems to have been successful.

It is the poorer classes who suffer most from poor government and it is for the poorer classes that we pay our taxes. That is the reason of the brotherhood. It is impossible for any society to be perfectly happy if they see those below unhappy. It is this sense of brotherhood for which we are banded together. Nothing can be done for our benefit that is not for all. This is all a part of the social reform. A part of an immense movement. A problem for human happiness.

At the close of his address Dr. Hudson announced that Dr. Eliot would answer questions, and Lysander Richards asked about the merit and civil service system. In reply Dr. Eliot explained that the civil service system aside from asking academic questions such as reading, etc. simply asked questions which pertained to the particular business for which the person being examined was to fill.

Mr. Richards desired to ask further questions but Dr. Hudson said that the hour fixed upon for closing had been reached and there was some little business to transact.

A motion was then made that the membership limit be raised to 225 and that the dues for members joining after the December meeting be $1 per meeting. These wil come up for action at the January meeting.

Before the meeting closed Dr. Hudson called attention to the public meeting to be held in the Council Chamber tonight on the public domk question. This he said was one of the most important questions to come before the city and he urged all to attend.

FEW ATTENDED THE CEREMONY

But Many At Reception to Capt. Crabbe and His Bride

Miss Eva Lena Hamilton and Capt. Herbert Charles Crabbe, both of St. Johns, New Brunswick, were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Carl J. Johnson of 27 Pleasant street, Tuesday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. G. Potter, pastor of the Howard Avenue M. E. church of Allston.

They were unattended and the double ring service was used. Only the immediate relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony.

The bride was handsomely gowned in embroidered marguisette, en train, trimmed with white satin and roses and Irish lace yoke and collar. A long veil was caught up with satin roses and orange blossoms. She carried a large bouquet of white roses.

Guests were present from Allston, Dorchester, Salem and Boston.

The bride has been living in Quincy for about three months and is a dressmaker. The groom is a river captain for the St. John Steamship Co. He has many friends in the New England states, having made their acquaintances while they were touring the provinces.

Mr. and Mrs. Crabbe will make their home on Main street, Fairville, St. John, where they will arrive about Feb. 1 after a trip along the Atlantic sea coast.

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PLENTY SMOKE LITTLE FIRE

Bit of Paper in Boiler Pit Caused Excitement

AT LEDGER OFFICE

The Ledger office was the storm centre of excitement, about 8.30 o'clock, Tuesday night, when the entire central station fire apparatus and many hundreds of citizens were attracted to the plant by the belief that a fire was in progress, but fortunately while there was plenty of smoke the fire was of little consequence, and was smothered by a stream from the hand chemical. At any rate there is the consolation that even if the blaze had not been discovered it would have burned itself out without doing any further damage than filling the building with smoke as the offending paper was completely surrounded by metal or brick work.

The fire was discovered by Frank P. Hill, foreman of the printing department when he opened a door leading to the pressroom in the basement, and was greeted by a dense volume of smoke. Mr. Hill with fine presence of mind closed the door, to check the draft and rushed to the telephone and called up the central fire station, and the response was prompt and effective.

The fire proved to be nothing more than the smoulder of a sheet of brown paper which had dropped into the steam heater pit and partially ignited from the warm metal. The smoke was thick, filling the building and when the doors were opened it seemed as though a heavy fire was in progress.

Chief Litchfield and chauffeur Williams were the first to arrive, followed closely by the auto chemical and the other apparatus. A hand chemical stream played on the paper by chauffeur Williams stopped the smouldering.

When Mr. Hill left the plant at six o'clock he thought he detected smoke, but could locate no fire. On his return at 7 o'clock the odor was stronger, and he made a tour of inspection without success and shortly after 8.30 it became intense. Another investigation followed and he summoned the department.

Considerable excitement was created by the fire department's sudden appearance without a bell alarm and a large crowd gathered in front of the building. There was no damage.

Human Nature.

"Why is it," asked the curious guest, "that poor men usually give larger tips than rich men?"

"Well, suh," said the waiter, who was something of a philosopher as well, "looks to me like de po' man don't want nobody to find out he's po' and de rich man don't want nobody to find out he's rich."—Exchange.

REVERENCE FOR GOD

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the Italian, the Hungarian, the Pole, the Syrian, the Russian Jew. The immigrant of today is not the immigrant of 50 years ago.

"Then they came from the United Kingdom, Germany and the Scandinavian provinces. Now they come from Italy, Southeastern Europe and Asia, coming from a different racial stock and representing a lower stage of civilization and progress. They are not by any means the scum of the population but they bring with them a physical, mental and spiritual inheritance that is foreign to this land.

"The Italians for instance represent a people who for centuries have been at odds with their government. Law to them has represented a succession of foreign oppressors. These ideas are bred in the bone and it is hard to teach an old dog new tricks. These new ideas have been poured into our national life for a good many years.

"In the past it has been possible to govern after an Anglo Saxon fashion. All had a common way of looking at things, That is why the republic was a success.

Will the next race do that? That is the experiment we are trying. The ideas of Bishop Lawrence and Mister Eitor would not mix very well. Neither would yours and mine with Giovanitti or the Russian Jew.

"In the past it has been representative government. Now the idea is to do away with representatives and govern ourselves. Most people do not realize what a revolutionary thing it is—the change from a representative to a direct government. It means the immediate enactment of the will of the people without the intervention of machinery that acts as a break. This is more than a change of methods. It is a fundamental change.

"The underlying sentiment is 'Why be restrained by the laws made by estimable gentlemen 100 years dead. The changing of constitution and statutes is a slow one. Why wait?' These are the principles underlying the principles of the initiative, referendum and recall. The fundamental ideas of the Progressives are the coming ideas. I am not a follower of Roosevelt but that body has all the machinery for an immediate democracy. The tide is running steadily in that direction. The question between the Progressive and Conservative is not progress but the rate of progress. We are going to try the experiment. Whether we succeed or fail depends upon certain things.

"In the first place we must assimilate the immigrant. We must teach him to speak as we speak and think as we think. The influx is so great that it is now not necessary to learn English. If a direct democracy is to be a success the people must be intelligent enough to understand the principles upon which governments are founded and use the ballot box for something more than getting something for themselves.

"In the third place they must have reverence for God and duty." In closing Dr. Hamilton said that organizations of the kind he was addressing could help in the uplift of this class of the population.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

WHAT THEY ARE DOING AND SEASONS' PLANS

From now on until after New Years there will not be much doing of a serious nature in the world of clubs the rush of the holiday season quite overshadowing anything that the clubs may offer.

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With Mrs. Alfred P. Thompson as hostess and Miss Abigail B. Wood as chairman of the program, the Junior Friday club had a very pleasant meeting, Monday afternoon.

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The fourth Shakesperian lecture by Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney under the auspices of the Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter, D. A. R., will be given tomorrow, the 19th, and the next one on Jan. 2d.

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First Church Alliance is to give a Christmas party for children who would not otherwise have a Christmas festivity. The party will be held Monday afternoon in First church chapel and there will be games, amusements, a tree and refreshments

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Mrs. William F. Cummings is chairman of the meeting on Dec. 26 of the Atlantic Shakespeare society and act four of King John will be taken up for study.

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The Friday club has a holiday meeting on Dec. 27th with Mrs. George G. Saville of Saville avenue as the hostess and Mrs. Francis Abele and Mrs. Frank A. Page the committee; subject, "On the track of Ulysses.

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For a holiday frolic the Quincy Young Women's club is to indulge in a "baby party" at its meeting, Saturday evening, Dec. 28.

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After a brief recess during the Christmas holidays the Quincy Women's club is to have two unusually good meetings in January. Mrs. Christobel Kidder will read "The Blot on the 'Scutcheon" on January 14 and the annual musicale will be given January 27 (Monday) at Quincy Music hall. Members are also looking forward to the Twelfth Night revels which also occur in January.

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QUINCY YOUNG WOMEN'S CLUB.

There was a large attendance of club members Saturday evening at the clubhouse for the regular meeting of the Young Women's club, the special attraction being a travel talk by Miss Edith Randall, a club favorite.

Miss Marie Bass, president called the meeting to order for a short business session. The monthly reports of the secretary and treasurer were approved and Miss Mabel Lovejoy of the Entertainment committee outlined the programs for the two gentlemen's nights and told of the plans for the next meeting, Dec. 28, which would be a "baby" party, celebrating the Christmas holiday season.

Miss Randall for her travel talk selected a most interesting country, her subject being "Holland, the land of Dikes." Beside having a thorough knowledge of her subject from frequent tours through Holland, Miss Randall has a wealth of personal reminiscenses, which she relates in a bright entertaining way, which carries her audience with her and makes it a pleasure to those who have not yet visited the scenes which she portrays.

Informal dancing was enjoyed during the social hour, Miss Hannah Litchfield and Miss Churchill presiding at the piano.

TENNIS CLUB BALL.

The seventh annual ball of the Quincy Tennis club to be held in Music hall, Dec. 27, promises to be a fitting climax to a most successful year on the courts. Poole's orchestra will furnish the music which has been especially selected for the occasion.

The matrons will be Mrs. Edwin E. Davis, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Anna F. Hobart and the patronesses: Mrs. William R. Bateman, Mrs. Homer Lane Bigelow, Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur Mrs. E. Tyler Brigham, Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, Mrs. John D. Buckingham, Miss Charlotte Burgess, Miss Grace L. Burke, Mrs. Walter E. Burke, Mrs. Horace R. Drinkwater, Mrs. William Edwards, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mrs. J. Brooks Keyes, Mrs. Henry L. Kincaide, Mrs. Theophilus King, Mrs. Henry H. Kitson, Mrs. Thomas Lacey, Miss Georgiana C. Lane, Mrs. L. F. LaRose, Mrs. Jesse I. Litchfield, Miss Maude W. McFarlane, Mrs. N. Gorham Nickerson, Jr., Mrs. James M. Nowland, Miss Minnie Packard, Mrs. Richard R. Freeman, Miss Avah R. Gilson, Mrs. George F. Hall, Mrs. Harry W. Hall, Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick, Mrs. Charles E. Haskins, Miss Irene T. Hibbard, Mrs. Anna F. Hobart, Mrs. Henry R. Holden, Mrs. Charles Allan Howard, Mrs. Nathaniel S. Hunting, Mrs. Edward E. Jameson, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. Henry W. Porter, Mrs. James Ring, Mrs. Walter L. Sargent, Mrs. Carl R. Sheppard, Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, Mrs. James H. Slade, Mrs. Frederick H. Smith, Mrs. Maurice P. Spillane, Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, Mrs. Laurance H. Sturtevant, Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth.

The following men are to usher: Paul Blackmur, Walter E. Burke, Harold L. Davenport, Carl C. Davis, L. Kenneth Edwards, William C. Edwards, L. H. Gilson, Henry R. Holden, J. Brooks Keyes, Delcevare King, Hobart A. Lawton, George E. Pfaffmann, John S. Pfaffmann, Henry W. Porter, Charles A. Price, Walter C. Rogers, Carl R. Sheppard, James H. Slade, Morton Smith, Laurance H. Sturtevant, Moreton T. Swallow, William P. Thompson and L. Brewster Walker.

SEVEN CENT SOCIAL

The first of a series of socials for the people of Bethany church was held in the chapel, Tuesday evening, known as a seven-cent social. It was entirely informal with an impromptu entertainment by young people of Atlantic.

The affair was under the auspices of Visiting Ten King's Daughters. A large number was present and all entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion.

Under the direction of Mrs. Albert M. Thompson, leader of the Ten, the room was tastefully decorated with red crepe paper, the flower scheme being poppies.

A play "Pa's New Housekeeper," was given by the young people of Memorial church, Atlantic as follows: Pa Jackson, a widower, who has decided intentions, Percival Hall; Jimmie Jackson, who disapproves of them Arthur Hall; Jack Brown, Jim's chum, who helps to thwart them, Frank Doring; Mattie Jackson, Jim's sister, who can't understand them, Miss Hazel Dawson; Mollie Holbrook, her friend who gets mixed up in them, Miss Eleanor Nelson.

Refreshments were served, the tables being in charge of the following ladies: ice cream and cake, Mrs. Lucy B. Waterman, Mrs. Charles Hayden, Miss Ida Thomas, Mrs. Albert M. Thompson; fancy articles, Mrs. C. W. Guy, Mrs. W. A. Hart, Miss Addie J. Park; candy, Mrs. Louis LaRose, Mrs. Alfred Bean and Miss Alice Parker.

The proceeds of the entertainment will be for the benefit of Pond home.

—The "prominent member" of the National Retail Druggists' Association, who wishes to have the Sherman Act amended so as to permit of combinations of retailers to fix prices, may as well make up his mind first as last that the thing won't work. The time has gone by when such an idea would be considered for a moment. Furthermore, if such a form of "trust" was legalized, it probably would not work. It is unlikely that all dealers would voluntarily come into the "trust," and if they did, it would completely exterminate competition. That anyone in these days should think of such a thing is absurd. —Banker and Tradesman.

WOMAN'S GUILD HOME TALENT

The Woman's Guild of the Park and Downs church held an interesting Christmas meeting Tuesday afternoon, home talent day and Miss Catherine Robinson spoke in a most interesting manner on "The Madonna." "The Christ Child Lullaby" and "Holy Night" were sung by Mrs. Coombs.

The social hour which followed was in charge of Mrs. William C. Crane, Mrs. Seth P. Crocker and Mrs. Charles F. Bryant were the pourers, Enough money was brought in toward the organ fund to turn the hands of the clock to $229.

Pratt's Vienna Bread

More food value because of care and accuracy in production.

ALL GROCERS

MET HIS BRIDE AT THE PIER

Quincy Italian Greeted His Fiancee on Arrival. Wedding Followed

The marriage of Adamo Antonio Dellabarber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orazio Dellabarber of 125 South Walnut street, to Miss Marie Gustine Deffabbia became publicly known this morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Nazareno Gauchus at Boston, on Dec. 10. The bride came to America on the S. S. Canopic, arriving but a few hours before the ceremony was performed. The groom is a plumber by trade and is well-known in the Point District.

CHRISTMAS AT SHUMAN'S.

The great store of A. Shuman & Co., Boston, is appropriately decorated this year as usual, with holly, laurel, and mistletoe, thus revealing the Christmas spirit of the entire organization. The ten or twelve Dicken's booths established in the store, are magnificently decorated and are lighted with electricity. Many of the lights are incased in novel birch-bark lanterns, artistically arranged to give the best possible effect which completes one of the most pleasing features depicted in Boston at this holiday time. Notable among the Christmas ideas are the silhouettes of Dicken's characters hand-painted on ground glass. These are placed around the booths and are electrically lighted from behind to show off the characters to the greatest possible advantage. For a long time this big establishment has worn an air of holiday time and has attracted the attention not only of holiday shoppers—but of those who are pleased with a decided show of the Yuletide.

Many suitable, useful articles for men, women and children, are being shown throughout the store, which will go a long way to save the busy shopper time and money. Every department is transformed into a real Christmas department, displaying goods intended for holiday gifts. Of those the furnishings for men predominate, while in the Christmas department for women may be found a great variety of useful gifts, including many small articles already placed in handsome Christmas boxes ready for immediate delivery.

Dickens was a famous author of Christmas stories and there has also been prepared by the management, a beautifully designed Christmas gift card, containing an appropriate Dicken's quotation, which may be had for the asking in connection with any purchase made, and may be enclosed in a beautifully decorated Christmas box.

ANOTHER ARREST IN "DE LUXE" FRAUD

Powers Is Held In $15,000 Bail In Court at Boston

Boston, Dec. 18.—Michael J. Powers, 49 years old, was arrested on a secret indictment warrant in connection with the "de luxe" books frauds.

Powers is charged with the larceny of $87,075 on Nov. 29 last from Mrs. Mary Rogers in a book transaction. The prisoner is charged also with conspiracy to steal this sum, in two counts; also conspiracy to obtain the signature of Mary L. Rogers to a written instrument, the false making of which constitutes forgery.

He is also charged with conspiracy in two counts to steal in a book transaction $2,360.50 on Oct. 19, 1909, from Kate M. Eager of Boston.

Powers was arraigned in the superior criminal court. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $15,000 bail.

☞Maple Dairy, the new butter and egg store in the Bradford building, Chestnut street is carrying a large stock of fresh goods and attracting a large patronage.

☞Can you think of a better Christmas present to give your family than a year's subscription to the Quincy Daily Ledger? Just think of it, when you subscribe for the Ledger it means pleasure for you each day of the coming year and only costs $5.00. Start the year right, don't go to bed during 1913 until you have read the newsy little "home daily." tf

HOLIDAY FESTIVITIES FOR JUNIORS.

Dainty Frocks and Smart Fixings—Little Dress Wrinkles that make Acceptable Presents.

The young contingent are very much in evidence wherever one goes this month and week end groups of boys and girls being treated to lunch of afternoon spreads make the city unusually festive in aspect.

YOUTH GAIETIES.

Youthful gaieties timed for the holiday season make great demands on festive attire, and pretty fixings for the girls, and smart accessories for the boys are no small part of the shopping done. Dresses of the less expensive silks are an excellent choice for party frocks as these stand a good deal of wear without loosing freshness. The cost of cleaning is always an item to be reckoned with in selecting lingerie dresses, though these are always in good style for the juniors, and are easily changed with new ribbons, etc. Girls in their teens wear almost the same materials as their elders, only made on more youthful lines. Belted frocks and blouses are especially liked, and fur cuffs and collars with or without a matching muff are very cosy and smart, especially when the small hat a la Russe or Turque is similarly banded. Wider brimmed shapes have an edge of fur, while a fur tail is often the sole ornament of a hat of velvet or cloth.



The above designs are by The McCall Company, New York, Designers and Makers of McCall Patterns.

EXTRA WAISTS.

Shirt styles in albatross, flannel, or washable silks are particularly desirable for wear with suits or long overcoats, and the older girls wear very much the same styles in brocaded silk and satin waists that are first favorites with their mothers. The various turn over collars are, most of them, especially pretty and becoming to the school girl contingent, but jabots of hemstitched mull of footing are better for these than the lace fixings worn by their elders. Vivid contrasts in long four-in-hands and Newports are becoming, and velvet bows that are a back ground for pretty loop catches and buckle pins, are in excellent style. There is not the same effort to have waist and suit correspond as formerly, and waists of figured net are considerably employed. Sets of lamb in snow white coloring are more used by misses of sixteen than has been the custom other years, though of course where expense is not considered pure white foxes have the preference.

COTTON AND SILK MIXTURES.

Very pretty gowns are made of the various cotton and silk mixed goods. The plain finishes vie with small patterned brocades and printed borders. Rose color maize light green and duck blue are quite as much used as white in fact, most of the debutantes this season have worn dresses in colors, or white combined with color, and the touch of black velvet ribbon in sash, girdle and trimmings is still popular. Colored velvet ribbon is increasingly used in similar ways.

FLOWERED RIBBONS.

Flowered ribbons for sashes, hat trimming and for turn over collars and cuffs on frocks and blouses are very much seen. The scoop shape hat with velvet crown and brim all of figured ribbon laid in shallow plaits, to fit the curves, is a style especially adapted to a young face.

ANGORA WOOL.

Angora wool sweaters, hats and waistcoats are all very desirable additions to the wardrobe of girls or boys who go in for out-door sports, which means nearly everyone these days. These cost a pretty penny when purchased at the shops, but are not out of reach where some one in the family is expert with the knitting needles.

SHOE FASHIONS.

Shoe fashions don't change much. Sensible parents insist that growing feet shall be shod so that the foot is not cramped, and instep and ankle properly supported. Fancy shoes with contrasting vamp and uppers are liked as well for youngsters as for adults wearers. Black patent leather with white kid uppers go with every sort of fancy dress so are first favorities, and black shoes with white hosiery is also stylishly used for dancing, both for girls and boys.

Fannie Field.

New York, Dec. 16, 1912.

CHEATING BY SHORT WEIGHT.

"Housekeepers pay enough for what they buy, heaven knows, without being cheated by getting less than they pay for. Dr. Reichmann startled his audience when he asserted that "the merchant who 'short weights' his customers is worse for the community than the pickpocket," because, "the cheating merchant is levying his false tax on the customer every day." There is not the slightest doubt that this adds directly to the cost of living.

We refuse to believe that the practice is by any means general in Baltimore. Our merchants grocers, butchers and hucksters are honest. But the few that are dishonest put a handicap upon the many who are honest. One who gives short weight can afford to mark his prices a shade lower than those who give full weight. And the honest merchant will find it to his interest to compel the short weight competitor to give full measure or be exposed.

The women have the most direct interest in this movement, and they can make it effective. If housewives will weigh what they buy by the pound and measure what they buy by the quart or bushel, they can soon determine whether they are getting what they pay for. Of course, they will have to be careful to get correct scales and measures in order to avoid doing the seller an injustice.

In this case, as in so many others, publicity and strict enforcement of the law are the remedies. If any merchant knew that if he were caught cheating thousands of women would be told of it, and threat of loss of trade would be sufficient to overcome the temptation to make an extra profit. If he knew that scales or measures found inaccurate would be seized and destroyed and the owner fined and exposed, he would carefully see to it that his own scales and bushel and quart measures were strictly accurate.

The retailer in many instances is not to blame for high prices, but there is no excuse for downright cheating. It is a form of petty theft that honest merchants and customers should join hands in stamping out."—Baltimore Sun.

☞White wrapping paper at 2 cents a sheet at the Ledger Office. Come early and avoid the rush. tf

—The old families of Boston are said to have cause for complaint says the Taunton Herald because naturalized foreigners who discard their own names are adopting the old Boston family names, and these symbols of the aristocracy may be seen on fish carts, at fruit stands and over the doors of pawnshops. No person can assume a new name without the permission of a judge, and surely may be expected to use discretion in such matters.

These Specials---on Sale for Three Hours

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

We invite all of Quincy into our store to "look around"—to come in any time and see our stock of fresh, clean goods, to inquire regarding them, to ask for particulars, to interrogate for prices, to know what this store holds that may be of service to you.

Come any time, come tomorrow between 3 and 6 o'clock, and enjoy the special courtesies we shall provide for you, and fill your needs from our great stock, or merely to look around.

Wednesday, Dec. 18, between 3 and 6 o'clock we offer

HATCHET BRAND TOMATOES, EXTRA SIZE, TALL CANS, at a can . 12c

No telephone or team orders accepted. You must *COME* to the store and leave your order. On sale at this price only at the hours stated. The regular price is 17c a can. 6 cans the limit. For cash only.

Thursday, Dec. 19, from 3 to 6 o'clock, we offer

FANCY PRUNES, REGULAR 15c GOODS, THIS YEAR'S PACK . . 10c

No telephone or team orders. You must *COME* to the store and leave your order. 5 lbs. limit to each visitor. Cash only.

OR

HECKER'S FLAP-JACK, OR AUNT JEMINA'S PANCAKE FLOUR . . 7½c

Personal orders only will be accepted. No telephone or team orders. Regular price on either, 10c a package. Cash only.

The above prices are made to induce you to visit our store and "look around." We have hundreds of customers who have never visited us—who have transacted their business with us by 'phone or team—and to pay them for coming to this store and "looking around" and see our immense stock of groceries, meats and vegetables, we offer the above inducements. None of the above goods will be charged. The above prices are for CASH only.

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WEST QUINCY—F. A. Skinner.
John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—Capt. Fosdick's.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair and somewhat cooler with westerly winds Thursday and Friday.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.09
Sun sets	4.14
Length of day	9.05
Moon sets	2.04
High water, A. M.	7.00
High water, P. M.	7.15

Days decrease 6 hours 12 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	44 degrees
Dec. 18, 1911,	41 degrees
Dec. 18, 1910,	31 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

LADIES' LODGE ELECT OFFICERS

Plan Big Time at Installation in January

At the regular meeting of John Adams Lodge, L. L. O. L., No. 11, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Worthy Mistress—Annie McKenkie.
Deputy Mistress—Jane Murdock.
Chaplain—Katie McKenzie.
Recording Secretary — Annie Lamont.
Financial Secretary—Jennie Johnson.
Treasurer—Georgie Stewart.
First Conductress—Annie Beaton.
Second Conductress—Grace McKinnon.
Inside guard—Evelyn L. Stewart.
Outside guard—Christina Stewart.
Trustees—Sadie McLean, Elizabeth Budd, Beatrice Bond.
Advisory Board—Andrew Stewart, Murdock Giles, Neil Mc Donald.
Finnance Committee—James Ross, Mary Stewart, James Smith.

The installation will be held in Electa hall, Jan. 7, 1913.

OFFICERS OF LABOR UNION

Masons and Affiliated Crafts Hold Annual Election

The officers chosen for the year by the Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers, Quincy local are as follows:

President—James F. Mullen.
Vice President—C. B. Huston.
Corresponding and Financial Secretary—Nicholas F. Cleary.
Recording Secretary—Harry Douglas.
Treasurer—Alexander Kenn.

Minister Sent to Jail

Boston, Dec. 18.—Rev. Harry R. Fuller, a Baptist minister of Flemington, N. J., was sentenced to one month in the municipal court on a charge of defrauding the Commonwealth hotel by giving two worthless checks in payment for board and lodging.

☞Get busy now and shop at home. Look over the stock of local merchants. They need the trade and you need their stores. Be one to show your civic pride by shopping at home.



NARROW MARGIN OF ONE GOAL

Quincy Gym Girls Had to Play Some in Last Period

WITH STETSON HIGH

In the last minute of play, with the visitors fighting for victory, the Quincy Gym girls secured the point which gave them a 22 to 21 win against the Randolph Stetson high school team at St. Mary's hall, Tuesday evening. The game was scheduled for Dec. 10 but was not played through a misunderstanding of the date on the part of the visitors.

Eagerness in covering resulted in eight penalties against the Quincy team and Miss Agnes O'Neil caged seven out of eight free tries. The first half closed 14 to 8, with Quincy in the lead. Stetson braced during the second period and played Quincy the fastest period they will contend with this season.

Isidora Beal and Mary Beal played splendidly for Quincy. Edith Mullen who has but recently recovered from an injured ankle was in the game and earned good applause. Alice Marcille and Alice Keith made a good pace for the visitors.

The summary:

QUINCY GYM.		STETSON H. S.
Isadora Beal	rf	lb Olive Keith
		lb Winifred Hatch
Mary Beal	lf	rb Ruth Wrisley
Edith Mullen	c	c Beatrice Teed
Ruth Hilderbrand	rb	lf Olive Marcille
Helena Clark	lb	rf Alice Keith
		rf Agnes O.Neil

Score Quincy 22, Stetson 21. Goals from floor I. Beal 3. Mary Beal 5, Edith Mullen 2, Beatrice Teed, Olive Marcille, Alice Keith 2, Agnes O'Neil 3. Goals from fouls Edith Mullen 2, Agnes O'Neil 7. Referee, Frank Johnson. Scorer Helen Mitchell, Umpire, Cray. Timer Holland. Time 2-15m periods.

BAY VIEW LODGE ENTHUSIASTIC

Officers Elected for the Ensuing Year at Regular Session

The regular bi-monthly meeting of Bay View L. O. L. No. 187 held Monday evening, was well attended and enthusiastic. The following officers were elected for 1913:—W. M.—Alex Ross; D. M.—M. MacKenzie; R. S.—Malcolm MacLeod; F. S.—M. Stewart Treasurer—W. F. MacCalder; D. of C.—Daniel MacLeod; I. T.—Charles Campbell; Chaplain—John MacDonald; O. F. Daniel Macdonell; Committee - M. Lamon, R. Rainey, A. C. Macleod, M. M. Macleod, D. Nicholson, J. J. MacLennan. Finance Committee—James MacDonald, J. Smith and J. MacKinnon.

—A coal dealer was fined $500 and sentenced to twenty days in jail for selling under weight. That's the right kind of justice for these thieves of the poor and it's about time the hand of the law reached them. After the thieves, the liars. There ought to be some way of getting at the dealers who advertise necessaries that are not in weight, measure or quality what it is pretended they are.—The Brooklyn N. Y. Tablet.

PARCELS POST.

Regulations to cover the workings of the new parcels post system, which is to go into operation on Jan. 1, were made public by Postmaster General Hitchcock today.

The new system will be effective throughout the entire postal service at the same time and will affect every postoffice, city rural and railway mail transportation route in the country.

Every precaution will be taken by the Postoffice Department to have the mails moved with the usual dispatch, and all postmasters, superintendents and inspectors have been directed to thoroughly familiarize themselves and their subordinates with every phase of the new system.

Mr. Hitchcock today expressed the hope that the public would familiarize itself with the nature of the new service before attempting its use. Information will be available at any postoffice in the country in a few days.

The regulations provide that parcels merchandise, including farm and factory products (but not books and printed matter) of almost every description up to 11 pounds in weight and measuring as much as six feeet in length and girth combined, except those calculated to do injury to the mails in transit, may be mailed at any postoffice for delivery to any address in the country.

Delivery will be made to the homes of people living on rural and star routes as well as those living in cities and towns where there is delivery by carrier.

Where there is at present no delivery by carrier the parcels will go to the postoffice as is the case with ordinary mail.

The postage rate for the first zone—that is, within distances not exceeding 50 miles—will be 5 cents for the first pound and 3 cents for each additional pound. The rates increase for each successive one of the eight zones into which the country is divided, the maximum rate being 12 cents a pound, which will carry a parcel across the continent, or even to Alaska and the Philippines.

For a fee of 10 cents a parcel may be insured and if the parcel is lost in the mails an indemnity to the amount of its value not to exceed $50 will be paid.

The law provides for the use of distinctive postage stamps and there is now being distributed to postmasters for use in the parcels post system a set of stamps of 12 denominations. Parcels post maps, with accompanying guides, are to be sold to the public at their cost, 75 cents, through the chief clerk of the Postoffice Department.

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KEPT THE PINS FLYING IN AIR

Bowlers Have a Busy and Record Period

AT COLISEUM ALLEYS

Ford's Pets and the Argentine Inspectors split even at the Coliseum alleys, Tuesday night. The inspectors took the first string by a wide margin, and did well on the second and third, but the Pets showed such improvement that they crossed the line a little in the lead in both of those periods. The Inspectors first string however gave them enough to take the total score. Santo Crus, was high single and high total, with 116 and 273 respectively.

The score:

INSPECTORS	1	2	3	Totals
Pozzi	86	91	74	251
Descalzo	72	78	81	231
Gozzi	86	78	81	245
Santo Crus	116	77	80	273
Wilkendorf	82	101	86	269
Totals	442	425	402	1269
FORDS PETS				
Akerovd	96	88	88	272
Boyd	64	77	81	222
Casey	79	67	71	227
Ford	85	95	76	256
Williams	67	109	89	265
Totals	391	436	405	1242

The Heptasoph bowling league matches at the Colisum alleys, Tuesday evening resulted in moderate scores. Team B—Capt. Brown, beat F—Capt. McKay, 3 to 1; team E—Capt. Irving, and D—Capt. Gibney, split two points apiece and team A—Capt. Mullen beat C—Capt. Dackers, 3 to 1. Capt. Brown made high string with 100 and his teamate, Byron, secured high total with 276.

The Loftsmen of the Fore River yard did some high rolling. Mahonby made 115 for high string with Sherriff close second with 111. McDonnell snapped for 105 and Sherriff and Cadman made strings of 103. Sherriff reached 293 for total.

In a practise match by two men teams the Government Draftsmen of the Yard did nothing alarming. Melendy took the high single at 103 and O'Neil made 279 for high total.

The scores:

A. (MULLEN CAPT.)	1	2	3	Totals
Canty	99	75	83	257
Dineen	64	67	68	199
Lecco	96	71	76	243
Haynes	77	73	77	227
Mullen	83	88	94	265
Totals	419	374	398	1191
C (DACKERS CAPT.)				
Austin	64	67	68	199
Conroy	84	81	77	242
Farnham	85	74	71	230
W. DeCoste	76	73	71	217
Dackers	80	83	88	251
Totals	389	378	395	1139
E. (IRVING CAPT.)				
Cahill	83	99	74	256
Heald	83	94	67	244
Provost	75	67	89	231
Irving	77	91	68	236
Wilson	82	96	79	257
Total	400	447	377	1224
D. (GIBNEY CAPT.)				
Cunniff	77	74	90	241
T. DeCoste	74	75	71	220
Pitts	85	64	82	231
Gibney	94	87	80	261
Robertson	73	66	92	235
Totals	406	366	416	1188
B. (BROWN CAPT.)				
S. MacKay	74	94	87	255
Byron	90	96	90	276
Longman	67	69	73	209
Brown	85	85	100	274
Healey	95	81	98	274
Totals	411	425	448	1284
F. (A. MACKAY CAPT.)				
S. York	93	77	76	246
H. York	83	73	71	227
Hinckley	67	69	76	212
A. MacKay	86	75	98	259
Kalson	88	83	93	264
Totals	417	377	414	1208
CAPT. STANFORD.				
Ferguson	75	67	77	219
McLennan	72	79	66	217
Stanford	88	87	84	259
Mahoney	115	68	85	268
Sherriff	79	111	103	293
Totals	429	412	415	1256
CAPT. McDONNELL.				
Menhenick	77	81	75	23[illegible]
Hamilton	83	82	74	239
Alexander	83	76	75	234
Cadman	60	103	63	226
MacDonnell	91	105	85	281
Totals	394	447	372	1213
GOV. DRAFTSMEN				
Team No. 2.				
Cantwell	99	95	74	268
Kelley	85	77	101	263
Total	184	172	175	531
Team No. 1.				
Wallace	70	82	91	243
Melendy	82	72	103	257
Total	152	154	194	500
Team No. 3.				
Brickley	79	91	88	258
O'Neil	95	83	98	276
total	174	174	186	534
Team No. 4.				
Summers	73	78	84	235
Creen	85	75	93	253
Total	158	153	177	488

HEPTASOPHS LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	Won.	Lost	Pctge.	P.F.
C	14	6	.700	6049
A	12	8	.600	5918
B	11	9	.550	5887
F	10	10	.500	5823
D.	8	12	.400	5821
E	5	15	.250	5889

Individual averages over 80.

Wilson 90
Dackers 87
Mullen 86
Healy 85
Kalson 85
S. York 84
A. MacKay 84
Robertson 84
Canty 84
Brown 83
Cunniff 81
Cahill 81

Highest single—Canty of team A, 122. Highest three string total tie between Wilson of E. and Canty of A. at 295. Highest team total, Team B. 1284.

Disraeli's Fine Digestion.

Disraeli appears to have been endowed with a most accommodating digestion. When he visited Spain in 1830 he wrote his mother glowing accounts of "the most agreeable dish in the world—an olio. I will explain it to you, for my father would delight in it. There are two large dishes, one at each end of the table. The top one contains bonilli beef, boiled pork sausage and black pudding. The other is a medley of vegetables and fruits, generally French beans, caravanseras and whole peas. Help each person to a portion of the meats and then to the medley. Mix them up in your plate together and drown them in tomato sauce. I have eaten this every day. It is truly delightful."—London Standard.

Almost a Threat.

Police Inspector—Haven't I often instructed you that you are not to allow the public to pick the flowers in this park? Park Keeper—Yes; that is my wife, who used to be your cook. Perhaps you will try to make her stop.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

☞White wrapping paper at 2 cents a sheet at the Ledger Office. Come early and avoid the rush. tf

GORGEOUS CHORISTERS.

Boy Singers of the Private Chapel In St. James' Palace.

There are ten boys in London who every Sunday and on state occasions wear suits of clothes that in each instance cost something like $200. The lads thus expensively and brilliantly attired are the choristers belonging to the king's private chapel in St. James' palace. When arrayed in their state suits they are truly a gorgeous sight.

Scarlet cloth is the foundation of this costume. Bands of royal purple between rows of heavy gold lace are the adornments. Old lace ruffles are worn at the neck and wrists. These ruffles are so valuable and so difficult to replace that they are worn only on the most special occasions. At other times white lawn bands take their place. The boys must take great care of their suits, which must endure three years. The "undress" suits are replaced every eight months.

This choir is one of the historical institutions of Great Britain, and many of its old time customs, including the dress of the boys, are retained to this day. The choir has numbered among its singers such distinguished musicians as Sir Arthur Sullivan, Edward Lloyd, Sir John Goss and Dr. E. J. Hopkins.

It is the right of the head boy to demand a guinea as "spur money" from any officer entering the chapel wearing spurs. It is said that when Arthur Sullivan was head boy the Duke of Wellington would always come spurred to the chapel, in order that he might have the pleasure of paying the forfeit to his favorite chorister.—Harper's Weekly.

Before and After.

"Bobby, you have been fighting with that Stapleford boy again. Did you count ten before you struck him, as I have always told you to do?"

"No, but I was told that somebody counted ten after he landed on me."—Chicago Tribune.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston
b Norfolk Downs
c Atlantic
d Neponset
e Pope's Hill
* Saturdays Only
f Harrison Square
g Savin Hill
h Crescent Avenue
i South Boston
r Quincy Adams
t Except Saturday

Ex.c.—Express train.

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave	Stop	Arrive	Leave	Stop	Arrive
r 5 14	abcdefgh	5 41	5 45	thgfedcba	6 14 r
r 6 16	abcd	6 35	6 12	thgfedcba	6 39 r
r 6 33	e	6 59	6 30	a	6 47
r 6 40	abcd	7 06	7 15	hgfedcba	7 41 r
r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	c	8 06 r
r 7 35	Exp	7 48	8 35	ca	8 52
r 7 45	abcd	8 09	8 42	c	8 59
		7 57 a	8 18		8 10 r
r 8 05	abcd	8 31	9 45	a	10 01 r
r 8 20	a	8 46	10 15	thgfedcba	10 41 r
r 8 54	acd	9 10	10 55	Exp	11 10
r 9 18	abc	9 38	11 15	hgfedcba	11 41 r
r 9 48	a	9 59	11 30	a	12 07
r 10 10	abcdefghi	10 40	12 15	hgfedcba	12 41 r
		11 02 a	12 37	a	12 54
r 11 4	abcdefgh	11 36	12 50	Exp	1 05
		12 06 a	1 17	fedcba	1 44
r 12 19	abcdefghi	12 45	1 45	a	2 01
r	1 20	a	1 57	2 15	fedcba	2 37 r
	2 04	a	2 20	2 35	Exp	2 50
r	2 19	abcdefgh	2 45	3 15	hgfedcba	3 40 r
r	3 13	Exp	3 28	3 43	a	4 02
	3 46	a	4 30	4 12	fedcba	4 44 r
r	4 26	abcdefgh	4 58	4 41	c	4 58
	5 06	Exp	5 0	4 47	a	5 41
r	5 30	abcdefg	5 55	5 14	a	5 31
	6 12	abd	6 32	5 28	a	5 12
	*6 51	a	7 16	5 30	fedcba	5 50 r
		6 46	b	7 32	5 45	a	6 10 r
r	7 32	Exp	7 35	5 55	fedcba	6 21 r
	7 29	ab	7 46	6 14	Exp	6 30 r
r	8 07	abcdef	8 30	6 31	cdba	6 52 r
r	8 30	abc	8 28	7 05	fedcba	7 24 r
	*9 17	Exp	9 32	7 12	a	7 18
r	10 05	abcdef	10 30	8 05	fedcba	8 28 r
	*10 19	a	10 35	*8 9	Exp	8 35
r	11 2	acdef	11 46	9 05	cdba	9 46 r
				*9 5	Exp	9 51
				10 30	fedcba	11 01 r
				*11 07	a	11 25 r
				11 10	fedcba	11 45 r
				*11 26	ba	11 43 r
				11 30	ba	11 48

SUNDAYS

	7 40	abc	8 02	6 30	ba	6 48 r
		Exp	8 15	8 45	thgfedcba	9 13 r
r	8 46	bcdefghi	9 13	9 05	Exp	9 21
	9 3	abc	9 33	10 5	hgfedcba	10 2 r
	9 31	a	9 47	12 15	thgfedcba	12 42 r
	10 23	ac	10 40	12 45	Exp	1 01
	1 05	Exp	11 22	1 30	thgfedcba	1 57 r
r	11 16	abcdefghi	11 43	2 15	hgfedcba	2 42 r
	1 02	Exp	1 17	3 15	thgfedcba	3 42 r
r	1 16	abcdefgh	1 53	4 27	cba	4 48 r
r	3 10	abc	3 30	5 15	thgfedcba	5 42 r
r	4 16	abcdefgh	4 43	6 15	thgfedcba	6 42 r
	5 07	abc	5 27	7	fedcba	7 19 r
r	6 16	abcdefghi	6 43	8 15	thgfedcba	8 41 r
	7 15	Exp	7 30	8 45	a	9 01 r
r	7 21	a	cdefghi	7 57	9 40	thgfedcba	9 57 r
r	8 6	cdefghi	8 43	10 45	cba	11 04 r
	8 12	a	9 30			
r	10 05	abc	11 05			

West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton) 6.22, 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.05, 10.08, 10.58 A. M., 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.1, 6.08, 7.19, 8.56, 10.43 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.26 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton) 6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10.35 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.34, 1.25, 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.06, 9.06, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.27, 11.55 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.15, 3.45, 4.35, 5.22, 6.17, 9.0, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 3, 1912.

(Subject to change without notice

Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50, A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 10 30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.39 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston 6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.33 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.35, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 20 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

REVISED FIRE ALARM

7 Corner Farnum and Edison Streets
12 Palmer Street, opposite Bakers.
13 Corner Shelton Road and Sea Sts
14 Church turn-out, Manet Avenue.
15 Germantown, Sailors' Snug Harbor.
16 Sea Street, near Rock Island Road
17 Sea street, near Dunham's.
18 Sea and Palmer streets.
19 Rock Island.
21 Corner Whitwell and Granite Sts.
23 Hancock Street, near Hall's stable
24 Whitwell Street, near Hospital.
25 Corner Newcomb and Canal Sts.
26 Hancock, opposite City Hall.
27 Corner Elm and Washington Sts
28 Corner Greenleaf and Hancock Sts
29 Corner Butler Road and Putnam
31 Phipps Street, near Payne Street.
32 Independence Avenue and Franklin
34 Corner High and Franklin Streets.
35 Corner Hancock and School Streets
36 Junction Pleasant and Quincy Sts
37 Corner Franklin and Water Sts.
38 Corner Liberty and Plain Sts.
39 Corner Penn and Liberty Streets.
41 Corner School and Granite Streets
42 Corner Copeland and Granite Sts.
43 Corner Common and Copeland Sts.
45 Corner Crescent and Willard Sts.
46 Copeland and Furnace avenue.
47 Corner Bates Avenue and Grove
48 Corner Robertson and Willard Sts
49 Corner Doble and Willard Streets.
51 Tubular Rivet Factory.
52 Elmwood Avenue and Farrington.
53 Winthrop and Warren Avenues.
54 Hancock Street,, near Elm Avenue
56 Beale, opposite Wollaston Hotel.
57 Corner Beach and Willow Streets.
58 Corner Beale and Adams Streets.
59 Beale Street and Central Avenue.
61 Squantum and Hancock Streets
62 Corner Atlantic and Hancock Sts
65 Hancock Street, near Atlantic depot
84 Billings Street and Newbury Ave.
64 (D) Combination No. 2 House.
65 Faxon Road and Squantum Street
66 Prospect and Billings.
67 Corner Atlantic and Squantum Sts
68 Squantum.
69 Montclair.
71 Corner Mill and Washington Sts.
72 Washington Street, corner South.
73 Corner Winter and Howard Sts.
74 Corner River and Washington Sts
75 Corner Main and Sumner Streets.
76 Washington corner Wharf.
76 (D) Power House, Q. & B. St. R'y.
78 Fore River Ship Building Works
112 Sea street near Willows.
113 Post Island.
114 Engine House, Hougka Neck.
116 Centre road and Darrow Street.
117 Great Hill, Hough's Neck.
119 Rockland and Rhoda, R. I.
121 President's Hill.
122 Chestnut Street and Revere Road.
123 Hancock Street, near Car Barn.
124 Corner Goffe and Adams Streets.
126 Russell Park.
136 Brook Road and Water Street.
138 Corner Brooks Avenue and Centre
143 Station Street.
147 Granite Railway Yard.
151 Billings Road and Beach Street.
152 Corner Billings and Rawson Roads
153 Farrington near Wol. Foundry.
154 Wollaston Ave. near Sailors' Home
155 Warren Avenue, near Newton St.
161 Newport avenue opp. Foundry.
171 Whicher's factory, Union Street.
172 Corner Glencoe place and New Rd
173 Newcomb Square, Quincy Avenue.
174 North, bet. South and Washington
175 Quincy Avenue, near Mrs. Baxter's
221 Glendale road and Bedford Street
223 Washington and Foster.
224 Corner Adams and Whitwell sts.
225 Field and Brackett street.
226 Dimmock and Upland road.
227 Hancock and Chestnut streets.
228 Edgemere Road and Putnam St
242 (P) City Hospital.
272 Corner Washington and Pray Sts
273 (P) Baker Basin.
321 Intervale Street and Brook Avenue
324 Adams St., near Whitwell St.,
331 Franklin and School.
332 Federal and Independence aves.
412 Corner Willard and West Streets.
413 Buckley and Arthur
431 Rogers Street, off Hall place.
432 Willard and Furnace avenue.
435 Reardon and Barry Streets.
441 Smith Street, rear C. H. Hardwick's
442 Quarry Street, near Hitchcock's.
443 Corner Hayden and West Streets.
445 Corner Quarry and Common Streets
446 Opposite Willard School, Copeland
512 Grand View and South Central Ave
513 Foot Beach Street.
515 Quincy Mansion School.
524 Berlin and Woodbine.
552 Brook and Granger.
553 Belmont and Warren avenue.
612 Hancock Street and Billings Road.
613 Hayward opp. Gear Works.
614 Glover avenue and Newbury avenue
615 Oak and Walnut.
617 Squantum and Huckins avenue.
712 Broadway and Commonwealth ave
718 (P) Johnson's Lumber Yard.
721 South and Chubbuck.
722 Washington and Union.
723 South and Clairmont Avenue.
725 South and Winthrop park.

D—Duplicate. P—Private.

For brush and grass fire, send word by telephone or otherwise, to the nearest Fire station.

SIGNALS—Fire Department.

Ten (10) blows followed by Box number—Second alarm.
Twelve (12) blows, followed by Box number—General Alarm
Four (4) blows—Special call for Hose No. 1.
Two (2) blows—Recall.
Three (3) blows—Chief Engineer's call.
One (1) blow, 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.—Fire Alarm test.
2-2 three times—No school.
4-4-4—Military call.
Seven (7) blows—Electric Light Co to shut off current.
3-3-3—Police call.
Lost Child call. 5-5-5—then one round of the Box nearest to where the lost child lives.
Six (6) blows—Superintendent Water Works call.
Two (2) blows, 8.55 P. M.—Curfew Law.
132—Out of City Call, Braintree.
155— " " " Weymouth
158— " " " Milton.
16?— " " " Boston.

CLEARING OUT CONVICT CAMPS

Governor Donaghey of Arkansas Frees 360 Prisoners

LEASING SYSTEM DENOUNCED

Says Action Is Justified as Result of Reports of Special Agents on Conditions Existing on State and County Farms—No Relief Afforded Despite His Repeated Appeals

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 18.—Governor Donaghey has pardoned 316 state and forty-four county convicts and in a long statement said his action was taken as a protest against the system of leasing convicts in vogue in Arkansas. The governor, in his statement, scored magistrates for imposing long sentences for trivial offenses and told of what he termed disadvantages of the lease system.

As a result of the pardons three state convict camps will be abolished, but several camps where prisoners, working on the roads, are housed, will be continued in operation. Some of the men pardoned were sentenced to terms of fifteen years.

The governor, in his statement, which will be presented to the next legislature, tells of his unsuccessful efforts to have the convict lease system abolished and declares that reports made to him by special agents of conditions existing on state and county farms "could scarcely be accepted as truth gotten official documents and personal statements among a civilized people, but for the records in the case."

In answer to his critics, whom the governor quotes as having said a state penitentiary "could not be designed as a Sunday school," he says:

"Nor was it designed as a revengeful hell. Of course no one intends for it to be such, but in a measure that is what it and the county farms of the state have resolved themselves into."

The drastic action is the direct result of sentiments expressed by Donaghey in a speech before the conference of governors at Richmond, two weeks ago.

"I have consistently fought the convict lease system since I have been in public office. In every public speech I have denounced it. As a member of the penitentiary board I have opposed it in every instance where it was an issue.

"Time after time I have pleaded with the legislature to abolish it, but in spite of my appeals for relief and the repeated protests of the people of this state and the reports of the penitentiary and the messages transmitted by the governors to the past two general assemblies, all in condemnation of this cruel penitentiary and county farm lease system, no adequate relief has been given."

EGG PRICES TAKE A TUMBLE

Storage Product In Washington at Twenty-Two Cents a Dozen

Washington, Dec. 18.—Housewives rubbed their eyes in surprise when, on entering Centre market they discovered signs over baskets piled high with eggs announcing the price of the breakfast table commodity had been dropped to 22 cents a dozen.

The sharp cut in price followed a meeting of fourteen of the most important butter, cheese and egg dealers in the market, at which it was decided the price now could be reduced.

The dealers confessed to purchasers that the eggs at this price were of the cold storage variety, but contended that none had been in refrigeration earlier than April, and that they were as good as fresh laid eggs.

GAVE $60.000 REBATES

Charge Against New York Central Official and Subsidiary Lines

Chicago, Dec. 18.—John Carstensen, vice president of the New York Central lines, and three subsidiary railroads of the system, were indicted by the federal grand jury late yesterday, charged with having given rebates to the O'Gara Coal company amounting to $60,000.

The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, the Big Four and the Chicago, Indiana and Southern railroads are named in the true bill along with Carstensen.

Wants Compliments Shortened

Berlin, Dec. 18.—Kaiser Wilhelm has asked the civil authorities who in the past have wished him a "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year" in written and verbal addresses about 15,000 words lond, to merely wish him "the compliments of the season."

Spies Disguised as Nuns

Vienna, Dec. 18.—Three nuns traveling in Austrian Poland were arrested when they aroused the suspicion of an official, and proved to be Russian spies in disguise.

Lost Nine Lives Each

New York, Dec. 18.—Three hundred and sixty lives were lost when forty cats perished in a fire at a Brooklyn hospital for animals.

ROSALIE C. JONES

General of Suffragette Pilgrims' Long March



Photo by American Press Association.

COURAGE UNDAUNTED

Six Suffragettes Complete Second Day of Their Long Hike

Ossining, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Lowering clouds, with a hint of snow in the air, did not daunt the spirit of the pilgrims of suffrage when they completed here, late yesterday afternoon, the second day of their two weeks' journey to Albany to carry a message to Governor Sulzer on his inauguration day.

"And then they marched ten parasangs," laughingly quoted Miss Rosalie C. Jones, commander of the expedition, when she halted in the public square here her little band of suffragettes, now reduced to six, after a leisurely tramp from Irvington. "This is the suffragette Anabasis. We were going to do at least ten miles a day and we will not be daunted by the little snowstorm."

GIGANTIC HUMAN SKELETONS FOUND

Result of Search of Prehistoric Village In California

Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 18.—Recent excavations indicate that the peninsula south of San Francisco once was inhabited by a race of giant stature. Professor Heath of the zoologic department of Stanford university has unearthed about two miles south of here several skeletons of men who were of unusual height.

A prehistoric village covering nearly two acres has been the scene of Heath's investigations. Stone hammers, bone awls and ornaments found by his party indicate that their owners had attained considerable advancement in artisianship and civilization.

PRISON AWAITS SOLONS

Grafters Refused Permission to Carry Cases to Supreme Court

Columbus, O., Dec. 18.—Application of State Senators I. E. Huffman and L. R. Andrews for permission to carry to the supreme court the cases in which they were convicted of accepting bribes for their votes in the last legislature, was refused by that court.

The refusal means that both senators probably will begin their sentences in the penitentiary at once. Andrews was sentenced in the lower court to nine months and Huffman to three years' imprisonment.

THREE MORE INDICTMENTS

Federal Grand Jury Continues on Trail of Jack Johnson

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Three additional indictments under the Mann white slave act were returned against Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist, by the federal grand jury here.

The charges are similar to those contained in the previous indictments against the negro and concern the transportation of Belle Shriber between Chicago, Pittsburg and Milwaukee.

Brown Carries North Adams

North Adams, Mass., Dec. 18.—Wallace E. Brown's third campaign for mayor of North Adams proved successful after two failures when, running on a Republican ticket, he defeated two competitors. The city again went for license by a margin of 408 and adopted the referendum giving the firemen one day off in five.



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This curious form of marriage is a purely Dutch institution, the custom having originated, it is said, in the old times of Dutch-Batavian rule. It is, however, a dead letter in the Transvaal since the English took over that colony.—New York Press.

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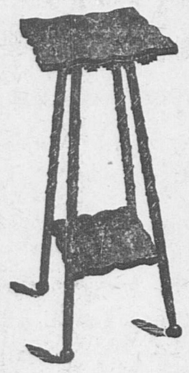
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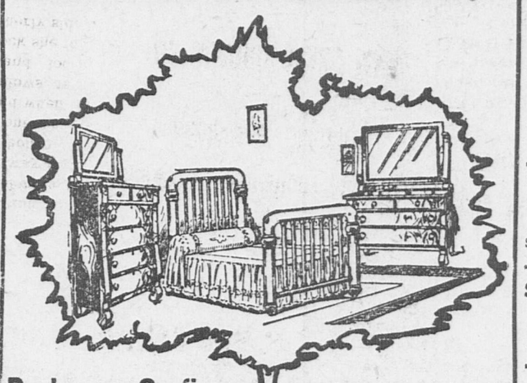
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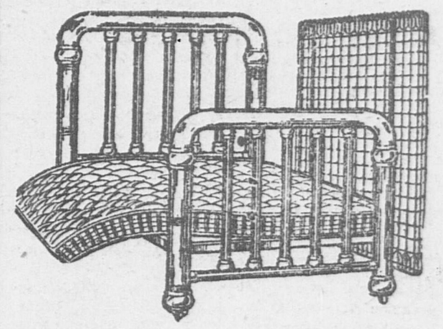
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WOLLASTON INSTALLATION

Grand Lodge Officers Perform Impressive Service

BANQUET FOLLOWED

The officers of Wollaston Masonic lodge were installed Tuesday evening in the presence of a large gathering of members and visitors.

The installing officer was Rt. Wor. William H. H. Soule, Past Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts assisted by Wor. William B. Reid, Past Master of St. Paul's lodge of South Boston. After the business of the evening a banquet was served in the dining hall. The complete list of officers installed as follows:—

Worshipful Master—Charles E. Cherrington.
Senior Warden—Carroll E. Bates.
Junior Warden—John Morgan.
Treasurer—I. Woodbury Pinkham.
Secretary—Alfred H. Richards.
Chaplain—Rev. Isaiah N. Sneath.
Marshall—Edward A. Bean.
Senior Deacon—George A. Smith.
Junior Deacon—Hugh H. Ralph.
Senior Steward—Arthur B. Hillman.
Junior Steward—Charles B. Hoxie.
Sentinel—Elbert H. R. Gardner.
Tyler—William P. Chase.
Trustee of Permanent Fund—Frank P. Waterhouse.

MARRIAGES

CRABBE—HAMILTON— IN Quincy, Dec. 17, by Rev. F. G. Potter of Allston, Captain Herbert Charles Crabbe, to Miss Eva Lena Hamilton both of St. John, New Brunswick.

DELLABARBER— DEFFABIA — In Boston, Dec. 10, by Rev. Fr. Nazareno Gauchus, Mr. Adamo Antonion Dellabarber to Miss Marie Gustine Deffabia of Italy.

LEIBMAN—SMITH—In Boston, Dec. 18, by Rabbi Shaffer of Lynn, Mr. Hyman Leibman of Boston to Miss Rose Smith of Quincy.

DEATHS

BAILLIE—In Quincy, Dec. 18, Mr. Frank W. Baillie, of 5 Lyndon street, in his 49th year.

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Actually there is no university or college in America at which distinctions of birth or wealth count for less than they do at Oxford. There was once a time when there existed a class of "gentlemen commoners"—John Ruskin, I believe, was one of them—who enjoyed special privileges and exemptions.

But that peculiarity has long since been swept away. Not only are the requirements for graduation identical for all comers, but the social life within each college of the university is open on equal terms to every one on the roll. "Duke's son" and "cook's son" share alike in sports and studies, and it is personal qualities alone that determine the position an undergraduate holds among his contemporaries.

The late F. W. Walker, for many years so successful as high master of St. Paul's school, was once interviewed by the rather snobbish mother of an intended pupil. "Of course," she said, "you are very particular about the parents of the boys you admit to your school." "Not at all, madam," was his reply. "As long as your son behaves decently and attends to his work we shall not ask any questions about his parents."

The head of any college at Oxford or Cambridge might have given a similar answer.—London Cor. New York Post.

C. F. Derby of the George W. Jones men's furnishing store, Granite street is confined to his home by illness.

QUINCY GIRL A BOSTON BRIDE

Hyman Liebman Wedded to Miss Rose Smith

Miss Rose Smith, daughter of Louis J. Smith of Washington street and Hyman Leibman of Boston were married Tuesday evening at Hancock hall Russell and Myrtle streets, Boston, by Rabbi Shaffer of Lynn. He was assisted by Rabbi Julius Sandolavitz of Quincy.

The ceremony was performed under a canopy. The bride was given away by her father. She was dressed in embroidered net over white satin and carried lilies of the valley and wore a veil caught up by lilies of the valley.

Philip Glickman of Woonsocket, R. I., was the best man and Mrs. Philip Glickman was the matron of honor. Guests were present from Quincy, Woonsocket, R. I., Revere, and surrounding cities and towns.

Joseph Szathmary, in behalf of the Pride of Quincy Lodge, I. O. B. A. of which her father is a member, presented theb ride with a large candelabrum, and Joseph B. Grossman presented her with a dinner set from the members of the Quincy Young Men's Hebrew Association of which her brother is a member.

The ushers were Judah Smith, Joseph B. Grossman, Joseph Halter and Max Blank. Music was furnished by Vigman's orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Leibman will reside on Myrtle street, Boston. The bride is well known in Quincy, having attended the public schools here.

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

SNEAK THIEVES

Sneak thieves entered the house of Mrs. Catherine E. Pitts at 968 Hancock street Tuesday afternoon sometime between 3.30 and 5 o'clock and gathered up $60 in money belonging to George Ford, a street railway motorman who boards in the house. According to Mrs. Pitts no one was at home all the afternoon and when they went away all of the windows, as far as known were closed and locked. Upon her return at 5 o'clock she found two windows on the southerly side of the first floor open.

On entering the house it was at once evident that unbidden visitors had been there. Entering the living room Mrs. Pitts found that her small desk had been opened and the contents had been strewn about, but as far as she could learn nothing was missing from the desk. On the table was a quantity of silver that had been taken from the china closet. The drawers under the china closet had also been opened but the contents, other than the silver had not been disturbed Some of the articles in the china closet had been moved about but a stein containing $70 in money which sat on the shelf had been undisturbed. In several of the other rooms the same condition existed. Upstairs in one of the rooms a dress suit case containing several gold watches and money had been opened but the contents not disturbed.

In fact the only thing that was found missing was the money belonging to Mr. Ford. This money was in the dresser in his room. Mrs. Pitts is of the opinion that the burglar must have been some one familiar with the premises and that the fact that the silver and other articles were strewn about was simply done as a bluff.

IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Ward Four Improvement Association will be held Thursday evening at St. Jean's hall.

CONFIRMED 33 CANDIDATES

Impressive Ceremony at Christ Episcopal Church

THE SECOND CLASS MAN

The rite of confirmation was administered to 33 candidates at the Christ Episcopal church on Monday evening by Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, Bishop of Diocese of Massachusetts. He was assisted by the rector, Rev. Richard E. Armstrong. The service was simple but impressive and Bishop Lawrence gave a short address on the "Second Class Man."

"Rest in the Lord," was rendered as an offertory anthem by William Carter. Hymns were sung by the regular choir under the direction of Prof. Frank Wrigley, organist.

Bishop Lawrence spoke on the qualities of character as they stand forth in the second rate man. He said that while he looked to the conspicuous men in the community to accomplish the big things of life it was the more modest, sincere and fitter type of men who are doing the splendid good hard work.

Bishop Lawrence used scriptural illustrations throughout his address referring to Andrew as compared to Peter, and said it was the former who brought the Greeks to Christ and did work of a more common nature, that men of such qualities are always on the lookout for opportunities to assist, whereas a more prominent man would be apt to overlook the common things. He closed by recommending the fine timber of the second rate man, saying "we must give him his due because of his value."

ALL SMOOTH AT THEATRE

Second Night Performance Sees Place Running Normal

The Kincaide theatre, which four weeks ago was nothing more than four blank walls enclosing a large space and today is one of the best appointed show houses of the circuit. Tuesday evening attracted about 800 people.

The bill of the opening night was repeated with much better success. The ladies of the orchestra lent their voices to the popular selections and showed a decided improvement in their work. The three turns received fine applause and the great variety furnished opportunity for all to enjoy themselves to their hearts content.

—When you hear a man sneering at your local paper because it is not big like the city papers, you can safely bet he does not squander any of his wealth to help build up the town or work in the interest of anybody but his own selfish being; and more than this, that generally the paper has done far more for him than he has for it. The man who cannot see the great benefits arising from a local newspaper is about as much value to a town as a last year's bird's nest or a delinquent tax list.—Foxboro Reporter.

Too Late For Classification.

LOST—On Chestnut street, Tuesday, pocket book with tickets and money. Judith Darelius, 15 Grant street, Quincy. Dec. 18-3t

PIN BOYS WANTED—Boys over 15 years, to set up pins in evening only, $5 per week. Coliseum Alleys. Dec. 18-3t

HURLEY WINS IN SALEM

Will Become Mayor of the Witch City For the Fifth Time

Salem, Mass., Dec. 18.—John F. Hurley has been elected mayor of this city for three years, the fifth time in twelve attempts. He was elected by a margin of 220 votes.

Hurley will also serve as director of public safety, with full control of the police and fire departments, which have beeen the source of much controversy in the past.

With him, in place of the former city council, will be four other directors of departments: Finance Director Danforth, Director of Public Works Kelley, Director of Public Property Clifford and Director of the Public Health Colbert.

The city went no license by a much larger majority than last year and decided by a wide margin in favor of granting firemen one day off in five.

The Massachusetts Republican club will meet in January and elect officers for the coming year. Among the officers nominated are the following from this locality: secretary, Ex-senator, Eugene C. Hultman of Quincy, vice president from the 14th congressional district, J. Stearns Cushing of Norwood, and Roger Wolcott of Milton, member of the executive committee.

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CHIEF CROCKER PLANNED SUPPER TO RETURN LEE'S COMPLIMENT

Sent Beer to Scene of Festivity and Boubeay Contributed the Wine

Stuff Discovered in Clever Trap, Court Is Skeptical

Chief of police Walter O. Crooker of Holbrook found himself in a peculiar position this morning when he was summoned into court as a witness for the defendant in a liquor case, Jack Lee, in the raid on whose premises he had participated and the beer which was seized is claimed to have belonged to him.

The case was that of Jack Lee charged with unlawfully and exposing for sale liquor. The place was raided on the night before Thanksgiving by a squad of four officers, one of which was Chief Crooker. The search warrant however was sworn out by officer George A. Nason. The raiding party divided into two squads. That of which Chief Crooker was a party searched the lower part of the house and in the hall, and in a trap under carpet 32 bottles of beer 74 empty beer bottles and nine bottles of wine was found. Later Lee was placed under arrest by the Chief and taken to a neighbor's house for bail. Failing to get anyone to go bonds Chief Crooker released the defendant on his promise to appear in court.

The only direct evidence against Lee was given by Guy S. Bates who testified that two weeks before the raid he had visited Lee's premises and purchased two bottles of beer for which he paid 25 cents.

Chief Crooker when called to testify for the defendant said that he with another party was interested in a chicken supper that was to be given at Lee's house and that he sent a box of beer to the house. The beer he sent was the same brand as that seized in the raid. The party however did not come off as the night it was to take place he was called out of town. He had sent the beer there however a week before the raid. He denied telling officer Pool that he had personally put up $75 bail for Lee The reason the chicken supper was to be given was because Lee had entertained him several times at a chicken supper for which no charge had been made, and it was simply to return the complement.

Charles A. Boubeay the second party in the chicken party testified that he had purchased the wine and that Crooker furnished the beer. He had

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HICKEY IDENTIFIED BY THE BOY COMPANION OF HIS YOUNG VICTIM

Police Chief Tells of Story of Wild Life Related to Him By Defendant

This is One of the Foundations of the Insanity Plea

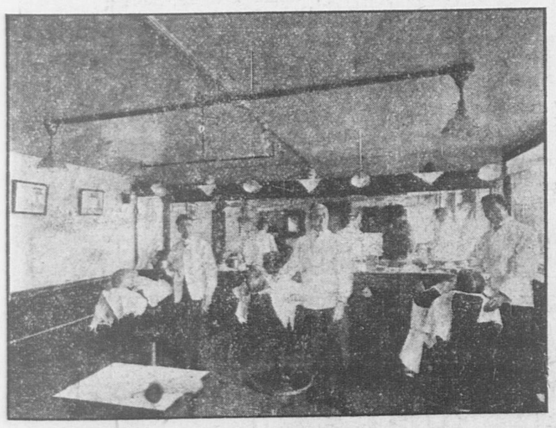
J. Frank Hickey, formerly of Quincy on trial at Buffalo, for the murder of Joseph Josephs in Lackawanna, a year ago, was a highroller. As a contractor in New York, where he had charge of 1600 teams, he drew a big salary and made $200 a week in graft. He spent $100 to $200 a night buying wine, hobnobbed with the most lavish spenders in the fashionable metropolitan barrooms and lived in expensive apartments. He has been a hard drinker all his life. After a spree of two or three weeks he would go to a sanitarium to sober up and then work till he earned money to go on another spree.

These are Hickey's own statements as told to Police Chief Gilson of Lackawanna after his arrest in New Jersey.

Three other witnesses were examin-

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GREETINGS



We wish you all A MERRY CHRISTMAS and A HAPPY NEW YEAR. We also wish to thank the public, and express our appreciation for the liberal support. May we merit your future patronage.

COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON

THE GREENLEAF BARBER SHOP

LEFT HAND AMPUTATED

Ex-Councilman Nash Operated Upon to Save Arm

FROM BLOOD POISONING

Ex-Councilman John W. Nash had his left hand amputated just above the wrist at the City Hospital this week. Several weeks ago Mr. Nash had a sore appear on his hand but thought nothing serious of it. The



EX-COUNCILMAN JOHN W. NASH. Who Had Left Hand Amputated.

sore did not seem to heal however but continued to grow worse, until it became necessary to amputate his hand in order to save his arm. He is reported doing as well as could be expected.

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Associate's Hall

FRIDAY, Dec. 20, 1912

8.30 P. M.

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Come Every One

Man, Woman and Child

Dec. 19-1t

HOW IS THIS?

Twelve Christmas presents for $1.50 that's all it costs for one dozen of our photo Christmas cards, Folio style nd you would be surprised to know how many are getting them. All sittings made this week, photos delivered efore Christmas. If you prefer omething larger, say a life size bust picture there is still time to get it out. To enlargements made from small pictures. Our large photos are all made rom original negatives, that is why hey are different. If you have the egative glass or film, bring it along nd see what we can do with it.

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16-4t

NOTICE!

Just arrived a large assortment of

Christmas Trees

Now on sale from 25 to 50 cents a tree.

Evergreens, 12 cts. Wreaths. Also some

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RALLY BY MISS MORRISSETT

Fred J. Kessler is back again in fourth place today having passed A. R. MacKay, with a bunch of 775 votes.

Letter Carrier Cole has nearly doubled his vote and has moved up from No. 12 to No. 9.

Miss Morrissett made a rally with 160 votes, strengthening her claim to seventh place.

Mr. Bowditch added 75 votes but was unable to hold ninth place.

Gains were also made by William Wolf of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, Miss Ruth Cahill of the Odd Ladies, Shirley F. Nutting, Peter T. Fallon, B. L. Smith, Paul Blackmur, Jr., R. M. Harmon, Police Officer McNamara and William Allen.

New candidates today are J. F. Gallagher of the shipyard, E. Wilding of Baxter street, and J. Warren Fletcher of Brewers Corner.

WASHINGTON MONUMENT.

Conspicuous at the National Capital is the Washington Monument, an obelisk similar to Bunker Hill Monument at Boston, but over 555 feet tall Its tremendous height confronts one at every term. The facing is of pure white marble, and the interior of gneiss and New England granite. The walls are 15 feet in thickness at the entrance and taper to 18 inches at the top a stairway of 900 steps leads to the top, but there is also an elevator which ascends half hourly, and carries visitors without charge.

The corner stone was laid in 1848, but in 1855 the funds raised by popular subscription were exhausted and work was suspended until 1878, when Congress appropriated money for its completion. Not until Feb. 21, 1885 was the monument dedicated. The total cost of the monument has been $1,300,000. Later we will write of the memorial stones in the monument.

Candidates in forwarding votes are requested to mark on the package the number of votes, so that the Contest Editor may verify his count.

A prize certificate good for 300 votes will be awarded as a Christmas present at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 23, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 16-23. Remember, for the "biggest gain." It is subscription certificates good for 1000 votes each that the candidates should strive to obtain. They count big.

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DANGER OF MUNICIPAL SPECULATION POINTED BY MR. FAXON AT HEARING

Senator-Elect McDevitt, Favored Referring the Subject to the Voters as They Were Concerned in Matter

Mr. Elcock, Mr. Gallagher and Others Submitted Arguments with Figures Favorable to the Public Pier

The second session of the special committee of the City Council and citizens to consider the site and construction of a public dock, in this city, at City Hall, Wednesday night, proved the closing one so far as hearings were concerned, although of course, the committtee will meet and consider the proposition further and report to the City Council.

It is planned to have the committee meet, Saturday, make up their report, and submit it to the City Council at their meeting, Monday night.

Whatever the report may prove to be it will be impossible for the 1912 City Council to take action and the only thing that the body can do is to permit the report and recommendation be placed on file, by their acceptance or refer them to the incoming City Council. That would mean that the new City Council could take the report up at their leisure, could allow the report to lay dead or might reject it and cause a new committtee to be appointed to take the matter up anew, or could proceed to the accomplishment of the design, providing the report favors the dock.

Certain it is that with the report of the present committee and the acceptance of their report with its recommendations, the present special committee passes out of existence automatically. The whole thing will then be up to the new City Council.

Despite the heavy storm which prevailed last night, there was a good attendance, the City hall being fairly well filled, every seat being occupied. with some people standing, yet there were hardly 300 people present in all. Along towards the last there was a perceptible thinning out, with result that there were many empty seats. No one felt bad when the time of adjournment arrived.

As on the preceding meeting there was much latitude allowed. Good nature prevailed to a marked degree however. No one got mad. No one appeared to be disturbed. The arguments for and against the proposition were received with applause.

Henry M. Faxon's declaration that the assertion had been made before the legislative committee that if the $100,000 was not enough they would come for more.

Mr. Gallagher made a good impression, on his original plea, but his effort at diplomatic answers to cross examination, did not leave such a clear impression. He did however say that he would take space in the proposed dock.

The passages between Mr. Fallon and Senator-elect McDevitt, while furnishing a litle comedy which was amusing to the crowd, was of little interest to the subject in hand and merely took up time. The story of the hearing in detail follows:

JOHN C. MURRAY.

The first speaker said the city should own a dock for with an individual, company or corporation owning it it would not be always available. A channel would develop Town River property. I do not know the cost but let us make a start. From a business standpoint a dock at the Point is out of the question because it would increase hauling expenses. We want it as near to city hall as we can get it. Only small plots are available at the Point. The granite industry is the principle business of the city. Thousands are using our granite and we have been spending money for years advertising. We have to do it to hold our own.

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As to expenses I believe if a dock is built started right, it will be a splendid investment. There is only $5000 a year interest and the revenue will pay that, but as granite men we cannot consider the Point.

ALEX W. RUSSELL.

Thought he could add but little. He said "I believe we should have a dock somewhere. It would benefit business, consequently the number of men engaged would be increased. I cannot understand why some citizens have taken their position. We read of the development of the Merrimac river to the sea from Concord. They want to get to the waterfront and here we have a water front and apparently do not realize it. The stock used in building the Chicago dock was furnished by a Maine concern who could furnish it for less than a Southern concern because of the latters freight

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Upon a thick ingot of copper he bound by iron wire a thinner ingot of silver. The whole was then heated in a reverberatory furnace until the edges of the silver ingot were observed to begin to melt. The two ingots were then removed from the furnace, slowly cooled and pickled, cleaned and rolled to the desired thickness. The result was a plate of copper more or less thinly covered with silver on one side.

This was the first Sheffield plate. For fifty years following the copper was plated on one side only and the cut edges showed the copper. Later the process was so perfected that no copper was left exposed. All the silverplate of the world was made by this process until electroplating was discovered and made commercial.—Popular Mechanics.

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Satisfactory Reply From Turks or Negotiations End

THE FUTURE OF ADRIANOPLE

Now Looks as Though Only Mediation by Outside Power Can Solve Problem—Intervention by United States Would Be Received by Bulgaria With Open Arms

London, Dec. 19.—An ultimatum to the effect that the peace plenipotentiaries of the Balkan allies will break off negotiations today unless the Turks present a satisfactory reply to the propositions of the allied governments was issued by Dr. Daneff, the leading envoy of Bulgaria.

"If the Turks do not wish to negotiate with the Greek envoys," said Daneff, "we shall meet again on the Tchataija lines. That will be the end of Turkey in Europe. Furthermore, if Turkey's reply to our representations today is unsatisfactory we shall break off the negotiations."

It is understood that by "satisfactory," the envoys mean a reply which will enable the delegates to begin actual consideration of the demands of both sides.

There is a consensus of opinion that the present obstacle will be surmounted by the delegates and that the real danger point will be reached only when the apparently inevitable clash arises as to the future possession of the fortress of Adrianople. As far as can be seen at present only mediation by an outside power can solve this problem.

Dr. Daneff was full of vivacity and ardor in speaking on possible American mediation. He said:

It is understood that by "satisBalkan states and Turkey is impossible, notwithstanding the friendly advices which certainly will come from the conference of the ambassadors, I believe American intervention will be most opportune and will be received as quite justifiable on account of American interests in the Balkans and Turkey, which are not lacking and have sufficient importance to entitle Washington to offer its good offices for an impartial settlement of the conflict.

"The United States has colleges, commercial firms, maritime lines and missionaries throughout the Balkan states and Turkey. Besides, she has with Bulgaria ties of culture, many among us having been ed ed in the United States and having ought from that land of liberty and independence that worship for freedom which hastened the explosion and our natural vindication.

"Our people have the same spirit of enterprise as the Americans, and with a few years of resurrection we will change the face of our country. Indeed, we aspire to become the America of Europe. I repeat, intervention by the United States, coming in case of failure by the European powers, would be received with open arms. But I call it purposely intervention, not wishing to underline any other word, as mediation might then be too little, while arbitration, being too much, could not be accepted or admitted."

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Forgery Case Against Hotel Clerk Rounds Is Continued

Boston, Dec. 19.—George H. Rounds, the confidential clerk of the Parker House, was arraigned on a continuance in the city police court on a charge of forgery and, waiving examination, was held in $10,000 for the grand jury. He did not furnish bail.

It is claimed he stole $31,000 in all from the treasury of the hotel while employed there. It is alleged the thefts covered a long period of time. When arrested he made restitution in $14,000, this being in stocks and bonds.

NEW OVER-SEA RECORD

Frenchman Flies Over Mediterranean From Tunis to Sicily

Trapani, Sicily, Dec. 19.—Roland G. Garros, the French aviator, made a splendid flight over the Mediterranean sea from Tunis, Africa, to Sicily. He landed near Trapani, having covered a distance of about 160 miles over water.

This establishes a new over-sea record, surpassing that of Lieutenant Bague, who flew over the Mediterranean from Antibes, France, to the island of Gorgona, off the Italian coast, a distance of 124.5 miles.

Titanic Inquiry Cost $105,155

London, Dec. 19.—The board of trade inquiry into the Titanic disaster cost $101,155, according to a report issued by the president of the board of trade.

Norwegian Bark Founders

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 19.—The Norwegian bark Nordstern foundered on the voyage to Santos from Pensacola. Twenty-six of her crew were picked up.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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VOTING CONTEST

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popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	17040
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	10060
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2790
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	2570
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	1685
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	1330
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1065
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	495
Galen Bowditch, messenger	455
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Sam Shellman, Granite street	290
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	175
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Richard Larkin, High school	120
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	95
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	85
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	75
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
B. L. Smith, Fore River	65
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
William Erickson, F. of A.	65
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
George Powers, Fore River	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
Walter Mead, High school	50
William Kelley, conductor	50
William Allen, Eagles	45
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	40
Clara Stoddard, S. of V. Aux.	40
J. McCullough, shipyard	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
John Evans, Progressive	30
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	25
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	25
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Grace Williams, Willard school	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	5
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
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John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

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Take a hollow sphere with a hole and stop the hole with the finger, so as to prevent the external and internal air from communicating, and the sphere will fly to pieces by the mere heat of the hand. Vessels made of glass that have been suddenly cooled possess the curious property of being able to resist hard blows given to them from without, but will be instantly shivered by a small particle of flint dropped into their cavities. This property seems to depend upon the comparative thickness of the bottom; the thicker the bottom is the more certainty of breakage by this experiment. Some of these vessels, it is stated, have resisted the stroke of a mallet given with sufficient force to drive a nail into wood, and heavy bodies, such as iron, bits of wood, jasper, stone, etc., have been cast into them from a height of two or three feet without any effect, yet a fragment of flint not larger than a pea dropped from a height of three inches has made them fly.

ELIZA WAS GENEROUS.

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People are likely to look back commiseratingly upon the past in these days of modern progress. When we hear what the most prolific of present day novelists receives a word and what the weekly royalties of any well known playwrights are we say that the literary profession has come into its own. Some hark back to the contrasting tale—that Milton received only £5 for the first copyright of "Paradise Lost," an epic in twelve books containing a total of 10,565 lines, but that was over two centuries ago. Poe received $10 for "The Raven." That may be dismissed with the statement that poetry never paid.

The modern way of making money by literature is even more recent than is generally thought. Alexander Hill of Cincinnati, one of the best known bookmen and collectors of the middle west, has a letter in his collection of autographs that proves this point.

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American Leaf Colors.

It has been observed that the leaves of American trees, such as maples, scarlet oaks and so forth, which at home exhibit splendid colors in the autumn, fall below their reputation in this regard when transplanted in England or on the continent of Europe. An English observer, who has been studying the causes of the autumn tints of trees, thinks the superiority of our woodlands arises from the soft and mild yet glowing climatic conditions prevailing here in the fall. England, it is added, is rarely blessed with an Indian summer. When the climatic conditions permit the leaves to retain considerable vitality in the autumn the colored pigment is normally developed; hence the glorious forests of the United States.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Regulating Price of Books.

The price of books was once a matter for legislation in England. An act of 1534, which seems never to have been repealed, provides that any complaint regarding the price of books should be considered by "the lord chamberlain, the lord treasurer and the justices or any two of these," and that those dignitaries should have "power and authority to reform and redress the enhancing of the prices of printed books and to limit the prices of the books and the offenders should lose and forfeit for every book by them sold whereof the price be enhanced the sum of 3s. 6d."—London Mail.

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26 Hancock, opposite City Hall.
27 Corner Elm and Washington Sts
28 Corner Greenleaf and Hancock Sts.
29 Corner Butler Road and Putnam
31 Phipps Street, near Payne Street.
32 Independence Avenue and Franklin
34 Corner High and Franklin Streets.
35 Corner Hancock and School Streets.
36 Junction Pleasant and Quincy Sts.
37 Corner Franklin and Water Sts.
38 Corner Liberty and Plain Sts.
39 Corner Penn and Liberty Streets.
41 Corner School and Granite Streets.
42 Corner Copeland and Granite Sts.
43 Corner Common and Copeland Sts.
45 Corner Crescent and Willard Sts.
46 Copeland and Furnace avenue.
47 Corner Bates Avenue and Grove
48 Corner Robertson and Willard Sts.
49 Corner Doble and Willard Streets.
51 Tubular Rivet Factory.
52 Elmwood Avenue and Farrington.
53 Winthrop and Warren Avenues.
54 Hancock Street,, near Elm Avenue.
56 Beale, opposite Wollaston Hotel.
57 Corner Beach and Willow Streets.
58 Corner Beale and Adams Streets.
59 Beale Street and Central Avenue.
61 Squantum and Hancock Streets.
62 Corner Atlantic and Hancock Sts
63 Hancock Street, near Atlantic depot.
64 Billings Street and Newbury Ave.
64 (D) Combination No. 2 House.
65 Faxon Road and Squantum Street.
66 Prospect and Billings.
67 Corner Atlantic and Squantum Sts.
68 Squantum.
69 Montclair.
71 Corner Mill and Washington Sts.
72 Washington Street, corner South.
73 Corner Winter and Howard Sts.
74 Corner River and Washington Sts
75 Corner Main and Sumner Streets.
76 Washington corner Wharf.
76 (D) Power House, Q. & B. St. R'y.,
78 Fore River Ship Building Works.
112 Sea street near Willows.
113 Post Island.
114 Engine House, Houghs Neck.
116 Centre road and Darrow Street.
117 Great Hill, Hough's Neck.
119 Rockland and Rhoda, R. I.
121 President's Hill.
122 Chestnut Street and Revere Road.
123 Hancock Street, near Car Barn.
124 Corner Goffe and Adams Streets.
126 Russell Park.
136 Brook Road and Water Street.
138 Corner Brooks Avenue and Centre
143 Station Street.
147 Granite Railway Yard.
151 Billings Road and Beach Street.
152 Corner Billings and Rawson Roads.
153 Farrington near Wol. Foundry.
154 Wollaston Ave. near Sailors' Home.
155 Warren Avenue, near Newton St.
161 Newport avenue opp. Foundry.
171 Whicher's factory, Union Street.
172 Corner Glencoe place and New Rd.
173 Newcomb Square, Quincy Avenue.
174 North, bet. South and Washington
175 Quincy Avenue, near Mrs. Baxter's.
221 Glendale road and Bedford Street.
223 Washington and Foster.
224 Corner Adams and Whitwell sts.
225 Field and Brackett street.
226 Dimmock and Upland road.
227 Hancock and Chestnut streets.
228 Edgemere Road and Putnam St.
242 (P) City Hospital.
272 Corner Washington and Pray Sts.
273 (P) Baker Basin.
321 Intervale Street and Brook Avenue
324 Adams St., near Whitwell St.,
331 Franklin and School.
332 Federal and Independence aves.
412 Corner Willard and West Streets.
413 Buckley and Arthur
431 Rogers Street, off Hall place.
432 Willard and Furnace avenue.
435 Reardon and Barry Streets.
441 Smith Street, rear C. H. Hardwick's
442 Quarry Street, near Hitchcock's.
443 Corner Hayden and West Streets.
445 Corner Quarry and Common Streets.
446 Opposite Willard School, Copeland.
512 Grand View and South Central Ave.
513 Foot Beach Street.
515 Quincy Mansion School.
524 Berlin and Woodbine.
552 Brook and Granger.
553 Belmont and Warren avenue.
612 Hancock Street and Billings Road.
613 Hayward opp. Gear Works.
614 Glover avenue and Newbury avenue
615 Oak and Walnut.
617 Squantum and Huckins avenue.
712 Broadway and Commonwealth ave.
718 (P) Johnson's Lumber Yard.
721 South and Chubbuck.
722 Washington and Union.
723 South and Clairmont Avenue.
725 South and Winthrop park.

D—Duplicate. P—Private.

For brush and grass fire, send word by telephone or otherwise, to the nearest Fire station.

SIGNALS—Fire Department.

Ten (10) blows followed by Box number—Second alarm.
Twelve (12) blows, followed by Box number—General Alarm
Four (4) blows—Special call for Hose No. 1.
Two (2) blows—Recall.
Three (3) blows—Chief Engineer's call.
One (1) blow, 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.—Fire Alarm test.
2-2 three times—No school.
4-4-4—Military call.
Seven (7) blows—Electric Light Co. to shut off current.
3-3-3—Police call.
Lost Child call. 5-5-5—then one pound of the Box nearest to where the lost child lives.
Six (6) blows—Superintendent Water Works call.
Two (2) blows, 8.55 P. M.—Curfew Law.

122—Out of City Call, Braintree.
135— " " " Weymouth
158— " " " Milton.
— " " " Boston.

HIGH PRICE FOR OIL LETTERS

Taken From Archbold Files and Sold For $34,000

FORAKER SUBMITS STATEMENT

Details Procedure by Which Two Men Made Alleged Deal With Hearst Representative—Senator Says He Was One of "Fat Cattle"—Admits Taking Money From Standard Oil, but Says He Returned It

Washington, Dec. 19.—Former Senator Foraker of Ohio produced a statement before the senate campaign expenditures investigating committee prepared by Gilchrist Stewart purporting to be based on a description by W. W. Winkfield of how Winkfield and Charles Stump took the "Archbold letters" from the Standard Oil offices and sold them to a representative of William R. Hearst.

"Mr. Hearst said he did not know how the letters were procured," declared Foraker. "Such a preposterous story as that you might tell to the marines, but to no one else."

Mr. Foraker said Stewart in 1908 sent him a newspaper clipping in which W. A. Ullman, "attorney for C. P. Taft," was reported to have consulted with Hearst about the letters before they were published and suggested that Ullman, Taft and John T. Cronin, the latter formerly connected politically with Hearst, be called as witnesses.

Mr. Foraker declared that about a week ago he had Stewart go to Chicago, where Winkfield was working as a waiter, and ascertain what he knew. Upon the interview, he said, Stewart had based his report. What that report contained Foraker proceeded to detail, declaring he did not vouch for its accuracy.

According to the statement presented, Winkfield and Stump noticed a newspaper item about a sale of letters and taking some from the Archbold files tried to sell them, but failed. Finally they wrote a letter to the New York American, making the offer, and the next day called up. They insisted on talking with Hearst, but were content to meet a "representative" in the "Little Savoy" saloon.

As a result of that conference they went the next day to the private editorial office of the New York American, where a man named Eldridge talked to them. They were told that Hearst stated they were performing a great public duty. They talked as to the price with Eldridge, wanting $10,000, but getting a promise of only $5000.

The next day they delivered the letters to Eldridge to be photographed and received fifty $100 bills. The statement declared that other letters were wanted and that Winkfield and Stump were given a list of 200 senators, congressmen, judges and governors, with the assurance that letters from them to Archbold would be paid for well. For one batch of such letters they claimed to have received $2000 and for another $4000. For the Penrose, Hanna and Foraker letters, the statement said, Eldridge paid them $7000

"Evidently we were the 'fat cattle.'" remarked Foraker.

In all, the statement continued, $34,000 was paid to the two men. For two signatures of Archbold standing alone, they claimed they were paid $500. The signatures were procured by having Archbold write his name in an album. A third man joined Winkfield and Stump, it was said, and the three put a large number of letters in a safety deposit vault.

After 1908 they claimed to have disposed of some Penrose letters to "a representative of Hearst" for $4000, and made an effort to sell all their remaining letters for $20,000. They disposed of a batch for $3500 last spring, and negotiations have now been opened for the sale of others, the statement said.

Both Winkfield and Stump were employes in Archbold's office at the time the letters disappeared. Winkfield, a negro, is a son of Archbold's butler.

Foraker, taking up the two certificates of deposits for $25,000 from the Standard Oil company to him, reiterated that the money was for services as attorney in Ohio litigation.

He testified that the $50,000 sent him by Standard Oil was a loan he had requested from several sources to enable him to buy the Ohio State Journal.

"No one ever got ahead of Senator Hanna, and as he wanted the State Journal, he got it, and I returned the loan," declared the witness.

When Foraker concluded his testimony the committee adjourned indefinitely.

Husband Saw Wife Kill Self

Johnstown, Pa., Dec. 19.—A verdict of suicide was returned at the inquest into the death of Mrs. Barbara Brindza, who cut her throat while her husband looked on, too horror-stricken to move.

FOR THREATENING WILSON

But One of Three Men Arrested Is Held For Grand Jury

Newark, N. J., Dec. 19.—Jacob Dunn, alone, of the three mountaineers charged with having sent threatening letters to President-elect Wilson, was held for the grand jury at the conclusion of his preliminary hearing here. Seeley Davenport was discharged and Dunn's bail was reduced from $2000 to $1000.

Commissioner Stockton, before whom the hearing was held, found the evidence against Davenport was insufficient. Warren Dunn, Jacob's brother, was previously released for a similar reason.

The three men were arrested last week on the charge that on Nov. 11 last they sent Wilson a letter demanding $5000 upon penalty of death.

MURDERED SEVEN PERSONS

Notorious Filipino Bandit Killed by American Army Lieutenant

Manila, Dec. 19.—The career of Araoni, a notorious outlaw chief in the Philippines, was brought to an end when he was killed in a fierce personal encounter with Lieutenant Johnson of the Philippine constabulary. Two other outlaws belonging to the same band also were killed.

A force of constabulary, assisted by a detachment of Moro volunteers, after trailing them many days, came into contact with the outlaw gang on a small island near Basilan and a sharp engagement ensued.

Araoni, during his career, is known to have murdered seven people, including two Japanese traders, and he, with his followers, has carried out a number of raids.

ILLINOIS COUPLES MUST BE REMARRIED

Decision of the State Supreme Court Affects Hundreds

Chicago, Dec. 19.—A decision of the Illinois supreme court makes it necessary for hundreds of Illinois couples to remarry if they wish their union to be recognized as legal.

The court ruled that when a person violates the Illinois statute prohibiting remarriage within one year after divorce, the ceremony is not legal, even if performed in another state. Neither has one party any claim on the estate of the other. The children resulting from the illegal marriages have no standing in law.

Great numbers of Illinoisans have gone to other states and remarried in less than one year after being divorced in their own state.

LUNN IS INDICTED

Mayor of Schenectady Charged With Inciting to Riot

Little Falls, N. Y., Dec. 19.—George R. Lunn, mayor of Schenectady, was indicted by the grand jury at Herkimer, charged with inciting to riot by a speech which Lunn made here last October in connection with the textile strike.

The mayor was in court when the indictment was returned but he was not arraigned, the case being put over to January.

Indictments were also returned against several Little Falls strike leaders arrested in the riot here on Oct. 30, when two police officers were shot. They were bound over for trial in January.

BONDSMEN TO QUIT

Darrow May Have to Temporarily Occupy a Cell In Jail

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 19.—That Clarence S. Darrow, who is awaiting his second trial on the charge of bribing a juror in the McNamara case, may be forced to temporarily occupy a cell for lack of bondsmen, was indicated when information reached the district attorney to the effect that one of the sureties will withdraw.

Charles S. Young is understood to have declared he will no longer remain on the bonds, which are fixed at $25,000. He has made an investigation himself, and his decision is based on that.

ALICE THAW TO WED

Former Countess Said to Be Engaged to Boston Broker

Boston, Dec. 19.—A report from New York announced the engagement of Alice C. Thaw, former Countess of Yarmouth and sister of Harry Thaw, to Geoffrey G. Whitney, a Boston banker and broker.

Mrs. Charles Whitney of Milton, mother of the broker, admitted she would not be surprised if the report were true.

Whitney was not in Milton last night, where he makes his home with his mother and brother, and it is believed he is at present in New York, where the former countess is visiting.

Punished For Treason

Berlin, Dec. 19.—Sergeant Woelferling of the fortress of Thorne was sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment and fined $4000 for treason, and the $19,000 he received as a spy from Russia was confiscated.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

NEW YEAR'S CAKES.

WITH the simple refreshments served to callers on New Year's Day small cakes, such as are served at ordinary afternoon teas, are nice. Indeed, a cup of tea and cake with bonbons are quite enough to offer unless you are receiving formally. Fancy sandwiches or a salad may be served if you wish.

Tempting Tea Cakes.

Tea Biscuit.—Take two cupfuls of pastry flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of butter, two-thirds cupful of milk. After the flour has been sifted add baking powder and salt and sift again, then rub in butter. Combine this and the milk, then take on a lightly floured board. With a floured rolling pin roll into a sheet a little more than an inch thick, cut with small round cutter and bake in greased flat tins.

Fruit Cakes.—Take two cupfuls of graham flour and sift with two cupfuls of white flour, four rounded teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt and one-half cup of sugar. Mix in one cup of seeded raisins and one cupful of chopped walnuts, then add one egg well beaten with two cupfuls of milk. Half fill buttered muffin pans and bake twenty-five minutes in a quick oven.

Cream Rolls.—Take a pint of flour, two heaping teaspoonfuls baking powder, two of sugar, one of salt. Sift all together. Break one egg in half a cupful of cream or rich milk and stir in the flour. Then add milk enough to make a thin batter. Bake in roll tins until a light brown.

Novel Nut Pastries.

Nut Wafers.—Take a half cupful of butter, cream it and add gradually, beating constantly, one cupful of sugar. Then add two eggs well beaten, two squares of melted chocolate, one cupful of chopped English walnut meats, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of vanilla and two-thirds cupful of bread flour. Drop by teaspoonfuls, about two inches apart, on a buttered pan and bake in a moderate oven.

Spiced Macaroons. — Take hickory nut meats, pound fine and add mixed ground spice and nutmeg. Make frosting as for cakes, stir meats and spices in, putting in enough to make it convenient to handle. Flour the hands, make the mixture into balls the size of nutmegs, lay them on buttered tins, giving room to spread. Bake in a quick oven.

COLD WEATHER SALADS.

ALTHOUGH the housewife is unable to achieve great variety in the making of salads when winter cuts off the supply of fresh vegetables, there are many appetizing combinations of late ones for adding zest to dinner and luncheon.

Nuts and fruits may be used for salads, separately or with vegetables, in the concoction of these dishes, and if one lives in a large town whose markets supply hothouse vegetables or those imported from warm latitudes salads may be many and delicious in spite of the season.

Simple Relishes.

These simple salads call for vegetables which are available everywhere.

Pepper Salad.—Take the seeds from one green pepper, parboil five minutes in boiling salted water, cut into strips, mix with one-half lettuce which has been shredded and pour over it a French dressing made by mixing one-half teaspoonful of salt, four tablespoonfuls of oil, two tablespoonfuls of vinegar and stir until blended.

Celery and Nut Salad.—Take half a pound of chestnuts, shell and blanch them, cover with boiling water, add a bit of bay leaf and one stalk of celery and boil until tender, then drain, cool and cut into quarters. Add an equal quantity of finely sliced celery, dress with French dressing and serve on heart of lettuce leaves.

Novel Salads.

Salad Medley.—Take six tablespoonfuls cooked dried beans, four tablespoonfuls fried onions, four tablespoonfuls cream cabbage, four tablespoonfuls cold potatoes, five tablespoonfuls cold meat or eggs. For dressing take one tablespoonful each of mustard and flour. Mix smooth, then add one teaspoonful sugar and a few drops of olive oil. Heat one-half cupful of vinegar in a frying pan, pour in mixture and cook until thick, stirring until done.

Egg and Cabbage Salad.—Take six eggs and simmer twenty minutes in water. Cool in cold water, break off the shells, cut in halves, take out the yolks, rub them through a sieve, season with pepper, salt and onion juice. Then mix to a paste with mayonnaise and shape into small balls. Cut the whites of egg in fine strips, add twice as much shredded cabbage, moisten with mayonnaise, turn into a salad bowl, arrange the egg balls in the center and garnish with watercress or parsley.

ROLLED STEAKS.

MONOTONY in cooking is a mistake. Many a bad appetite may be traced to weariness of the same dish served day after day or week after week by unenterprising cooks.

Steaks, even the poorest cuts, may be made acceptable if they are served in a variety of forms.

Some suggestions along this line are given here.

For Tough Steak.

Steak Roll.—A steak which is too tough to cook any other way may be used for this. Begin by pounding it flat and tender. Spread with highly seasoned stuffing, roll into shape and sew tightly in cheesecloth. Boil for three hours in salted water, take out and press under a heavy weight until cold. Take off the cloth, cut in thin slices and serve with horseradish or made mustard.

Roast Rolled Steak.—Take a round steak and pound it well. Make a dressing of breadcrumbs, one egg, a small piece of butter, salt, pepper and a little sage. Mix all together and spread on the meat. Roll and tie with a string. Put in a pan and roast. Baste often with hot water and melted butter. Make a brown gravy and serve with it.

Succulent Steaks.

German Rouladen.—Cut pieces the size of your hand from round steak, sprinkle salt and pepper over them, then spread with mustard. Lay a slice of bacon and some chopped onion upon each. Roll up and fasten together with wooden toothpicks or tie with thread. Fry brown in bacon fat or in butter. Add water, cover and let them simmer from two to two and one-half hours. Add as much water as is needed to make gravy and thicken with cornstarch. A little cream will improve it.

An Appetizing Roll.

Savory Rolled Steak.—Pound a steak hard on both sides with a wooden mallet until tender. Rub melted butter into the meat, then spread it with one-half cupful of flour seasoned with celery salt and white pepper. Sprinkle this with a few drops of onion juice and roll up the steaks. Tie together with a piece of soft white twine and lay in a covered roaster. Pour in a gill of water in which a teaspoonful of butter has been melted and cover closely. Cook in a moderate oven for an hour. When done, place the rolled steak on a hot platter, thicken the gravy left in the pan and pour it over the steak before sending to the table.

Anna Thompson

EIGHTEENTH CENTURY LIFE.

A Bath Was a Matter of Some Moment In Those Days.

These brief extracts from the letters of Elizabeth Montagu, the "queen of the bluestockings," throws a curious light on eighteenth century life in England. She was suffering from a swelled lip. Promptly the great Dr. Mead prescribed a blister to her back. She writes:

"I am better than I was; but, my mouth not being yet perfectly reduced, I have got a fresh blister upon my back. Well may it bend with such a weight of calamities. I have sent for my bathing cloathes and on Sunday night shall take a souze. I think it a pleasant remedy."

Apparently in 1741 a lady could not take a bath even on Sunday night and in the privacy of her chamber without her "bathing cloathes."

Mrs. Montagu writes again: "My lip is not entirely reduced, though I have been blistered twice, once blooded and have five times taken physic, have lived upon chicken and white meats and drunk nothing but water. I have suffered great disappointment about the warm bath which I am advised to try, for the bathing tubs are so out of order that we have not yet been able to make them hold water."—Westminster Gazette.

These Specials---on Sale for Three Hours

THURSDAY

We invite all of Quincy into our store to "look around"—to come in any time and see our stock of fresh, clean goods, to inquire regarding them, to ask for particulars, to interrogate for prices, to know what this store holds that may be of service to you.

Come any time, come tomorrow between 3 and 6 o'clock, and enjoy the special courtesies we shall provide for you, and fill your needs from our great stock, or merely to look around.

Thursday, Dec. 19, from 3 to 6 o'clock, we offer

FANCY PRUNES, REGULAR 15c GOODS, THIS YEAR'S PACK . . 10c
No telephone or team orders. You must *COME* to the store and leave your order. 5 lbs. limit to each visitor. Cash only.

OR

HECKER'S FLAP-JACK, OR AUNT JEMINA'S PANCAKE FLOUR . . 7½c
Personal orders only will be accepted. No telephone or team orders. Regular price on either, 10c a package. Cash only.

The above prices are made to induce you to visit our store and "look around." We have hundreds of customers who have never visited us—who have transacted their business with us by 'phone or team—and to pay them for coming to this store and "looking around" and see our immense stock of groceries, meats and vegetables, we offer the above inducements. None of the above goods will be charged. The above prices are for CASH only.

R. E. FOY & CO.,

Water, cor. Quincy St., Milton cars pass the door QUINCY ADAMS

Dec. 16, 17, 18, 19

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, * Saturdays Only, f Harrison Square, g Savin Hill, h Crescent Avenue, i South Boston, r Quincy Adams, † Except Saturday

Exp.—Express train.

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave	Stop	Arrive	Leave	Stop	Arrive
r 5 14	abcdefghi	5 41	5 45	lhgfedcba	6 14 r
r 6 16	abci	6 35	6 12	lhgfedcba	6 39 r
r 6 33	e	6 49	6 30	a	6 47
r 6 40	abcf	7 00	7 15	hgfedcba	7 41 r
r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	c	8 03 r
r 7 33	Exp	7 48	8 35	ca	8 52
r 7 42	ab	8 00	8 42	b	8 59
7 57	a	8 13	9 10	fedba	9 32 r
r 8 09	abcd	8 31	9 45	a	10 01 r
r 8 29	a	8 46	10 15	lhgfedcba	10 41 r
r 8 53	ad	9 10	10 55	Exp	11 10
r 9 15	abc	9 33	11 15	hgfedcba	11 41 r
r 10 03	a	10 20	11 50	a	12 07
r 10 19	abcdefghi	10 45	12 15	hgfedcba	12 41 r
11 12	a	11 28	12 37	a	12 54
r 11 24	abcdefgh	11 50	12 50	Exp	1 05
12 04	a	12 20	1 17	fedcba	1 44
r 12 19	abcdefghi	12 45	1 45	a	2 01
r 1 20	a	1 37	2 15	fedcba	2 37 r
2 04	a	2 20	2 35	Exp	2 50
r 2 19	abcdefgh	2 45	3 15	hgfedcba	3 40 r
r 3 13	Exp	3 28	3 45	a	4 02
4 04	a	4 20	4 12	fedcba	4 34 r
r 4 26	abcdefgh	4 52	4 41	c	4 58
5 06	Exp	5 20	4 57	a	5 11
r 5 30	abcdefg	5 55	5 14	a	5 31
6 12	ab	6 32	5 24	a	5 42
*6 59	a	7 16	5 31	dcb	5 50 r
†7 05	b	7 22	5 43	a	6 00 r
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7 29	ab	7 46	6 14	Exp	6 30 r
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r 9 10	abc	9 28	7 00	fedcba	7 24 r
*9 17	Exp.	9 32	7 12	a	7 28
r 10 07	abcdef	10 30	8 05	fedcba	8 28 r
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			*9 35	Exp	9 51
			10 35	fedcba	11 01 r
			*11 07	a	11 25 r
			†11 10	fedcba	11 35 r
			*11 26	ba	11 43 r
			†11 30	ba	11 49

SUNDAYS

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	1 02	Exp	1 17	3 15	lhgfedcba 3 42 r
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West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)-6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.13 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)-6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.20, 11.20 P. M, **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

READ LEDGER ADVS.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 3, 1912.

(Subject to change without notice.

Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. Sundays, 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave Braintree, 6.35 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.50 P. M.) Sundays, 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. Return, leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and Saturdays, 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. Sundays, 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. Sundays, 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. Return leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.05, 6.35, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.35, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.30, 6.00, 6.28 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15, 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. Return, leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00,7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M. Sundays, 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Next Sunday will be observed in many of the Churches as Christmas Sunday. Choristers, organists and Sunday school superintendents are notified and requested to have their musical programs and children's concert programs in the Ledger office, not later than Thursday afternoon, to insure their publication in Saturday's Ledger.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

President elect Wilson has warned the panic makers. Will they heed the panic or continue in the usual stock juggling?

John F. Hurley, his silk hat and diamond will shine around the Salem City hall for three years and there is no recall attached to the new charter.

It is all very well to talk of commission form of government and the good derived, but in many places where it has been tried the same old office seekers are seeking office, and the same old politicians get in their work.

A brother who had not revealed his identity was knocked down and maltreated when he embraced his sister and then the assailants aided in binding up his wounds. He will know better than taking relatives by surprise in the future.

If Yale cannot win at football she can put a crimp in Harvard's Peruvian explorations if reports are all true.

Sneak thieves are getting too active for comfort.

The express companies like the insurance companies will have to cut rates when Uncle Sam goes into the express business by means of the parcels post delivery.

Some of the senators whose names appear in those famous letters are hurdling to get into the explanation business.

Congressman Curley has found another means of getting into the Limelight. His "beer party" movement was no publicity gravel train.

Boston will make a demonstration for New Year's which surpass all previous efforts in that direction.

The pardon business is getting to be almost an epidemic. If it keeps on there may be a change to even putting a premium on crime.

While everywhere is heard the wail about the high cost of living, millions of dollars worth of goods are thrown away because they cannot find a market. Rather a peculiar condition of things to say the least.

Peddlers row has opened upon Tremont street, Boston, and there is the usual conglomeration of nationalities and mixed jarganage.

A Malden grocer was fined $100, for as he claimed an oversight in not properly tagging oleomargarine. If the truth was known the oversight is a general condition.

Congress will adjourn two weeks for the Christmas holidays. Valuable time wasted in which a tremendous amount of good work could be accomplished.

The Philadelphia women have started a movement which has borne fruit. The egg fruit squeeze in price has been busted.

After all the waste of time in conjecturing just what Mr. Wilson will do with the tariff, it might be as well to remember that there is a congress and while the president may suggest there is no precedent that one ever produced legislation of one kind or another. Congress must do that little trick.

CONGRESS STILL LIVES.

Some people are worrying about what Mr. Wilson will do with the tariff. It has been suggested that he declare himself and define his position. It should be remembered that there is a congress. In fact congress is very much alive and furthermore that there is strong probability that both houses of congress will be Democratic. At any rate the house of representatives will be Democratic. Congress makes the law, the president has the power to approve or disapprove them. And even at that in his disapproval he is not the court of last appeal. Why will some people in their straining of a point to make out their case try to becloud the issues and throw dust in the eyes of the average citizen. They pay poor compliment to the intelligence of the average voter, when they attempt to bolster up a shattered cause by any such petty methods.

THE PARDONING POWER.

"It is better that 10 guilty men escape, than that one man should suffer innocently." That is the christian view of the law and it is a good one. But there is another side. When people are convicted and sentenced by judges and juries for offenses against the peace of the commonwealth, they have hardly become accustomed to their new surroundings before the entering wedge for a pardon is inserted in the executive mind. Pardons of late have become somewhat chronic. There has been an unprecedented liberality in the distribution of such favors. Some have proved worthy causes. All of them should be grouped under that characterization. But people who have been responsible for life, who have robbed on a large scale, and many other offenders have come forward with claims for clemency. There is such a thing as overdoing this good work. If confessions of guilt are forced out of frightened, nervous, but all the time innocent defendants, then it was time that such a system as would lead to such confession was stopped and then there would be less injustice accomplished, less need for expensive trials and no demand for the operation of the pardoning power to clear innocent people.

NO RELIEF IN SIGHT.

When the price of coal jumped several weeks ago, and there was a public clamor against such action, the cause was laid at the door of many conditions, either one of which might or might not be responsible. There was the usual screech of the political leaders and candidates to immediately take steps to improve conditions. It was even asserted at the time, that there was a possibility that if people were not over anxious and not too heavy in their demands for coal, getting along on what was considered the lowest supply that there was a chance for a reduction in the price, about Dec. 15. That time has arrived The decision of the United States Supreme court in the coal cases, after 10 years in the courts has been handed down. Some claim it is a victory for the people. Practical demonstration alone can determine just how much of a glorious Austerlitz the people have won in this legal contest. The half meagre promise of a reduction which was almost within reach, has been shattered. The dealers not only will not reduce the price, but they say that the court decision will have no effect towards that end and so the question of victory for the people is promptly answered. The real question however is how long can this thing continue, without something real and tangible except glib talk at the opportune moment, soon to be forgotten in the excitement of other things, by thee politician who is running for office of investigation and immediate relief.

CLARK LIVED HERE IN QUINCY

DeLuxe Book Man Spent Nights Here in 1910

Many Quincy people will doubtless be surprised to learn that James F. Clark, otherwise known as James Powers or Michael Powers who was arrested Tuesday in connection with the alleged "de luxe" book swindle, formerly resided in Quincy. As far as known however he did not make his home in Quincy over a year. This was in 1910 at that time he simply used Quincy as a sleeping place being out of town during the business day. At that time it was said that he was a salesman for a book concern. Powers or Clark is now at the Charles Street jail unable to secure the $15,000 bonds set by the Assistant District Attorney McIsaac's.

INDIA AND ITS MANY MARVELS

Told By Tongue and Picture By William H. Bain

AT BRAINTREE CHURCH

The December meeting of the South Braintree Congregational Men's club was held in the chapel Thursday evening. It was guest night and in spite of the stormy weather there was an attendance of about 60 members and their friends. Supper was served in the banquet hall at 6.45 o'clock. The menu comprised roast pork, roast beef, mashed potato with brown gravy, boiled onions, squash, coffee and rolls, celery, fruit and various varieties of layer cake and cream pie.

Following the repast a short time was allowed for smoking and then all adjourned to the chapel where a very instructive and interesting lecture on India was given by William H. Bain of the firm of Bain Bros. Co., the Boston wholesale grovers. Mr. Bain is well known in this section as a hustler and a fine fellow. Some years ago he made a two years tour of the world and his talk on his travels in India, illustrated by stereopticon was greatly enjoyed by all. The views taken from photographs made by Mr. Bain were clear and were a great aid to his graphic narrative. The wonderful architecture of the temples, tombs and mosques and the wealth of precious stones used to embellish them seem almost beyond belief.

There were several pictures of the Taj Mahal which is called the most beautiful and costly building ever erected by man. Mr. Bain gave a splendid idea of the intricate caste system prevailing in India and quoted astounding figures concerning wages paid in that country. Four to six dollars per month is very good pay and the average daily wage per capita is about four cents.

Some of the best slides of the evening showed the elephants working in the lumber yards of Rangoon. The animals handle great timbers of teak wood with ease and are faithful workers. The lecture was declared "great" and Mr. Bain was tendered a rising vote of thanks. The meeting was adjourned at 9.45 o'clock.

The committee of arrangements consisted of Dr. C. V. Haworth, H. S. Snow, S. S. Bridgham, G. E. Dunn and J. E. Allen.

This committee was ably assisted by Mrs. H. C. Thayer, Mrs. G. W. Stevens, Mrs. W. A. Torrey and Mrs. H. S. Snow.

Real Use of the Bee's Sting.

"The bee's sting is a trowel, not a rapier," said a nature student. "It is an exquisitely delicate little trowel with which the bee finishes off the honey cell, injects a little preservative inside and seals it up. With its trowel-like sting the bee puts the final touches on the dainty and wonderful work. With the sting it pats and shapes the honey cell, as a mason pats and shapes a row of brick. Before sealing up the cell it drops a wee bit of poison into the honey. This is formic acid. Without it honey would spoil. Most of us think the bee's sting, with its poison, is a weapon only. It is a weapon secondarily, but primarily it is a magic trowel, a trowel from whose end, as the honey cells are built up, a wonderful preserving fluid drips.

Pretty Bad.

Wife—Tom, I wish you wouldn't play poker. I don't even like the name of the game. Hub—Why not? Wife—It suggests "playing with fire."—Boston Transcript.

It is easy to learn something about everything, but difficult to learn everything about anything.—Emmons.

—At the meeting of the Brockton aldermen recently the committee reported an ordinance on billboards. This ordinance was passed to be enrolled. It provides that no billboards shall be erected or maintained without a permit from the aldermen and that they shall be constructed and kept in good condition to the satisfaction of the superintendent of buildings. Also that the superintendent shall be authorized to inspect and to require repairs or removal as the public good may require. This is a very useful idea. It is likely to keep from the view of passersby in future days old and weatherbeaten and decrepit boarding, likely to fall over seemingly in the first breeze, but alas, oftentimes seeming to have eternal life. There will be, no doubt, excellent judgment used by the aldermen in granting permits for billboards in the future, and by the superintendent of buildings in seeing that they do not become an offence to the eye and remarkable as specimens of old age at its worst estate.

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STORM A DAMPER ON SHOPPING

Storekeepers and Public Disappointed on Weather

RELIEF PROMISED

Although many of the business houses were open Wednesday evening, the hard rain storm kept the great rush of Christmas shoppers at home. But a few more days remain in which to complete the Christmas shopping and the store keepers had hoped that the exceptionally fine weather would continue. This morning however it looked as though the day would be a stormy one, in which event many who had planned to do their shopping to day will have to wait until the weather clears. The weather forcaster promises pleasant sessions with moderate temperature for Friday and Saturday and store keepers are looking for a rush of business.

BRIEFS

There was plenty of sharp shooting and fireworks at the Public Dock hearing, Wednesday night.

Boston is promised 24 cent eggs. There is no reason why they should not have been offered at that rate long ago.

Morgan frowns on Federal control. No one could expect him to do otherwise after the revelations of the past few days.

All the stores are now open evenings until after Christmas and Quincy is the place for Quincy people to buy their Christmas gifts.

The shoppers have a set back and the shop girls have a rest because of the rain, but both will make up the deficit in the next few days.

Three City Council Committees will meet at City Hall tonight which almost means a Council meeting. The committees to meet are the Finance, Ordinances and Special Finance.

An eight-page Ledger today and until Christmas. Read Ledger advertisements and see what the reliable home merchants are offering as inducements for you to buy of them.

An actress is to sell Red Cross stamps for "sweet charity," according to the press agent, but the general public opines that the couple of hours employed will produce more than satisfactory returns in free advertising.

"Tacks" Hardwick, of Harvard college who made such a fine record on the gridiron, is undergoing the usual stunts as part of his initiation to the societies he aspires to join. The other day he was supposed to be digging for Capt. Kidd's treasurers in Harvard square.

No one who had a correct estimate of Washington's character can believe that when he advised aloofness from European politics that he intended this country to carry it to the extent of refusing the good offices of mediation when such action would mean termination of bloody and useless warfore.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

☞Get busy now and shop at home. Look over the stock of local merchants. They need the trade and you need their stores. Be one to show your civic pride by shopping at home.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT

Bryant and Richards Would Wield Councillor Gavel

LIVELY CONTEST ASSURED

According to all accounts there is quite a contest on for the presidency of the City Council of 1913. The two candidates are said to be Charles M. Bryant and John R. Richards, Ex-Mayor Bryant has had several years experience as President of the City Council so that it would be nothing new for him to wield the gavel. Councilman Richards, however aside from having been a member of the City Council for several years has had no experience in the Presidents chair other than on one occasion during the present year, when President Hobbs was absent. Both candidates have considerable following and according to rumors it will take more than one ballot to settle the question as to the Presidency on inauguration day, if there are any other candidates. During the present year Councilman Richards has been chairman of the Finance committee, which by far is the most important committee of the City Council.

BEST WISHES OF MANY FRIENDS

Go With Wilkinson on His Trip to Native Scotland

A large gathering of friends greeted James Wilkinson at his home, 494 South Street, Quincy Point, Tuesday evening previous to his departure to spend the first days of the New Year among the hills of Bonnie Scotland. The assembly was highly entertained by Quincy's "Sailor Comedian" Frank Little, W. Gray, Mr. Shaddock and Mr. Bell, while Mr. Wilkinson's "Wild Rover" was heartily applauded, and the songs with Scottish airs sung by Mrs. Bruce were much appreciated. Tea was served and fun and frolic was the order of the evening, while dancing was also engaged in. Mr. Wilkinson, is a Knight of Malta and a Loyal Moose, and his many friends throughout the district wish him a right-good time during his stay among his "Ain Heather Hills."

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Mirrors, all kinds	25c to $2.50
Hair Brushes	25c to $3.00
PERFUMES	10c to $3.50
Ladies' hand bags	$2.50 to $5.00
Hot Water Bags	75c to $2.00
Thermos Bottles	$1.00 to $3.50
Thermos Lunch Sets	$3.00
India Rubber Rattles, imported	25c to 50c

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GILETTE RAZORS	$5 to $15.00
Common Razors	$1 to $3.50
Fountain Pens	$1 to $5.00
Ingersol Watches	$1 to $2.00
POCKET KNIVES	5c to $1.50
Pocket Books, full line	25c to $3.50
Clothes Brushes	Whisk Brooms
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The Struggles of a Sculptor.

Auguste Rodin, the French sculptor, had a great struggle with poverty and adverse criticism in his youth. Of an eposide of this early period a writer says: "With that inflexible will and singleness of purpose that never failed him throughout his career the young sculptor set himself to express in clay, marble or bronze his conception of life and art. He used his leisure in working at nighttime in a deserted stable he had transformed into a studio at his wonderful mask of 'The Man With the Broken Nose.' After eighteen months of hard and patient labor he finished this mask and sent it to the salon. It took the hanging committee fourteen years to discover any merit in the work, for it was rejected in 1864 and finally accepted only in 1878."

She Didn't Do It.

The family jar waxed fiercer.

"You talk about my being to blame for our marrying!" shrilly exclaimed Mrs. Vick-Senn. "John Henry, did I hunt you out and then make love to you?"

"No," he snorted. "But you could have given me the glassy eye and sent me about my business, and you didn't do it, madam—you didn't do it!"—Chicago Tribune.

MOTIVE NOT KNOWN

Police Without a Clue to Murderer of Woman and Her Mother

Columbia, Mo., Dec. 21.—Mrs. George Moore, 61 years old, and her mother, Mrs. Mary J. Wilson, 82 years old, were found dead in their home near here, their heads crushed in with an axe.

The discovery was made by Lee Moore, a son, who had come from Moberly to prepare a Christmas for the women, who lived alone on the outskirts of Columbia.

The police are without a clue. The women had no money and were known to be dependent upon neighbors and relatives.

Proves Useful In Prison

Pittsburg, Dec. 19.—Banker J. B. F. Rinehart will leave Western penitentiary Jan. 15 by grace of President Taft's pardon. In the four years he has served for wrecking the Farmers and Drovers bank at Waynesburg, Pa., Rinehart has reorganized the business administration of the prison.

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CHARTER LIST STILL OPEN

Eagles Rolling Up Big Membership in This City

55 CANDIDATES INITIATED

At a class initiation of the John Adams Aerie of Eagles at Electa hall Wednesday evening, 55 candidates were initiated. The work was performed by the degree team of the Aerie, under the direction of Conductor Hugh McLeod and Sargent Bernard M. Burke.

Among those who attended were D. D. G. W. P. of Suffolk County, Bernard Duffy of Hyde Park; D. D. G. W. P., of Norfolk County, John Sweeney of New Bedford; Treasuerer W. Coady of Brockton Aerie, V. P., John Masser of Hyde Park Aerie.

The membership is now 425 and the charter is still open. After the meating the degree team gave the drill for which they were awarded the championship of New England at the recent New Bedford field day.

Speeches were by W. P., James J. Mellen, P. W. P. Henry J. Langelier, and P. W. P., Edward Welch. An entertainment was given by the members. A cornet solo by Ernest Bendetta received three encores. Piano selections were rendered by William Westland and there were songs by Adolph Restelli, Charles Lincoln, John Bass of Hyde Park, J. Winer of Dorchester and Harry Marr.

Henry J. Langelier was in charge of the arrangements.

QUIET WEDDING SOLEMNIZED

Mr. and Mrs. Glover Now on Their Honeymoon Trip

A quiet wedding was solemnized Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Rev. A. M. Thompson who officiated at the marriage, the contracting parties being Mr. Walter Glover and Miss Evelyn Sarah Watling. The bride was exquisitely gowned in white brocaded satin trimmed with lace and pearl trimmings cut en train. She wore a picture hat of white brocaded satin and white ostrich trimming and ostrich plumes and carried a bouquet of brides roses. The groom's present to the bride was an elegant long fur coat.

The groom is a well known Quincy man and highly respected in the community. The bride was born in Charlottetown, P. E. I., and has resided in Quincy for some years and is known by a large circle of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Glover left on the Fall River line for New York and thence go to Washington and Philadelphia. On their return they will make their residence in Allston, where a home, beautifully furnished awaits them.

Mr. and Mrs. Glover departed for Boston in a taxicab, amidst congratulations of friends and shower of confetti. Mrs. Glover was attired in a travelling costume of blue chiffon broadcloth and black velvet hat with black ostrich plumes.

CHIEF CROCKER

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taken the box of beer from Crooker's door step and taken it to Lee's house. The party did not come off as scheduled. He had gone to Lee's house that night but there was nothing doing. There were to have been four persons in the chicken party but no one showed up besides himself.

Judge Avery said in summing up the case that but for the trap in the floor that he would have found the defendant not guilty but the trap showed to his mind that it was there to conceal liquors and he imposed a fine of $50.

☞Can you think of a better Christmas present to give your family than a year's subscription to the Quincy Daily Ledger? Just think of it, when you subscribe for the Ledger it means pleasure for you each day of the coming year and only costs $5.00. Start the year right, don't go to bed during 1913 until you have read the newsy little "home daily." tf

BUSY BURGLARS BENEFIT LITTLE

From Many Breaks in Search of Christmas Money

WORK OF BOYS

The following breaks were reported to the police station.

Monday—DiBona's barber shop, Falconer block. Entered by forcing rear window. Nothing missing.

Tuesday noon—Hall's shoe store, Doble's corner; back door forced. Nothing missing.

Tuesday night—F. H. Crane & Sons office, Liberty street. Hay shed door forced and false key used. Drawer riffld of 99 cents.

The police believe the breaks to be the work of boys.

MAPLE LODGE ANNUAL SESSION

Knights and Ladies of Honor Elect Officers for the Year

Maple Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor held their annual election of officers at Protection hall, Wednesday evening, with a large attendance. The following were elected.

High Protector—Miss Nellie M. Cate
Protector—Mrs Sarah C. Williams
Vice Protector—Mrs. Annie C. Grignon
Chaplain—Mrs. Emma E. Marnock
Secretary—Mrs. Agnes E. Fletcher
Financial Secretary—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald
Treasurer—Mrs. Albert Hewson
Guide—Miss Bella McBirnie
Guardian—Miss Fannie Grignon
Sentinel—Mrs. Celia Baxter
Representative to the Grand Lodge—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald
Alternate—Mrs. Rose A. Reid
Trustees—Mrs. Rose A. Reid, Mrs. Annie C. Grignon, Mrs. Mary E. Power

The installation of officers will be Jan. 15. It was announced at the meeting that Miss M. Lizzie Furnald had been operated on Tuesday for appendicitis at the Quincy City hospital and was doing well. Mrs. Alberta Hewson will officiate at the meetings after Jan. 1, until the installation.

9 CHAUFFEURS IN DEPARTMENT

Auto Machines Are Now Well Equipped With Drivers

Following an examination by a member of the Massachusetts Highway Commission on Monday, the number of chauffeurs of the Quincy Fire Department was increased to nine when licenses to operate the autos in use in the department were issued to Faxon Billings, William Gerry and William Sands of the Atlantic house, and William Carroll, William Leahy and Michael Scully of the central station. The extra chauffeurs that are now in the department make it possible for the auto apparatus to respond at any time, and will allow the men to take their regular day off. In the past, but not recently, some of the men have been obliged to postpone their day off because of no one in the house having a license to operate.

SLIGHT FIRE.

The auto chemical squad on a still alarm extinguished a fire in a motor in the Hanson Shoe Co., at 6.45 this morning. The damage wholly by smoke was very slight.

Railway Station Library.

In the refreshment room of a Sussex (England) railway station the traveler may see a small rack of books. If he is sufficiently curious to look he will discover from a written label that the books are the property of the vicar of the town, who places them at the disposal of any passenger who likes to take a volume away, the only condition being that he shall return the volume to its place on his return or post it to the vicar.

DOCK HEARING

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rate, although they could quarry it much cheaper.

Valuations in the vicinity will increase and new business will locate here. With regard to the cost of the land, when these people owning it boost their land when it is wanted for public purposes I want to see them taxed for the value they set upon it.

I am here presenting the workingmen of the city and we believe in it. Something along these lines should be done. Boston is looking for increased business. That should apply to Quincy.

Quincy firms can do a large amount of business by water and this can apply to other lines. We are afraid to put our hand out. We are big, strong and brave enough to carry the idea to a successful issue.

WILLIAM H. PRIME.

Of Quincy Point said the matter should be carefully weighed. I have been quoted as not favoring a public dock. I wish to correct it and again state that I do favor one. I grew up in a city surrounded by docks and the only question to me is the location. What dock development I have witnessed started at tide water at the easiest point of access and as business grew the proposition was gradually worked out. I believe considerable work would be necessary in order to reach a Town River site. It has been shown that people owning property along the river banks have sold it. The stream is frozen three months during the year. Demurrage is charged on vessels and think of the cost if a boat was caught in the ice.

A vessel does not require a pilot to the Point. One is necessary up the Town River, even with a tow. My experience has demonstrated to me that we cannot make a channel wide and deep enough for a vessel to make a dock on Town River under her own canvas.

There is a location at the Point. I recall the outing of the Board of Trade when we looked over sites. A dock could be built on each side of the City bath house site. The railroad could be continued from the Fore River yards which now comes from Braintree. The trolley freight can run in there and everything can be clinched both ways.

The Cape Cod Canal has brought New York 100 miles nearer Quincy. There is the better market. With a line of packets from there to here we can secure the business of the surrounding towns, such as Brockton. The great bugbear of shipping to Quincy by water is the cost of carting across the city of Boston. That will be done away with. South of Boston will patronize us. Starting with only 300 feet means thousands of feet in the near future.

Our children will condemn us if we allow private interests to secure the opportunity such as the Fore River has done. A nine foot fence surrounds their property. If others do that where are we? We will be worse off than now.

Andrew Milne, Jr., asked the speaker if demurrage is charged until a boat docks and he answered that his remark was intended to mean it would be charged if a vessel was caught in the ice over the time specified for discharging and unloading. Mr. Milne said he thought it was not until a boat was docked and Mr. Prime said contracts call for so many days with nothing about the trip included.

John Q. A. Field asked Mr. Milne the cost of shipping from Stonington, Maine, to his yard. He answered, $1.30 per ton with from 10 to 15 cents a ton extra for switching, 65 cents a ton for hauling, 10 cents a ton for unloading at Quincy Adams and about 40 cents per ton from Quincy to the yard.

Mr. Milne said contracts were F. O. B. Boston and that a delay is always possible. It costs considerable to deliver stock to Boston cars and better terms could be made if delivery was to a dock. Cars are not ordered until the arrival of the boat. A boat carries about 300 tons and loads about 20 tons to a car. Therefore a number of cars are required.

He said he knew of a Cambridge man who bought stock for $3 per ton and sold it for 40 cents a foot. That is possible through water delivery and with a wharf in Quincy that is one saving of 75 cents per ton.

Mr. Field—How about large stone?

Mr. Milne—Large stone is usually for vault work and comes in three pieces which can be handled all right.

J. J. Gallagher—Could stone be landed here as in Boston?

Mr. Milne—Yes, and it would only take a little power to cut it on the wharf if it was too large to move. That would be another saving.

WILLIAM CRANE.

Thought the argument of receiving brick, lime and cement by water was very foolish. A man in that business told me today that it was cheaper to have cement come by rail and I believe that applies to plaster. It is foolish with regard to lime. Lime is bought by carload and must be handled quickly. We have hard work in summer to sell it before it becomes slack. It is out of the question to have large cargoes, it would spoil. The saving by water would be eaten up by what spoiled. I doubt that the city could build a warehouse large enough for all. Manager Tenney of the Rhines Lumber Co. said his lime came by rail and he supplies a large territory.

I doubt if water freight is cheaper and I do not think the granite men would gain on the long haul. It cannot be carted cheaper than years ago when it was put on a car which was propelled by its own momentum and then taken back by horses.

I am for everything that will benefit the city but I will have to be shown its advantages. (Applause.)

WILLIAM FARQUHARSON.

Believed all that was needed was competition and more than one way of receiving and shipping. With a dock the question appeared to solve itself.

JAMES H. ELCOCK.

Contended that the trouble with the city is that it is too ready to give away. He reviewed the stormy debates when the purchase of the water works was contemplated, and later how the city lost its chance to take over the electric light plant. We could have had the water layout for $250,000 but because we waited it cost us $590,000 to get it. He spoke of his experiences shipping by Metropolitan S. S. Co. and Mr. Field asked about damaged goods. Mr. Elcock asked if they were not the best people in the world to settle which was admitted. Mr. Elcock said he used water at one time but did business with the quarrying railroad as did others. The water transportation gradually waned and the railroad got further in their mouth and now they are biting us.

He said we want a dock here. It is hard to convince men. One has valuation affected and the other business and I hope it is given close and favorable consideration.

Nathan G. Nickerson asked about hiring a dock?

Mr. Elcock, I could feel safe in leaving it to the committee.

Mr. Whiton—Are the rates by rail prohibitive?

Mr. Elcock—Yes.

Mr. Whiton—Why don't they ship by Metropolitan now?

Mr. Elcock—Because of the cost of transportation from their docks by rail which makes up the charge and means extra handling.

Mr. Richards—What was the old rate by water and the rail rate now?

Mr. Elcock—$2.50 against $3.60.

Mr. Richards—Does the same proportion of business hold?

Mr. Elcock—Yes. Barre, further away can ship for $4 against our cost and we are nearer.

NATHAN C. RICHARDSON.

Claimed he voiced the sentiments of 99 per cent of Wollaston residents and that he protested the revenue will not permit it. There is not a ward five resident in favor of it. He would not intentionally hurt business but would like to see the question voted upon. Think of what $100,000 would mean in streets and sidewalks and the city is suffering for them.

SENATOR-ELECT McDEVITT.

Favored a referendum on the question. No man is going out of business before that time on this account. The statement has been made that $3,000,000 must be spent in Boston. It is not true and was probably made for political reasons or to bolster up an argument. Quincy is a part of the port and if we want a dock the state should have something to say in it. The question has resolved itself into a political dock. It is a question now as to who can use the greatest diplomacy The greatest granite centres are not on the coast and that must be considered.

A dock will not help granite men. I am not saying this to be offensive. As an example, I understand on good authority that in order to put additional men on the fire department 15 call men must be dropped because we have not the money. Will we spend the money on an unknown quantity? I do not believe it is practical now and I favor a referendum so the people can decide.

Mr. Fallon and the Senator-elect had a passage at arms which amused the house, particularly when in answer to question, in whose interest are you here, he answered, "It is not a definite question, but since I have not taken office I will assure the speaker that when the bill comes up for a vote I will not give as an excuse for dodging a roll call that I was outside eating a sandwich."

JOSEPH L. WHITON.

Said the Merrimac had been dredged only on paper. He had not seen reliable business men flocking to the committee and showing them collateral and signing for a piece of the dock. If this goes through it will be the height of frenzied finance and while $25,000 will be spent by the state to deepen the river if we have a dock I do not believe in spending fifty or sixty thousand to get it.

J. J. GALLAGHER.

Believed a saving to a consumer was something earned, that a water point rate could be secured for Quincy the same as Harrison Square enjoys which is eight cents less, and after showing the amount that could be saved approximately to consumer he under cross examination that he would be one of the first to use the dock. He said he had written Mr. Crane to that effect. He believed in making a good bluff.

JAMES N. WHITING.

Said that if we appeared before the Port Directors of Boston we would probably get some of the $9,000,000. If we spend money here we are duplicating their work. Our finances are por and if the state will help us if we are going to have they should be allowed to do so.

CAPT. MARK E. WIGHT.

Said that in order ta have 15 feet of water you must have an 11 foot tide and that the average Town River tide was less than 10 feet. You will have demurrage if you guarantee 15 feet. I favor a dock at the head of high water, starting at the lumber wharf and going towards the poor farm.

HENRY M. FAXON.

Said he would be the last one to appear against what would be of benefit. "I was present when the bill was discussed by the committee. Ex-Mayor Shea in presenting the petition of the city remarked that we only ask for $100,000. What does that mean? He didn't stop there. He said, 'If that is not enough we will come again. There is the danger. We do not want to commit ourselves to such municipal speculation."

WILLIAM KELLY.

Favored a referendum and William R. Thomas spoke on the proposition. Edward J. Sandberg and Archie Thayer and Peter T. Fallon favored the proposition while G. B. Bates and J. Q. A. Field opposed the proposed dock.

It was brought out that the city could lease a dock which is in good order for five years, with the privilege of renewing the lease for another five or ten years and the option on the property at an established price which was not mentioned.

Dr. John H. Ash also favored a public dock as did "Al" Whitman, but the later believed it should be constructed on city premises.

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HE DENIED THE OFFENSE

Peter Fallon of Braintree was sentecned to six months in the house of correction by Judge Avery this morning for assault on his wife with a dangerous weapon. His wife claimed that Peter had been out all night on a spree and came home in the morning at 5.30 under the influence of liquor. As he entered the house he said "your time has now come, I am going to kill you." She testified that he grabbed the long handle axe and struck her over the head twice with it. Fallon claimed that the cut his wife had on her head was caused by her striking it against the stove cover.

HICKEY IDENTIFIED

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ed, Sheriff Frank Tilton and officer Arthur G. Munsey of Ocean County, N. J., who had to do with Hickey's arrest, and Gordon Pitton, 8 years old, who is the nearest to an eye-witness the prosecution is able to produce. He was with the Joseph boy when Hickey lured him to the building where the murder was committed. Hickey's postal card confessions were put in evidence.

Daniel V. Murphy for the defense, brought out Hickey's statements to the Lackawanna police officials about sprees and big expenditure for drink. Evidently Mr. Murphy will miss no chance to show that excessive drink is likely to have caused the insanity which is the sole defense of Hickey.

Gordon Pitton, the boy who was with the Joseph boy testified we were playing on the street when Hickey came along and told us to come with him and he would buy us candy. He took us into a store near there and let us pick out what we wanted. We took lemon suckers and some peach stones. He paid for them. When we came out of the store he took us toward the bridge. He told me to wait at the end of the bridge and he started over the bridge with Joey. Then a man that was working on the bridge told me I had better go home, that my mother would be worrying about me and I went home."

"That was the last you saw of Joey?"

"Yes."

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MARCH 2—3—4 (INAUGURATION DAY.)

In Washington. Under direction of conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4th is Inauguration Day. The Inauguration of the President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle. The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis Cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol Building, in front of which takes place the actual Inauguration ceremonies, including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy and Malitia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson, and down Pennsylvania Avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage. In the evening the grand Inauguration Ball is held in the immense Pension Building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of this building is cleared for this event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine Band and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations and of the officers of the Army and Navy form a brilliant spectacle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5.

On Wednesday a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ Church, where Washington worshipped, and the Marshall House where Ellsworth was killed.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6.

Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9.00 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included and New York is reached at 2.00 P. M. Leave New York at 5.00 P. M., on Fall River Line steamer. Staterooms assigned and evening dinner served.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair Friday and Saturday with moderate temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.10
Sun sets	4.14
Length of day	9.04
Moon sets	3.12
High water, A. M.	7.45
High water, P. M.	8.15

Days decrease 6 hours 13 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	42 degrees
Dec. 19, 1911,	35 degrees
Dec. 19, 1910,	45 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

GRANITE CLUB WHIST TOURNEY

Organization Plans Usual Christmas Eve Entertainment

There was a good attendance at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City club Wednesday evening. The two best scores were made by Frank W. White and Ralph L. Lovell. As usual the club is planning for open house the night before Christmas. An orchestra will be present to enliven the occasion and the usual Christmas collation will be served by the Entertainment Committee. The manner in which the club distributes its hospitality is sure to result in a large attendance of members and friends.

"STICK 'EM ON THE BACK."



"Red Cross Seals?" inquired a young woman at a selling-booth in a Washington post-office to an elderly man, who halted as she spoke.

"What are they for?" he asked.

"To help in the cure of tuberculosis——"

"My, my," broke in the old man, "if I had only known about these before my wife died I might have saved her!" and as he wiped his eyes he went on, "How do you use them?"

"You stick them on the back——" But the young woman was interrupted again.

"On the back? How simple! Oh if I had only known!" mused the man as he walked on with misty eyes. But he bought no seals; it was too late for him.

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WHITING TALKS ON PUBLIC DOCK

Claims Quincy Comes in Under the Boston Movement

GIVES PLAIN FACTS

Editor Daily Ledger:

Shortly after Chap. 713 of the Acts of 1911, entitled "An Act to authorize city of Quincy to borrow money for the development of its water front" had been approved by the Governor the so called Port of Boston bill was enacted, carrying with it an authorization for the Directors of the Port to use the state's credit to the extent of nine million ($9,000,000) dollars for the purpose of developing the water front of Boston Harbor. This act includes Quincy, Hingham, Weymouth, and Hull. As our city comes under the $9,000,000 appropriation for the development of its water front, the purchase of wharves and the laying out of streets thereto for the general use of our business men, it would seem that the talk of our city expending $100,000 or any part thereof for such a purpose was wholly uncalled for and a duplication of the work which the state, acting through the Directors of the Port of Boston, will at a later time, upon proper presentation, take up and carry through at but a slight expense to our municipality, thus obviating the necessity of our burdening ourselves with an additional $100,000 of debt, which we all know that at the present time we can illy afford to do.

New Bedford has tried public dock ownership with but indifferent success, something like $100,000 being tied up in this enterprise with but barely enough wharfage dues to pay the interests on the investment. Bonds to the amount of $82,000 are now outstanding. Payments on the principal have to be made out of the general tax levy. This is the only city or town in the State which has attempted public dock ownership.

As New Bedford is an old Maritime city of 96,000 population with a considerable established commerce, foreign as well as domestic, it looks doubtful as to whether Quincy with 35,000 population and a limited commerce can anywhere near make good.

I hope that the good sense of our Mayor and Council will allow the Commonwealth to develop our water front, thus saving to us $100,000.

James S. Whiting.

ROADBED IS FOUND IN GOOD CONDITION

But There Are Many Worthless Ties on the New Haven

Hartford, Dec. 19.—The inspection of the tracks and roadbed of the New Haven road from the New York state line to New Haven, a distance of forty-seven miles, made by engineers of the public utilities commission, show, according to the report just made public, that the roadbed in general was found to be "in excellent condition, well ballasted and true as to line and grade."

In the total distance of forty-seven miles of four tracks, or 188 miles of single track, 357 worthless ties were found, about two to a mile.

Guard timbers in bridges were in many instances found to be decayed, and "nearly all of the bridge guard angle irons are badly worn or loose."

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Fay.	Music study in Germany	454.28
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Gehring.	Basis of musical pleasure	490.97
Goodwin.	Sketches and impressions, musical, theatrical and social..	454.32
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Hamilton.	Sound and its relation to music	493.129
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Not understood. We move along asunder,
Our paths grow wider as the seasons creep
Along the years we marvel and we wonder
Why life is life, and then we fall asleep,
Not understood.

Not understood. We gather false impressions,
And hug them closer as the years go by,
Till virtues often seem to us transgressions,
And thus men rise and fall, and live and die.
Not understood.

Not understood. Poor souls with stunted vision
Oft measure giants by their narrow gauge;
The poisoned shafts of falsehood and derision
Are oft impelled 'gainst those who mould the age.
Not understood.

Not understood. The secret springs of action,
Which lie beneath the surface and the show,
Are disregarded; with self satisfaction.
We judge our neighbors, and they often go,
Not understood.

Not understood. How trifles often change us.
The thoughtless sentence or the fancied slight
Destroy long years of friendship and estrange us,
And on our souls there falls a freezing blight,
Not understood.

Not understood. How many breasts are aching
For lack of sympathy. Ah, day by day,
How many cheerless, lonely hearts are breaking!
How many noble spirits pass away,
Not understood.

Oh God! that men would see a little clearer,
Or judge less harshly where they cannot see;
Oh, God! that men would draw a little nearer
To one another, they'd be nearer Thee,
And understood.

.—Certainly the parents who go to school receptions know vastly more about the schools and school work and needs than those who leave it all to the authorities and take no interest in the affairs themselves. The authorities are amply competent to take care of school matters, but it helps some to know that the people who are paying the bills know what is being done and are satisfied.—Brockton Enterprise.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT.

To Eugene H. McGillicuddy, Rosolia Giglio and Ida Cutler, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; Assad Kurey of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Reuben Hersey, of Hingham, in the County of Plymouth, and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court by Bengta Johnson and Hulda Johnson, of said Quincy, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land situate in said Quincy, being shown as lots 25, 26, 27, 30, 31 and 32 together with that part of the street called Winthrop Park adjoining said lots, all as shown on plan of Winthrop Park in the City of Quincy dated May 1903 H. T. Whitman, C. E. recorded with Norfolk Plans, plan book 36, plan No. 1687 and together bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Sumner Street at the westerly end of lot 27 at land of McGillicuddy, thence running in a northeasterly direction along said Sumner Street about one hundred seventy four feet to lot 28 on said plan being land of Rosolia Giglio, thence turning and running southerly along said lot 28 and lot 29 on said plan eighty two and 61-100 feet to lot 30, thence turning and running easterly along the southerly line of said lot 29 being land of said Rosolia Giglio seventy-seven and 8-10 feet to land of Assad Kurey, thence turning and running southeasterly along said land of said Assad Kurey to land of Reuben Hersey forty-four and 8-10 feet, thence turning and running in a southwesterly direction along land of said Reuben Hersey eighty-seven and 4-10 feet to lot 23 on said plan being other land of said petitioners, thence turning and running northwesterly by said lot 23, across said Winthrop Park, by lot 24 on said plan being land of Ida Cutler and by land of Eugene H. McGillicuddy about two hundred fifty-four and 2-10 (254.2) feet to the point of beginning.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of December in the year nineteen hundred and twelve.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.
(Seal.)

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TESTIMONY OF FINANCE KING

Favors Allowing Interstate Corporations to Deposit Funds In Hands of Private Bankers—Institutions With Total Resources of $25,325,000,000 Controlled by Less Than 200 Men

Washington, Dec. 19.—J. P. Morgan occupied the centre of the stage yesterday before the so-called money trust investigating committee of the house of representatives.

The noted financier reached Washington Tuesday night in response to a subpoena from the committee, but it was not until 2:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon that the way was cleared for his testimony to begin.

Meantime Morgan sat for nearly an hour listening to the mass of statistics which Mr. Untermyer and the committee were piling up concerning the colossal financial operations of leading New York, Chicago and Boston institutions through so-called interlocking directorates.

Morgan heard his own name and that of his firm referred to many times as tables were presented showing the affiliations of that concern with many other banks, trust companies, transportation and industrial corporations.

He appeared to be unmoved throughout it all, sitting surrounded by a number of his business associates, relatives and legal representatives.

Morgan's testimony lasted barely twenty minutes and was largely preliminary to the testimony to be given today.

Untermyer conducted the examination of Morgan, asking a rapid series of questions to bring out the general standing of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., its branch connections in this country and abroad, and its affiliation with many other financial institutions.

The chief point made in the examination of Morgan was that he favored allowing interstate corporations to deposit their funds in the hands of private bankers without restricting them to institutions under government supervision.

He said this was a matter to be left to the discretion of the boards of directors of the corporations in question.

Morgan confirmed data prepared by members of the Morgan house showing that sixty-six accounts with the Morgan firm in January last had deposits of $68,113,000, and that seventy-eight accounts on Nov. 1 had deposits of $81,969,000. The total capital, surplus and funded debt of these depositors, Untermyer stated, was $9,765,000,000. Morgan agreed to this.

Previous to Morgan's examination the committee heard testimony bearing on the so-called concentration of money and credits. This was presented in the form of charts prepared by Philip J. Scudder, which were placed in the records. This explanation showed that the charts dealt with the affiliation of 180 directors in eighteen banks and trust companies in New York, Chicago and Boston. It showed that "these 180 banks held in all 744 directorships in 134 banks and trust companies, transportation and industrial corporations having total resources or capitalization of $25,325,000,000."

It also gave in detail affiliations of J. P. Morgan & Co., and other leading financial institutions in New York, Boston and Chicago.

DEATH CHAIR IN VERMONT

Measure Passes Legislature and Awaits Governor's Signature

Montpelier, Vt., Dec. 19.—Electrocution of persons convicted of capital offenses, as a substitute for hanging, is provided for in a bill which has passed both branches of the state legislature and is now awaiting the signature of Governor Fletcher.

Under the terms of the act the number of legal witnesses to an execution is reduced from thirty to three, and it is provided that in sentencing a prisoner to death the court shall name the week but not the day.

Handtub Kills a Fireman

Salem, Mass., Dec. 19.—James A. Waters, Jr., of Reading, aged 22, died here from injuries received when acting as a volunteer fireman at Essex. He was run over by the handtub which he was helping to pull to a fire.

Couple Wed Second Time

New York, Dec. 19.—Nineteen-year-old Peter Van Tienan has married the same girl for the second time in six months. His father had the marriage annulled, but they have married again.

Thirty-One Miners Perish

Dortmund, Ger., Dec. 19.—Thirty-one coal miners were killed by an explosion of black damp in the Achenbach mine.

GOVERNOR DONAGHEY

Freed 360 Convicts as Blow to Lease Syestm



NOT AIMED AT JUSTICE

Donaghey Defends His Action In Releasing Convicts In Arkansas

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 19.—Sharp denial that his action in pardoning 360 convicts as a "blow at the administration of justice," as charged by his critics, is made by Governor Donaghey. The question was whether human lives were to be coined into dollars, he declares.

"Enforcing law by sending convicts to the penitentiary," said the governor, "and then permitting them to be so inhumanely treated that their lives are soon snuffed out in order that contractors may make fortunes, are different matters altogether.

"Certainly the law should be upheld, but crimes of offenders can never be suppressed by permitting graver crimes."

DEBUT OF HEIRESS AT COST OF $10,000

Lois Campbell Proves Close Rival of Marie Busch

St. Louis, Dec. 19.—Miss Lois Campbell, the $60,000,000 heiress, made her formal bow to society at the mansion of her father at 2 Westmoreland place.

Friends think Miss Campbell's debut will cost every bit of $10,000, which was the sum said to have been spent ten days ago at the debut of Miss Marie Busch.

This reception was followed by a dinner and dance last night. The splendor and magnificance of the two functions far exceeded that of any social affair in the history of St. Louis, with the possible exception of Marie Busch's debut.

Campbell gave his daughter a $50,000 pearl necklace.

DEMANDS MODIFIED

Firemen Submit Amended Proposition to Railroad Managers

New York, Dec. 19.—President Carter of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen notified the railroad managers of the eastern territory that, in preference to a strike vote, he was willing to arbitrate, under the Erdman act, the firemen's demands for increased pay and better working conditions. He submitted an amended proposition for consideration.

Carter's amended proposition provides for the employment of two firemen upon approximately 2000 of the largest locomotives in the territory. This materially reduces the number of locomotives upon which two firemen are demanded.

M'NAMARA DYNAMITE PLOTS

Prosecutor Declares Politicians Are Primarily to Blame

Indianapolis, Dec. 19.—Politicians "standing between labor unions and the courts" were blamed for the McNamara dynamite plots at the outset of the government's argument to the jury at the trial of forty accused "bomb plotters."

Pronouncing the series of explosions scattered over the country as a conspiracy "more dastardly and more threatening to society than the crime of an individual," James W. Noel, special assistant district attorney, told the jurors they were called upon to render verdicts in the most important trial in recent years.

Corrects "Blunder" by Suicide

New York, Dec. 19.—Before committing suicide Joseph Dobin, Jr., wrote that he was correcting the blunder made when he was brought into the world.

"Gentleman George" Is Dead

New York, Dec. 19.—Police Inspector George W. McClusky, who was known familiarly to thousands of New Yorkers by the sobriquets "Gentleman George" and "Chesty George," died of progressive pernicious anaemia.



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CAMPAIGN REACHES HUB

Housewives Will Ask Dealers to Reduce the Price of Eggs

Boston, Dec. 19.—The campaign instituted by the Housewives' League of America to reduce the price of eggs, and which was successful in Philadelphia and New York, has been extended to Boston. A demand is being formulated to be presented to the dealers in Boston, asking them to cut the price at once.

It is said if this demand is ignored a campaign similar to that in Philadelphia and New York will be started here. Boston women will work directly through the dealers. Their attack is on the price of cold storage eggs, and they hope a reduction here will pull down the price on all grades of eggs. Storage eggs, it is claimed, can be sold at 24 cents a dozen at a profit.

YATES LEAVES SING SING

Vanishes In Some Manner Unknown to Prison Authorities

Ossining, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Preston W. Yates, serving a sentence of twenty-one years in Sing Sing prison for the sensational robbery of Broker Aaron Bancroft in the vaults of the Produce Exchange more than a year ago, is missing from the prison.

Yates, who was brought to the prison on Aug. 13, 1912, was a second termer, with a reputation as a desperate character. Consequently he was the object of especial watchfulness. How he got out of his cell is a mystery.

Daniel O'Reilly, former Thaw attorney, is now serving a term in the New York penitentiary for having acted as receiver of the securities Yates stole.

—There is something to be said in favor of compelling automobiles to carry a kerosene oil tail light. They cannot be extinguished by the driver of a car who is anxious to get away after an accident, as can an electric light which is controlled by a switch in the front of the car. The recent fatal accident in Somerville reveals one objectionable feature of the electric light.—Banker and Tradesman.

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George A. Sipp, for ten years keeper of the resort, gave the testimony, and as a result of his revelations a police inspector, two ex-inspectors and a number of minor officers were summoned to police headquarters by Commissioner Waldo. A patrolman named as a graft collector was suspended forthwith.

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PIN BOYS ON THE JUMP

The bowlers were right on deck last night at the various alleys of the city, with plenty of enuthusiasm, and while no records were broken, scores of the average kind were produced.

Three games were played at the Coliseum alleys. The Motormen beat the Conductors, three out of four strings, and a total of 31 pins. Johnson scored the high single 110 and Godin, the high total with a score of 273.

The Makarias and Wollaston A. A. split even with two points each, the fine score of the Wollastons on the third string giving them the total by 13 pins. Lester Chapman led the single stringers with 112, while M. Nicoll marched at the head of the totals, by a score of 284.

In the Foresters league, John Adams Court of Quincy and Monatiquot Cout of Weymouth split even, the wonderful spurt of the local team giving them the third string and the total by two pins. Riepke again took all honors with 110 for the single and 288 for the total pinfall.

At Weymouth, in the Old Colony league, Weymouth walloped the City Square Team of Quincy, four straight, and a total score of 1330 to 1162. Tirrell was high single score with 113 but Connell carried off total honors with 289.

At the Norfolk Downs alleys, the Coliseums and Norfolk Downs teams split event with two strings each. George Grant carried off all the honors with 109 for the single string and 286 for the total.

At the City Square alleys, the Policemen turned the tables on the Carmen, taking three out of four points. Dan Ford was the star performer with 108 for the single and 281 for the total.

The scores:

MOTORMEN.

	1	2	3	Totals
Seavens	87	102	67	256
Ford	66	86	92	244
Davey	91	79	92	262
Cappelini	88	77	78	243
Hanse	80	95	83	258
	412	439	412	1263

CONDUCTORS.

Kent	84	93	72	249
Malnati	78	72	77	227
Irwin	73	81	72	226
Johnson	76	71	110	257
Godin	82	101	90	273
	393	418	421	1232

MAKARIA.

Piper	76	91	79	244
E. Nicoll	76	73	86	235
McKenzie	83	89	80	252
Cobb	84	78	73	235
M. Nicoll	95	94	95	284
	414	425	413	1250

WOLLASTON A. A.

M. Chapman	98	77	85	260
L. Chapman	82	112	82	276
B. Chapman	74	66	83	223
H. Richards	76	77	88	241
W. Hoxie	76	85	102	263
	406	417	440	1263

COURT NO. 144 JOHN ADAMS.

Collins	92	85	91	268
Smith	82	81	104	267
Kavanagh	81	85	83	249
Esson	80	91	86	257
Riepke	89	89	110	288
	424	431	474	1329

COURT NO. 150 MONATIQUOT

Kezer	90	90	107	287
Cleary	99	106	79	284
Walsh	76	101	82	259
Gureten	95	74	85	254
White	80	78	85	243
	440	449	438	1327

COLISEUM

Jenkins	88	88	88	264
Williams	83	61	60	204
Carlson	78	88	79	245
Dackers	81	89	85	255
Grant	79	98	109	286
	409	424	421	1254

NORFOLK DOWNS.

Guinen	93	95	71	259
Gillen	91	69	77	237
Stobart	101	85	89	275
Dunn	90	88	85	263
McGroghegan	81	75	80	236
	456	412	402	1270

POLICEMEN.

LaBreque	91	91	92	274
Dineen	73	93	83	249
Canavan	91	75	79	245
Ford	88	85	108	281
Thorne	90	78	84	252
	433	422	446	1301

CARMEN.

Mattie	77	88	61	226
Anderson	83	83	81	247
McDonald	72	90	91	253
Davey	84	89	79	252
Cappelini	97	90	81	268
	413	440	393	1246

WEYMOUTH.

Tirrell	70	98	113	281
Smith	81	79	76	236
Connell	89	103	97	289
Kiley	78	86	96	260
Smith	92	80	92	264
	410	446	474	1330

CITY SQUARE QUINCY.

White	82	79	70	231
B. Erickson	78	80	69	227
Galvin	80	88	70	238
F. Erickson	72	78	68	218
Hanson	78	79	91	248
	390	404	368	1162

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AGAINST ALEXANDER

A check for $100 is on exhibition in the window of the Pettengill Jewelry store, payable to Inspector Alfred W. Goodhue, for the conviction of George W. Alexander who secured three watches, valued at $150 from H. Dennison Cole at the store, Sept. 20. through misrepresentation. Inspector Goodhue has recovered two of the watches and believes that the other one will be in his hands shortly. Alexander tried the trick at the store of T. L. Williams but was unsuccessful. He was later apprehended at Lowell for stealing automobile tires and brought here from that city. The check is complimentary to the efficiency of Inspector Goodhue., The reward by the Jewelers Security Alliance Co.

WELL-KNOWN MAN DEAD

Frank W. Baillie died at his home, 5 Linden Place, Wednesday morning. The deceased was in his 49th year and was well known in this city. He was a painter by trade.

BID FOR BATTLESHIP.

..The Fore River Ship Building Co., has prepared bids for the proposed battleship Pennsylvania, and will submit them to the navy department Friday. The appropriation was made at the last session of congress and the ship will be the last word in naval architecture. She will rank with the foremost fighting machines of the world when completeed, Admiral Bowles of the company is now at Washington.

GRANITE CUTTERS MEETING.

A mass meeting of the three branches of the Granite Cutters union will be held this evening to elect three members of the executive board and a business agent. After this meeting the cutters branch will hold a meeting to elect officers.

DISTRICT COURT.

Abijah Farrar was arraigned for a statuatory offense at Randolph. He was held in $2000 until Dec. 23.

Peter Fallon was sentenced to six months in the house of correction for assault on his wife with an axe at Braintree.

John McGilvray was fined $10 for drunkenness at Milton. ,

Jack Lee was fined $50 for violation of the liquor law at Holbrook. Appealed and held in $500.

James F. Ownes was arraigned for alleged sale of leased property at Weymouth. Case continued until Jan. 3.

Charles H. Johnson gave his popular lecture "Historic Quincy" before a large and representative gathering of the Men's club at the Congregational church in East Milton, Wednesday night. It was received with a great deal of enthusiasm and Mr. Johnson was roundly applauded a number of times during the evening.

—A woman juror in Kansas asked to be excused from service because she had house work to do and the court refused to excuse her. Certainly! What has house keeping got to do with women who can vote and serve on jurys?

MARRIAGES

GLOVER — WATLING — In Quincy, Dec. 18, by Rev. A. M. Thompson, Mr. Walter Glover and Miss Evelyn Sarah Watling, both of Quincy.

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MANY MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

When Quincy Court, M. C. O. F. Elected Officers

The annual meeting of Quincy Court, 76, M. C. O. F. was held at G. A. R. hall, Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance of members. The election of officers were as follows.,

Chief Ranger—Michael Sweeney.
Vice Chief Ranger—John Seeley
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Mary E. Avery
Financial Secretary—Miss Mary A. Sullivan.
Treasurer—Mrs. Lucy G. Howard.
Senior Conductor—John Henry Dorley
Junior Conductor—Frank Goodhue.
Inside Sentinel—Leon Bouchette.
Outside Sentinel—Patrick K. Ward
Trustees—Michael Dorley, David R. Frazier, Patrick K. Ward.
Delegates to convention—Michael Dorley, Patrick K. Ward.
Alternates—Conrad Mischler, David R. Frazier.
Physician—Dr. George M. Sheahan.

The installation of officers will take place on Jan 1, and arrangements are being made to have it a most successful social affair.

JOY OF CREATING.

Put Your Heart In Your Work, No Matter What It May Be.

While every man who makes a living is not a genius, yet the real joy of creating can belong to each of us in just as real and true a way. If we put into farming or banking or our school work the sense of making something we get the great treasure out of it. When we fill any task with ourselves we make something.

A girl says, "I made the room tidy," which simply means she put something of herself into the disorderly room and so beautified it. After she had made it tidy it reflected something of herself; it looked some idea of order such as she had in her own mind. A boy says, "I made a good recitation in school yesterday," and he is right, for, although the lesson was already there, it had to wait for him to come along and make it a recitation.

So it is everywhere. Making anything means, no matter how simple the task, that we bring out something that did not exist before and that that something is to some degree like the maker of it. We get out what we put in. If any one wants to be miserable the surest way is just to do things without putting his whole heart and self into them. Think of the mere outside of the tasks and they are not worth doing. But once put yourself into them and all that is changed.—St. Nicholas.

UNITY OF LIFE.

Cells of Animals and Plants Alike and Governed by Same Laws.

Protoplasm, the literal transiation of which means "the first man made," was the name given by a German scientist in 1846 to the shiny, granular, semifluid contents of vegetable cells.

It looks like the white of an egg and it can be analyzed into four chemical elements—carbon, oxygen, nitrogen and hydrogen. It is now recognized as the fundamental basis for all life. The smallest particle of it goes through what is known as the cycle of life—free motion, feeling, feeding and reproduction. When in some unconscious way it grows a membrane for a covering or a little nucleus, a kernel somewhere within it, science calls it a cell.

These cells are the same in plants and animals. Professor Jacques Loeb showed the importance of this fact. Although plants, he explained have no nervous systems, they have "instinctive movements." In analysis of instincts he bound together in the cell common to them the plant and the worm at the root of the plant—as some day, perhaps, the tree of life and the serpent may be bound and he called their reflex actions "tropisms."

Then he pointed out that tropisms are mechanical acts—that moth and fly and ivy leaf move in spite of themselves in chemical subjection to light, heat and odors, which the scientist calls "emanations."—From "Man as a Mechanism" in Metropolitan.

Bartenders Against Temperance

Chicago, Dec. 19.—J. E. O'Brien, who invited members of Bartenders' union 41 to join his temperance club, received just one vote when he came up for re-election as secretary of the union.

Too Late For Classification.

WANTED—Reliable young man for laundry wagon. Knowledge of Dorchester and Roxbury necessary. Old Colony Laundry Co., 12 Tirrell Court, Quincy. 19-3t

REWARD—For return of case of automobile tools lost on Granite street, Dec. 18, return to Peter Carlson at W. G. Shaw's furniture store. 19-3t

MISS RANDALL'S CUSTOMER

A Case of Mistaken Identity

By CLARISSA MACKIE

Hester Randall surveyed the result of her morning's work with keen satisfaction. A snowy cloth was laid on her kitchen table, and piled thereon were loaves of crusty bread, sheets of featherweight biscuits and glistening rusks. There were tempting loaves of pound cake and several layer cakes as well as a platter heaped with sugared doughnuts and another of cookies.

Friday was always Hester's busiest day. She arose at 4 o'clock and baked all day to fill her orders for the dainties which were in great demand among her neighbors. On Friday evening, although she was tired and footsore, she would deliver the bread and cake. She would have to make several trips with the heavily laden basket before her weary body could seek repose.

Now she sat down and drank a cup of hot tea and ate a trifle of supper before she started out on her rounds. She was a plump, rosy little mite of a woman with bright brown eyes and brown hair that obstinately refused to turn gray, although Hester had passed her thirty-first year. Now she slipped into a thin white dress, for it was a hot evening, and, arranging her first basket load, went out into the gathering twilight.

At Mrs. Amos Blake's she left part of her fragrant burden and paused for a little chat.

"You know the Paige place has been rented for the summer, don't you, Hester?" asked Mrs. Blake after awhile.

"No. I'm glad to hear it, though. It means another customer," laughed Hester.

"I spoke a good word for you. It's a lone man who has something to do with making a map of the county hereabouts and he was planning to get all of his meals at the hotel, but when I told him about how you baked for some of us lazy housekeepers he said he'd much rather have home cooking and he guessed he'd fuss over his own breakfast and supper. You know men like to fuss over cooking things. Now, Amos here is tickled to death whenever I let him get breakfast on Sunday morning. This isn't telling you about Mr. Chandler, though. I told him I'd speak to you and tell you to leave him some bread and cake, and he said he might not be home when you came, so he asked me to give you this dollar and tell you to leave a dollar's worth on his back porch every week. Have you got anything to spare?"

"Maybe I can make out some for him by giving up my own baking," replied Hester as she placed the money in the little bag dangling from her waist. "If I don't hurry it will be pitch dark before I get through. Good night."

"Good night, Hester. That cream cake looks so good I'm going to have a slice right away."

It was dark indeed when Hester Randall stopped with her third load of goodies at the gate of the Paige house. It was a small gabled cottage smothered in honeysuckle vines and for several seasons had been rented furnished to city people. It looked dark and deserted now as Hester opened the gate and made her way around the sandy path to the back porch. As she stood there, hesitating, the moon pushed a silver rim above the shoulder of High hill, so she waited until it rose in all its splendor and cast a pale glow over the Paige house and garden. It fell full on an open window where a white curtain languidly flapped.

As Hester opened her basket and laid a clean napkin on the porch a harsh voice from the open window startled her.

"What are you doing out there?" it snarled, and Hester was quick to reply.

"I'm leaving your bread and cake," she said with offended dignity in her tones.

"Well, hurry up and get out of here. I want to be alone!" rasped the voice.

It was a very indignant Hester who dumped several loaves of bread, a sheet of biscuit and some doughnuts and a layer cake on the back porch and hurried out of the yard with burning cheeks.

"What a crabbed, cranky old man he must be!" thought Hester as she went home and prepared for bed. "If it wasn't for the money I'd not bake another crumb for him. The idea!"

Unfortunately Hester could not give way to her injured feelings, for she needed every penny she could earn to pay off the indebtedness on the little house which was her inheritance from hardworking parents. So the following Friday evening found her once more standing at Mr. Chandler's back door with her basket of goodies. It was not yet dark, and she could see a large china dish on the floor, beside which lay something white and oblong. She picked it up and in the waning light read her own name in bold, black characters. She tore it open and there dropped out another crisp dollar bill and a scrap of paper, on which was written:

"Everything was bully. Don't forget me this week. I like pie."

Involuntarily Hester smiled and tucked the note away in her bag with the money. Then she knelt down and lifted from her basket a flaky cherry pie, some bread and rolls and cake which she piled in the dish Mr. Chandler had thoughtfully provided, and over the whole she threw a napkin.

She was going down the steps when once more from the same open window sounded the harsh voice she had heard before.

"For heaven's sake, clear out of here! What are you hanging around for? You've got all my money and"—

Hester Randall did not wait to hear any more. With burning cheeks she hurried through the gate and away from the detestable stranger. Not if the little home she was working so hard to retain should be sold over her head would she ever sell another particle of her products to the boorish mapmaker who lived in the Paige house.

"Let him eat baker's trash," was Hester's ultimatum.

A few days later she was talking to Mrs. Blake.

"That Mr. Chandler is an old man, isn't he?" asked Hester.

"Oh, no; not so very old—leastways he don't appear so to me, Hester. His hair is gray as can be, but he is so pleasant and boyish acting seems as if he was as young as my Jimmy. He sets a lot of store by your cooking. You've never met him yet, have you?"

"Not exactly," admitted Hester. "I've heard his voice, though, and I don't see how anybody can think that's pleasant."

"Now, isn't that the funniest thing? Everybody thinks his voice is the nicest thing there is about him."

"I don't," said Hester, with decision.

When the following Friday came Hester passed the cottage of Mr. Chandler with a scornful lift of her head. Not for the testy mapmaker were the toothsome dainties she had toiled over all day long. What if he did like pie? She wouldn't make pies for any man who spoke to her in such a manner.

As she prepared for bed that night Hester's anger abated a little as she thought of the breadless, cakeless, pieless state of Mr. Chandler. Somehow she could not reconcile Mrs. Blake's description of him or the boyishly enthusiastic note he had written with the surly voice which had twice accosted her from his window.

Saturday was Hester's lazy day. She rested from her hard work of the day before and usually occupied herself with some light needlework or she read a little. On this particular Saturday she was sitting on the front porch, her never idle fingers engaged with a bit of fancy work, when the gate opened and a brisk step sounded on the path. An instant later a tall form loomed at the foot of the steps.

The stranger was a handsome man—the handsomest she had ever seen, Hester admitted to herself as she took in with a swift glance the broad shoulders, the sun tanned countenance lighted by deep blue eyes and the crop of gray hair which made him appear young or old, as opinions might differ. He smiled and lifted a gray cap from his head.

"Miss Randall?" he inquired in the very nicest voice Hester had ever heard.

"Yes," replied Hester wonderingly.

"My name's Chandler. I'm wondering if you realize, Miss Randall, that I'm simply starving for lack of your sustaining goodies?"

"I'm sorry," faltered Hester, blushing.

"Why did you forget me? But, there; I needn't ask that. Of course I'm your latest customer, and I suppose you didn't have anything to spare for me, eh?"

"That wasn't the reason," returned Hester, with sudden spirit. "I had plenty of time to bake for you, Mr. Chandler, but I don't care to keep a customer who—who talks to me in such a manner."

"How—how—I don't believe I understand," stammered Mr. Chandler in undoubted bewilderment.

Hester explained, painfully embarrassed at the amusement mingled with the concern on his face.

"It's that rascal, Peter," groaned Mr. Chandler. "You see, Miss Randall, Peter is a parrot that belonged to an aged cousin of mine, for whom I was named. When Cousin Philip died he left me the dandiest collection of Indian relics, with the strict condition that I must personally care for Peter until he sees fit to shuffle off. Now, my cousin Philip was something of a hermit, and I see by Peter's vocabulary that his master detested visitors. Now, permit me to bring you the ill mannered Peter in order to verify my statements."

Hester assured him that she was already satisfied, and after she had enjoyed a good laugh at her own expense she filled the basket of the hungry Chandler and sent him away rejoicing, but that was not until an hour had passed, during which time they became acquainted.

Hester continued to leave her cookery on Chandler's porch, and once when she failed to bring it he went to her to find out what was the matter. He found that something had gone wrong with her oven and insisted on fixing it for her. They both knelt down to see into the grate, and their heads touched. Before either of them knew what had happened Chandler had kissed her. Hester arose, apparently very much disgruntled, but when Chandler put his arm about her and kissed her again she didn't look as chagrined as might have been expected.

It was a year afterward that Mrs. Amos Blake picked the grains of rice out of her best hat and tucked it away in its bandbox. "I feel that I ought to have all the credit for Hester's marrying Mr. Chandler because I got him as a customer for her, but they say the road to a man's heart is by way of his stomach, and I suppose Hester's cooking counts a good deal too!"

AWARDED $2948 BY THE COURT

Decision Against Fore River Co. on Steamer Creole

AN APPEAL ON EXCEPTIONS

In the suit of the Southern Pacific Railway Company against the Fore River Shipbuilding Company to recover $600,000 damages for breach of a contract relating to the construction of the steamship Creole, which the plaintiff claimed, was not up to its requirements on the trial trip, Judge Dodge instructed the jury in the United States District Court, Wednesday to return a verdict of $2948 for the plaintiff. This amount represents the cost of coal and towage on the trip.

The case hinged on the meaning of the word "management" as used in the contract in regard to the trial trip. The plaintiff claimed it meant the selection of proper officers to manage the ship; the defendant that it meant the handling and operation of the ship. The court accepted the latter interpretation and found against the Southern Pacific, which will take the case to the Court of Appeals.

In another action by the Fore River Company against the Southern Pacific to recover $225,000, as balance due on the contract price of the ship, the court directed a verdict for the defendant.

The court ruled that the balance was not due unless the defendant was satisfied that the ship met the requirements of the contract. The plaintiff claimed that if it appeared from the evidence that the ship met the requirements sufficiently to satisfy a reasonable person, the plaintiff was entitled to recover. The Fore River Company will take this case to the Court of Appeals on exceptions.

The cases have been on trial several weeks.

A WALRUS ON LAND.

The Awkward and Bulky Creature Is Almost Helpless.

As might be expected, a walrus is about as helpless on land as a canalboat. It is with no little difficulty and much hitching and floundering that he drags his huge bulk upon a sandy shore even with the boosting he gets from behind by the breakers as they roll in and dash against him.

His hind flippers are of little use on land, and on sand or pebbles, where his front flippers do not hold well, the labor of floundering forward is so great that he never stirs beyond the edge of the water and usually lies with his body half awash, with the salt spray dashing over him like torrents of rain. On solid rock or ice he gets along much better, and often a herd will spread several rods back from the water's edge.

The females and younger walruses have far less development of neck to incumber them and therefore enjoy more freedom of motion than the old males, who actually seem a great burden to themselves. These creatures are strictly social in their habits and always go in herds, whether traveling, feeding, fighting or resting ashore. In the days before the slaughter of all living creatures became a ruling passion in the breast of man the Pacific species inhabited the whole of Bering sea and strait in herds which often contained thousands and even tens of thousands of individuals.

A LEGAL LEGEND.

The Tale of a Telling Comparison In an Oriental Court.

When Abd-el-Hakk was poor, as he was one day traveling across a weary plain, he came to the house of the Widow Zaidah, who was also poor, but when he made known his hunger she set before him two hard boiled eggs, all the food there was in her house.

Later, when Abd-el-Hakk lived in Marakesh and was very rich, Meludi, the lawyer, disliking him, persuaded the Widow Zaidah to sue him for the eggs, but not for the eggs alone, for they would have become two chickens, which in time would have so multiplied that the whole fortune of Abd-el-Hakk would not now pay for them. When the case came to trial the rich man was not in court.

"Why is the defendant not here?" demanded the judge.

"My lord," said counsel for the defense, "he is gone to sow boiled beans."

"Boiled beans?"

"Boiled beans, my lord."

"Is he mad?"

"He is very wise, my lord. Surely if hard boiled eggs can be hatched boiled beans will grow."

The suit was promptly dismissed, with costs to the plaintiff.—Pearson's Weekly.

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Vol. 27 No. 287 QUINCY, MASS., FRIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 20, 1912 PRICE TWO CENTS

STEAM AND ELECTRIC SERVICE CONDEMNED BY REV. FR. CRADY

Suggests Community Work on Broad Lines, Unfettered by Personal Ambition

Community Spirit at Catholic Temperance Society Banquet

The annual banquet of the St. Mary's Total Abstinence and Mutual Relief Society was held at their hall on Willard Street, Thursday evening, with 125 members present.

A note for West Quincy development came from an unexpected source when Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady, Spiritual Director of the society, in a forceful and eloquent speech, sounded the beginnings of an new era for the ward, saying that "we have to submit to injustices but that is no reason why we should hand them down to posterity to suffer."

President Daniel J. Duggan sat at the head of the guests table and seated there were Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady, President John Cusick of the Brookline T. A. S. and delegate to St. Mary's from the diocesan committee, Hon. William T. Shea, Dr. John T. Ash, Senator-elect Joseph J. McDevitt, William H. Teasdale, Edward J. Lennan, Charles J. McGilvray and Joseph McGilvray.

The menu was as follows:

Roast Turkey
Cranberry sauce, Celery, olives
Mashed Potatoes Banana Fritters
Chicken Lobster
Salads
Sherbert, Sultana Roll, Ice Cream
Lady Fingers Marcaroons.
Coffee Cigars.

Dr. John T. Ash was presented by President Duggan as the toastmaster and he carried out the necessary work in a cheerful way.

Between the speeches an entertainment was given consisting of songs by Joseph Ecker of Dorchester, Joseph, Peter and Paul Morisette; comic recitations by Thomas Connors and fancy dancing by Ray Callahan. Music was furnished by James B. White.

Mayor Eugene R. Stone was unable to attend because of illness.

The hall was decorated with flags, bunting and streamers which covered the walls and stretched from one point to another, crossing in the centre.

Dr. Ash in opening the post prandial exercises said that a father was the ideal of a family and an association is made up of the units of a family. At this time I want to compliment the members on their activity and present to them our ideal and head of our family, Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady.

As Fr. Grady arose to speak the members stood and cheered for the man whose relations with the society has been of an intimate and kindly nature.

His face wreathed in smiles at the welcome extended, Father Grady, started to thank the members for their demonstration but hesitated, visibly affected. Recoving, he delivered a well conditioned argument against conditions, advocating cheaper fares and more railroad extension. He said in part:

REV. FR. GRADY.

"It is always a pleasure to be present with a society of gentlemen, and especially with a society whose aim, object and end is as great and noble as that of a total abstinence society. It has its natural and supernatural benefits. The natural comes physically and mentally from the practice which the society enjoys. It has its supernatural benefits and merits eternal reward when practised with the supernatural end in view. I hope such is the end of the gentlemen in joining such a noble cause.

"We have heretofore considered the cause of total abstinence. I will take leave of the subject with what I have mentioned and take a position which the worthy tosatmaster has given me, the head of the family. As such I ask you to take an active part in anything that will be of benefit to the community and to the homes because you are then of much more value to the community.

"All the members are not here, but every one of them is fortified with the Young American's great strength, the ballot, and it ought to be used for the benefit of the community. In the daily press tonight were two announcements worthy of more than pasing notice. They stated meetings of improvement societies were being held.

"And herein I say we ought to be animated with some of the selfsame spirit. We have been entirely too neglectful, not of opportunities but of our rights and I say to these gentlemen no matter what the complexion of the ward four Improvement society is we should be hand in hand with them and we should go to them and say we are at your back in everything for the ward and city.

"Our car service is poor, our girls pay ten cent fares to Milton Village from our ward, crowded vehicles of transportation abuse our comfort and no attention is given our plea to extend our railroad service over Granite avenue.

"It is our duty to go to these societies and say we will oppose to the bitter end ever granting a favor to the railroads until it does something for us. It is part of our work to make them suit us. Leadership does not make a particle of difference, it is the end that counts. A person would easily be a traitor to his home on the principles that some are accepting. While there is an injustice we have a right to work against it. That was the foundation of our government.

"I have stated grave injustices and let us make them understand there will be no rest until what we ask is done. Those are my sentiments on true and vital points. It is justice to ourselves, neighbors and to the younger generations for if we have to submit it is no reason why we should hand them to posterity to suffer. Let us hand a clean sheet to posterity as it comes before us."

PRESIDENT CUSICK.

Said while residing in Atlantic he was able to keep in better touch with the society to which he was a delegate He complimented the members on their roll of honor and spoke of a society to which he at one time was a delegate whose members were five and met on the sidewalk, with four as a quorum. He said if all responded to the call "To Arms" of Father Grady, Atlantic will be left out and when Dr. Ash remarked, "Take the initiative and we will back you up," he said he was glad of the spirit.

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BEST OF MERRY CHRISTMAS CHEER

For the Lowest Possible Prices

Sugar Cured Whole Hams

18c lb

As you may perhaps be aware the market is very firm indeed and another advance in wholesale prices was recorded this morning. The lot we offer was purchased in anticipation of higher prices, and this is the only reason we are able to offer them at this attractive figure. The quality you know to be satisfactory, sizes vary somewhat, the price is a saving one, so you need not hesitate to buy.

18c lb

Legs Canadian Mutton, choice, lb 12½c

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10c Quaker Oats, pkg 8c | 10c Campbell's Soups, 3 cans 25c | 10c Van Camps Milk, can 8c

Christmas Candy 2 lb box 25c | Large Layer Figs 20c lb | Dromedary Dates 10c pkg | Grape Fruit Large, 3 for 25c

Peanut Taffy 2 lbs 25c | New Mixed Nuts 18c lb | Cranberries 10c qt | Grape Fruit Medium, 5c each

California Cluster Raisins, pkg 10c | California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb 22c
Fancy Malaga Cluster Raisins, pkg 30c | Best Maine Potatoes, pk 25c
Sweet Potatoes, 6 lbs 25c

XMAS TREES **R. E. FOY & CO.** LAUREL WREATHS

THOUSAND MORE FOR HUNT

Mr. Mackay Passes Mr. Kessler in the Contest

AND OTHERS MAKE GAINS

Good gains were made by several in the Washington contest today, notably by Sturgis Hunt of the Y. M. C. A., who is also a Quincy High boy.

The only change of position among the leaders was A. R. MacKay, the Heptasoph man, who added 325, and passed Fred J. Kessler. These two candidates seem to be having a hot fight for fourth place, and may soon pass R. E. DeNormandie.

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CUTTERS' UNION ELECT OFFICERS

Arthur Treymane Re-elected Business Agent

REMEMBERED THE SICK

A joint meeting of the three branches of the Granite Cutters' union was held Thursday evening at Hibernian hall, South Quincy. The meeting was very largely attended and was for the purpose of electing members of the Executive council and a business agent. Owing to the method provided for the election of these officers many ballots were necesary so that it was 11.15 before the session ended. The election resulted as follows:

Executive Council, for one year, Costanza DiBona, Michael Treacy ann John Keast, that of Michael Treacy being a reelection.

There was a lively contest for the office of business agent with the result that Arthur Tremayne was re-elected for six months.

After the joint meeting the regular reeting of the cutters branch was held and these officers elected.

President—David McIntosh.

Vice President—Donato Salvucci.

Corresponding Secretary—James F. Reid.

Financial Secretary — Michael O'Brien.

Treasurer—Fred Steinbrenner, all reelections.

Auditors—Daniel Shea, Fred Beer and Andrew Christie.

Liberal donations were made to sick members.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Hospital Aid Association for election of officers and any other business which may legally come up for consideration which was announced to be held, Thursday, Dec. 26, has been postponed to the last Thursday in January at the home of Mrs. William B. Rice, Adams street.

MONTCLAIR WHIST PARTY.

The We Three Club of Montclair Improvement Association held a whist party, Thursday evening, which was attended by the usual large party. The trophies wer captured by Miss Annie Callahan, Mrs. Thornley, A. W. West and Murray MacLeod. At the close of the whist was an entertainment and dancing.

MARRIED AT CITY HALL.

City Clerk Emery L. Crane officiated at the marriage service Thursday afternoon of Miss Amemilia Lena Gindali and Mr. Richard Bianchi, both of 19 Doble street, West Quincy. The bride was given away by her father Severino Gindali. The groom is a stone cutter and one of the younger Italian residents of that ward.

LUTHERANS VISITATION.

In keeping with the custom of the Swedish Lutheran church societies the Luther League of Boston visited the Quincy Luther League at their church on Granite street, Thursday evening. It was the first visitation from a Boston League to this.

The meeting opened with prayer and scriptural readings by Rev. Leander M. Hokenson, who also delivered a speech of welcome. A concert program was rendered and refreshments were served by Miss Sadie Nelson, Miss Esther Viden and Miss Anna Peterson.

INQUESTS.

Inquests were held before Judge Pratt this morning on the deaths of Dr. Wellington Record who was killed by a train at Norfolk Downs, Nov. 11, and on the death of Philip Rossi a track walker killed by the cars at Atlantic Nov. 13.

☞Cox's pharmacy has added a line of goods for the holiday trade, but will continue to make a specialty of assorted chocolates and popular brand cigars.

DO YOU WANT BUSINESS? ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

☞Ames hardware store is a new place for the Christmas shoppers and a very good place, too, with reliable goods. Have you seen the mechanical toys?

TILDEN'S DISTRESS SIGNALS BRING POLICE ON HOT FOOT

Shades of Some Dead and Gone Mysterious Pirates Invaded Tilden House

Copper's Night Stick and Automatic Too Much For Spooks

Ding-a-ling-a-ling, went the little telephone bell on the desk at the police station early Thursday evening, interrupting the musical (?) strains that came through the door from the cell room where two inebriated citizens were rendering that pathetic ballad, "Oh you beautiful doll."

"Hello" shouted Sergt. Larkin, as he took down the receiver. "Hello," came the reply over the wire. "This is Tilden, Henry F., 92 Franklin street nights and City Hall day time. There is a burglar up here. We have got him locked up in the bath room. Send a man up." "All right" replied the Sergeant. "Hoolie, you and Cahill take a run up to Tilden's, 92 Franklin street and see what the trouble is," was Sergt. Larkin's order to the waiting officers.

A few minutes later the chub of the police auto was heard and pulling up into the yard, "Hoolie" with one hand on his night stick and the other on his automatic, rushed into the house. "He's in there" said our genial City Treasurer, pointing to the bath room.

Now there is no braver man on the police force than this same "Hoolie" otherwise known as John Holloran. He did not stop to make any prelimenary examination, but going up to the bath room door, he turned the knob, and finding it was not locked as supposed, pushed it open and shouted, "Come out of there." There was no reply. A second command resulted the same. Then pushing the door open the officer entered, prepared to grab the unbidden visitor. But lo and behold the room was empty, there was no open window and no way the burglar could have escaped unless he went down the sewer pipe.

A look of surprise overspread the classic face of the City Treasurer, while officer Holloran looked at him with his piercing eye, as much as to say "Have you been stringing me?" Then the Treasurer explained. He usually sought the sheets, other than Wednesday and Saturday nights between 7.30 and 8 o'clock and this was the reason that he was in his pajamas. During the evening some of the ladies of the house discovered that the door leading to the bath room could not be opened. He was called and found the same conditions. It was then supposed that there must be a man in the room and that he had shot the bolt on the outside, and this was the reason the police had been called.

There is a window in the bath room and had there been a man there he could easily have escaped. Officer Cahill was on the outside of the building at the window in case the fellow should try to escape, when Officer Holloran tried the door and found it could be opened. The only explanation is that the door must have stuck in some manner, or that the shade of some mysterious pirate of the dark ages must have been hovering in the vicinity in an solemn silence for ages and only just about this time thought it about time to make a haul to distribute a few gifts to those of his friends along the styx or in the houseboat. Or it even might have been "Tacks" Hardwick. He was set at the task of digging buried treasure in Harvard square the other day and perhaps his masters might have transferred the scene of his operations to Quincy.

DISTRICT COURT.

Wilmot E. Raymond was arraigned for drunkennes at Weymouth. Raymond was in court earlier in the week and fined $25 for creating a disturbance on the street cars. His wife who was present made an earnest plea for him and Judge Pratt who was on the bench imposed a fine of $10 and suspended his sentence until March 5.

James McKean and James Cameron were fined $5 each for drunkeness at Cohasset.

John J. Merigan was in court for the second time this week for drunkenness at Quincy. He was sentenced to one month in the house of correction and sentence suspended until July 9.

☞PRATT'S BREAD—always crisp, clean, pure and wholesome. Try it. Grocers.

☞Subscribe for the Ledger and secure a thousand votes for the trip to Washington. The Ledger is going to send some one to Washington to the inauguration all expenses paid. That some one may be you. Why not? Subscribe to the Ledger. Get your friends and neighbors to subscribe. Now is a good time to think it over. tf

RE-ARRANGING ALARM BOXES

Changes in the Numbering For Better Efficiency

SMALL ONES IN SQUARE

Work was commenced this morning rearranging the fire alarm boxes in City Square. Box 227 which has been located on a pole near the corner of Chestnut and Hancock streets will be changed to a stand on the opposite corner and the box number changed to 24. This box is similar to boxes 23, 26 and 126. That is they are located on an iron post surmounted by a gas-lamp. The boxes are so arranged that they are on different circuits and in case the circuit on which it is located gets out of order it can readily be shifted to another circuit.

This is not the only change that is to be made for Box 223 now located at the corner of Washington and Foster streets will be changed to Box 25.

The idea of Chief Litchfield is that all boxes with small numbers shall be located in City Square. Under the new arrangement of boxes, starting from the junction of Hancock, Elm and School streets and Quincy avenue with Box 35 there are Box 23 at the corner of Hancock street and Cottage avenue; Box 24 at the head of Granite street on Hancock street; Box 25 at the corner of Washington and Hancock streets and Box 26 at the end of the First church yard opposite the fountain.

Just what the number of the boxes will be that will take place of the present boxes 24 and 25 has not yet been settled.

☞Improvements have been made this week at the office of the Citizens Gas Company. One of the show windows also illustrates how much more cheerful a gas log in the fireplace makes a room. There is the mantel, the fireplace, the lighted log, and comfortable furniture in the window.

Carload of BALDWIN APPLES

grown on my farm in Canton, Maine. Orchards have been sprayed and kept in a sanitary condition.

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CITIZEN'S GAS LIGHT CO.

11 GRANITE STREET Dec 19-5t

INAUGURATION TRIPS TO WASHINGTON

To Witness the Administration of the Oath of Office to President-Elect Wilson; also Trips to Mount Vernon, Alexandria, New York, Etc.

A WEEK'S TRIP WITH ALL EXPENSES PAID

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER proposes to send two people to Washington in March to enjoy the inauguration and sightseeing in our beautiful capital. We have selected one of the best tours on George E. Marster's schedule, and his name stands for a good trip every time. All the expenses will be paid the man or woman in Quincy who receives the most votes.

The winner of contest will be allowed to choose a companion for the trip whose expenses will also be paid.

DIAMOND RING

The person having the SECOND highest number of votes will be awarded a DIAMOND RING.

CONDITIONS

The contestants must be residents of Quincy. None others will be accepted as candidates.

None of the employees or agents of the Ledger will be eligible in this contest.

Every issue of the Ledger will contain a coupon good for FIVE votes.

Every new subscription received for the Ledger for one year, accompanied by $5.00, will count for 1000 votes; new subscriptions for six months, accompanied by $3.00 will count for 600 votes; three months, $1.50, 300 votes.

All subscription votes must be countersigned at the Ledger office.

Send in your votes to the

CONTEST EDITOR

Quincy Daily Ledger

ALL ABOARD FOR WASHINGTON

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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STREET

PLACE

VOTING CONTEST

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Miss Morrissett with a gain of 220 has almost overtaken Mrs. Marnock, and Mr. Bowditch is close upon the heels of Richard A. Cole.

William Wolf has passed the 100 mark. Other gains were made by F. J. Hamel, Charles H. Finn, Conductor Kelley, Flora Collins, John Evans, T. F. Flaherty, and Grace Williams.

PENSION BUILDING.

The scene of the grand Inauguration Ball on Tuesday evening, March 4, 1913, will be the Pension Building, completed in 1885. This is truly an immense building, 200 feet by 400 feet, in which 18,000 people may assemble. The roof, of iron and glass, is supported by great columns which appear to be marble, but are really brick. These are 75 feet in height. There are several groups of statuary, representing the Boys in Blue of the Civil War. Infantry, calvalry and artillery—now keeping buoyant step to the drum beat, and now lagging with weariness, the strong supporting the weak—are here pictured. For the grand ball all the filing cabinets desks and other furnishings are removed and the 2000 clerks have a few days off.

Candidates in forwarding votes are requested to mark on the package the number of votes, so that the Contest Editor may verify his count.

A prize certificate good for 300 votes will be awarded as a Christmas present at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 23, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 16-23. Remember, for the "biggest gain." It is subscription certificates good for 1000 votes each that the candidates should strive to obtain. They count big.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	17040
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	11080
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	2895
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2790
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	1685
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	1550
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1065
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	495
Galen Bowditch, messenger	490
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Sam Shellman, Granite street	290
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	175
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Richard Larkin, High school	120
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	105
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	95
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Williaim Erickson, F. of A.	85
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	85
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
William Kelley, conductor	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
B. L. Smith, Fore River	65
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
George Powers, Fore River	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
John Evans, Progressive	50
Walter Mead, High school	50
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	45
William Allen, Eagles	45
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Clara Stoddard, S. of V. Aux.	40
J. McCullough, shipyard	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	25
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	5
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

"Vote early and often."

TRIES TO IMPROVE BEAUTY

Brooklyn Woman Takes Bichloride of Mercury and Death Results

New York, Dec. 20.—Bichloride of mercury taken in small doses was recommended to Clara Zanarthas, who lived at 114 Wallabout street, Brooklyn, as the means of making her more beautiful. She followed the advice and died at the Williamsburg hospital.

Of late the young woman had been depressed because she imagined wrinkles were appearing on her face. She worried about it, but her sister laughed. Then a friend in whom she confided suggested small doses of the mercury.

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GETS HIS WALKING PAPERS

But Pastor Who Preached Strongly on Hell Refuses to Depart

Greenwich, Conn., Dec. 20.—Parishioners of the Baptist church at Banksville have ordered the pastor, Rev. J. A. Deejay, to put on his pastoral shoes and depart under pain of being formally and urgently dispossessed. Deejay has retained a lawyer, who has sent word that if the members attempt to evict the minister—which they threaten to do—they may stumble into 43¼ legal tangles. And Deejay announces that where he is he will remain.

His sermons, it is said, explain the unanimous opposition to him. Soon after he took charge here in 1910 he based most of his pulpit remarks on Satan's rathskeller. Those persons who swore, he said, were hopelessly routed to hell. He spoke of one boy and said that future citizen was already waybilled.

A few Sundays later Deejay said Satan was roosting in the church belfry. As he spoke some of the ceiling clattered down. Such unexpectedly rapid verification was, of course, decidedly impressive.

CONGRESS ADJOURNS

Senate and House Will Meet Again a Week From Thursday

Washington, Dec. 20.—Congress adjourned for the Christmas holidays after some lively maneuvering to get President Taft's message into The Record, secure action on the president's recent appointments, and bring proceedings in the Archbald impeachment trial to a point where they may be disposed of early in January.

The house was unable to get a quorum and adjourned after a 17-minute session, without even having received the president's message.

Both houses of congress adjourned to meet on Jan. 2. The house money trust committee adjourned until Jan. 6.

ROYAL HONORS AT LUITPOLD'S FUNERAL

Body of Regent Lies Beside That of King Maximilian II.

Munich, Dec. 20.—The body of the late Prince Regent Luitpold of Bavaria was carried to its sepulchre beneath the altar of the Church of the Theatines in this city, where it was laid beside that of King Maxmilian II. The German emperor, the King of the Belgians, the King of Saxony, Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir apparent of Austria-Hungary, and a number of princes representing the royal houses of Europe followed the coffin in the procession which passed through streets crowded with silent mourners.

Although during his life the prince regent had declined to adopt the royal title because, as he said, the real king was still living but unable to rule on account of insanity, Bavaria treated the dead Luitpold with kingly honors. The funeral was conducted with all the ritual employed in the case of dead Bavarian sovereigns. The heart of Luitpold was embalmed separately and interred with those of many preceding Bavarian rulers at Alt-Oeting.

DEFENDS POSTAL ORDER

President Makes Counter Charges Against Accusers In House

Washington, Dec. 20.—President Taft yesterday gave congress his opinion of the charge that he had been playing politics in his recent executive order putting 36,000 fourth class postmasters under the civil service.

The president made the counter charge that his accusers on the floor of the house were telling "untruths." He attacked the "spoils system" and declared he deeply regretted the failure of congress to pass legislation which practically would destroy it.

JURY HAS HICKEY CASE

Five Alienists Testify In Trial of Confessed Boy Slayer

Buffalo, Dec. 20.—The case of J. Frank Hickey, charged with the murder of 7-year-old Joseph Josephs of Lackawanna, went to the jury today.

The swearing of the five alienists, two for the prosecution, two for the defense and one on behalf of the court, with the evidence of George Josephs about the finding of his son's body and the admission of Hickey's confession that he strangled the boy, ended the testimony.

Ambulance Kills a Girl

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 20.—An automobile ambulance, speeding through City Hall square last night, struck and killed 13-year-old Adrianna Neador. The chauffeur, Charles H. Bryant, was arrested.

The Latest In Pensions

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 20.—Mayor Kosek is to send a special message to the councils asking for an appropriation to establish a pension fund for mothers and aged and indigent couples.

PEACE ENVOYS AGAIN ADJOURN

Turks Force Conference to Suspend Until Saturday

WAIT FOR FULL INSTRUCTIONS

Real Delay May Be Over Turkish Proposition That Besieged Towns Be Revictualled as Condition to Waiving Their Demand That Greece Should Sign Armistice

London, Dec. 20.—The peace plenipotentiaries of the Balkans and Turkey were in session at St. James palace yesterday for only about three-quarters of an hour. Then Rechad Pasha and Salih Pasha hurriedly left the palace and went to their hotel. It was announced that the peace conference had adjourned until 4 p. m. on Saturday.

The Turkish delegates state they are not yet in possession of their full instructions or their new credentials which have been dispatched from Constantinople by special courier, and the conference decided it must await their arrival and consequently adjourned.

The new credentials awaited by the Turks are necessitated, they say, by changes in the instructions regarding negotiations with the Greek delegates. It is reported the Ottoman government authorized its delegates to propose that Adrianople and all the other besieged Turkish towns should be revictualled and if the proposal were not accepted by the delegates of the Balkan allies negotiations were to be broken off. It is assumed by some that this is the real cause of the delay.

Premier Venizelos of Greece presided yesterday over the deliberations of the conference. An official communication issued in connection with the session says that, after the approval of the minutes of the second meeting, "Rechad Pasha announced that a special messenger had left Constantinople, carrying the instructions which have been asked for."

It is this point of the revictualling of the Turkish fortress of Adrianople on which the Turks are reported to insist as a condition to the waiving of their demand that Greece should sign the armistice, and if they maintain their attitude it will indicate they are still firm on the subject of the retention of the fortress after the war. Should Turkey carry her point in regard to revictualling the garrison, it would imply the possession of that fortress would ultimately remain with the Turks.

As soon as the question of Greek participation in the peace conference shall have been settled, if that is possible, the demands of the allies will be unfolded and a crucial stage will have been reached when the good offices of the powers may be needed.

It appears impossible now to bridge the gulf dividing the minimum demands of the allied Balkan nations and the maximum offer of the Turks, if these demands and this offer are to be accepted at their face value. This may mean outside mediation.

Turkish Fleet Bottled Up

Rome, Dec. 20.—The remaining ships of the Turkish fleet have been bottled up in the Dardanelles by the Greek fleet under Admiral Koundouriotis, according to an Athens dispatch. The Greek admiral informed his government by wireless that the Turkish ships were afraid to venture from beneath the guns of the forts.

DEATH OF MRS. SEARS

Leader In Boston Society Was a Woman of Broad Charity

Boston, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Frederick R. Sears, mother of Miss Eleonora Sears and of Frederick R. Sears, Jr., died in this city of pneumonia.

Mrs. Sears, who was in her 50s, was a woman of broad charity, contributing to worthy philanthropies and responding to many private appeals for aid. Her death will cast a shadow over a wide section of Boston society.

She was connected with the Coolidges, Sargents and other old Boston families. Her maiden name was Ellen R. Coolidge.

SHOT DEAD BY POLICE

Man Who Decapitated Wife and Killed a Man Puts Up a Fight

Memphis, Dec. 20.—Fifty police, a hundred citizens and part of the fire department engaged in a battle with a murderer, who decapitated his wife with a razor.

The murderer, Adam Behir, barricaded himself in a room in a downtown lodging house. One man was killed in the battle and two policemen fatally wounded. Finally the police succeeded in shooting Behir to death.

Suicide After Losing Fortune

Paris, Dec. 20.—The body of Jean Wetzel, a Parisian hotel manager known to travelers from all over the world, was found in the river Seine. He had been speculating heavily and had lost his entire private fortune.

PEACE DOVE'S CHANCE

St. James Palace, London, and Premier Venizelos of Greece



OFF FOR PANAMA

President Will Be Absent From Washington Until Dec. 31.

Washington, Dec. 20.—President Taft left by train late last night for Key West, Fla., to sail Saturday on the dreadnought Arkansas for Colon.

After three days' inspection of the Panama canal the president will return to Key West. He is due in Washington again Dec. 31.

PARDON IS GRANTED CAPTAIN OF SLOCUM

Christmas Present For Seaman Now Out on Parole

Washington, Dec. 20.—President Taft has granted a pardon to Captain William H. Van Schiack, who commanded the steamboat General Slocum, which burned in 1904 in East river, off New York city, resulting in the loss of 1030 lives, mostly women and children. The pardon becomes effective Christmas day. Van Schaick has been out of prison on parole for some time.

Van Schiack in 1906 was convicted and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for criminal negligence in failure to have sufficient life saving and fire equipment aboard his vessel. He had served five years when paroled last February.

Two hundred and fifty thousand people signed the petition to President Taft asking his pardon. Two previous attempts to secure pardon for him failed.

FOUND AT BANK DOOR

Dynamite and Letter Demanding $1000 May Have Been a Joke

Rumford, Me., Dec. 20.—A stick of dynamite and a letter demanding $1000 were found on the sidewalk near the entrance of the Rumford National bank last night.

The letter was not addressed to anybody and had no signature, according to the chief of police, who said the note apparently had been written by a feminine hand.

The letter was placed in the hands of the selectmen, who did not give out its contents. The dynamite was without a cap and was wrapped in brown paper. The police are inclined to think that someone was trying to play a practical joke.

MEANS STAY OF EXECUTION

Cases of New York Gunmen Who Killed Rosenthal Are Appealed

New York, Dec. 20.—Notice of appeal in the cases of "Gyp the Blood," "Dago Frank," "Whitey" Lewis and "Lefty Louie," condemned to die for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, was filed by their counsel yesterday.

This acts as a stay of execution pending a decision by the higher courts. They were originally sentenced by Justice Goff to die during the week of Jan. 6.

Boy Killed by Playmate

South Paris, Me., Dec. 20.—Eugene Poland, aged 14, was shot and instantly killed here by a revolver in the hands of his 10-year-old playmate, Ralph Linscott. The children did not know the weapon was loaded.

A Quick-Witted Engineer

Arlington, N. J., Dec. 20.—"Bill" Martin, engineer, rammed a runaway freight car with his engine, derailed it and saved the lives of many on an incoming passenger train.

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FIND SECRET ROOMS IN VERMONT HOTEL

Failure of Liquor Raids In Days Gone by Is Explained

Rutland, Vt., Dec. 20.—Repeated failures of sheriffs' posses to secure evidence of illegal liquor selling in many raids made upon an old hotel here in years gone by have apparently been explained by the finding of two secret rooms.

Charles P. Harris, present proprietor of the hotel, discovered one more window on the outside of the house than appeared on the inside, and this led him to investigate. One room appeared to have been used as a "still" room, where the liquor was manufactured. A closet in a bedroom on the second floor furnished the entrance to the hidden apartment.

From the "still" room what appeared to be an unused gas pipe ran down through the floor to the room below, where an iron cap was screwed on the end. Through this pipe the liquor is said to have been dispensed in days when Vermont was a prohibition state.

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LEE CRITICISED BY MANSFIELD

Latter Has a Few Words to Say on Butter Prices

QUALITY COUNTS

H. W. Mansfield, of Braintree, secretary of the Massachusetts Retail Grocers' and Provision Dealers' Association, takes exception to certain statements made by President Alfred P. Lee of the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange in discussing the butter situation

Mr. Mansfield in an interview said: "The highest quality, is what is known as 'fresh Northern,' and comes either from Vermont or New York State. The retail prices of this grade range from 40 to 42 cents per pound. On Dec. 17 the wholesale prices were 36 to 38 cents.

"The next quality is known as 'fresh Western,' and the retailers get 36 to 40 cents for it. The wholesale prices are 33 to 37 cents. After these two grades comes the storage butter, although it is only fair to say that there is a question as to whether certain storage butter stored last October is not equally as good as 'fresh Northern' at the present time.

Mr. Lee says that some dealers are asking 42 to 45 cents per pound for butter, but that he can give a list of 100 or more retailers in this city who are selling 'extra' quality butter for 34, 35, and 36 cents per pound. Our representative can find in the very building which is the headquarters of the Fruit and Produce Exchange reliable firms who have butter ranging in prices at retail from 39 to 42 cents per pound, and you are assured of getting in value what you pay for. In all fairness to the retail merchant Mr. Lee should have given the range in price as above, which denotes quality As a matter of fact, the wholesale jobbing price of fresh Northern butter to the retailers, Dec. 17 was from 36 to 38 cents per pound.

"Storage butter may be obtained at retail at various prices, and we can say that any butter retailed at the present time for 36 cents or under, is either grade of storage or something off in quality.

"Mr. Lee says, from the fact that the small dealers buy in small lots and some do not pay for their butter for 30 or 60 days, that the wholesaler charges more than he does to the dealer who buys in large lots and pays cash. We think we are justified in saying that the difference in price to the retailer would not be over 1 per cent per pound, and would call Mr. Lee's attention to the fact that very many of the retail merchants are discounting their bills.

"He says the small dealer sells insignificant amounts and must bull up his prices in order to make a net profit and make both ends meet. We wish to say that our representative has failed to find any retail dealer, large or small, who is not willing to sell in perhaps what he may term 'insignificant' amounts-one-half pounds. We are satisfied that the price for the same quality usually varies very little; as a matter of fact, we think we found the best value for the least money in a store whose reputation stands second to none as regards quality.

"The retail grocers of Massachusetts stand for pure food, honest weights and full measures; merchandising at a fair margin of profit that we may be able to pay 100 cents on the dollar."

THE BROAD VIEW.

The Taunton Gazette has the following comment on Mr. King's church gifts:

"The gift of Theophilus King of Quincy, whereby he sets aside $16,000, the interest upon which is to be divided annually among all the churches in Quincy without regard to denomination or creed, shows a high feeling of optimism and breadth of view which is indeed commendable.

"The faculty of recognizing good in all things and laying aside petty differences in the minor things is too infrequent.

"Everything in church or society which makes for higher ideals or higher motives in life is worthy of recognition and, in religious matters, broadly speaking, it generally doesn't make so much difference what particular creed a person professes provided he lives up to the God-given principles of doing justly, loving mercy and walking humbly; three elements common to all views of religion and taught by all faiths.

"Every church is doing its best to inculcate these principles and every broad-minded gift like that of Theophilus King helps toward better men and better things, both by material help given to the various church workers and by the example set his fellow men."

BIBLE CLASS ANNUAL SESSION

Interesting Session of the Bethany Church Workers

The annual meeting of the officers and teachers of Bethany Bible school was held Monday evening in the chapel of Bethany church and was preceded by a supper arranged by acting superintendent Melville P. Hayward.

The session opened with a brief prayer by Mr. Hayward.

The report of the last annual meeting by the secretary, was read, accepted and placed on file.

The report of the treasurer showing balances in the several funds of $58.40 was read, accepted and placed on file. $244.40 has been spent on benevolences the past year by the Bible school.

The reports from the beginners, primary, junior, intermediate, senior and adult departments were given by their respective superintendents showing gains in all.

The report of the home department showed a membership of 84 with 8 visitors. The home department had a balance in its treasury of $4.09.

The cradle roll, which has recently rejuvenated was explained by the acting superintendent.

The report of the nominating committee, by chairman Dr. Sherman was accepted and the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for their election which resulted in the following:

Superintendent senior department—Melville P. Hayward.

Superintendent intermediate and junior departments—Harry S. Bates.

Superintendent primary department—Fannie F. French.

Assistant Superintendent primary department—Mrs. Albert Hayden.

Superintendent beginners department—Addie J. Parks. Assistant superintendents—Emma Spaulding, Helen Bromley.

Superintendent home department—Mary F. Sampson.

Superintendent cradle roll—Mrs. W. L. Rice.

Treasurer—Charles H. Scammell.

Secretary—Alvah D. Innis.

Pin secretary—Rupert W. McFarlane.

Teachers on Executive Committee—Richard Wetherall, Mabel S. Baxter.

With but two exceptions, the new officers are the same as for the past year. These two are: the addition of an assistant superintendent of the beginners department, Miss Helen Bromley and Richard Wetherall on the executive committee.

The Secretary's Annual Report was read at this time and showed the school in a promising condition . The average attendance for the year was 296, a gain of 37 over 259 of last year. The averages of the school since 1898 have been:—1898—283, 1899—260, 1900—246, 1901—220, 1902—230, 1903—241, 1904—281, 1905—299, 1906—306, 1907—292, 1908—287, 1909—324, 1910—303, 1911—259, 1912—295.

The average attendances for the last three months have been: Oct.—390, Nov.—416, Dec.—419.

The school gained in all departments on the average attendances over last year. The several special days of the year were enumerated and showed that hard and conscientious work had been done. The school library has been closed owing to the condition of the books and the literary requisites of the scholars have been met by the Crane Public Library.

The report of the pin secretary showed that the cros and crown system had been continued and that many members had been rewarded for faithful attendance.

The matter of purchasing bibles, the need of which was manifested in Superintendent Bates' report, was voted to be left to the executive committee as were other matters brought before the meeting.

It was decided to hold a Christmas entertainment at 3.00 P. M. for the beginners and primary department and at 7.30 for the other departments.



The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

NUTRITIOUS WINTER PUDDINGS.

FOR winter use foods that help to heat the body are especially desirable. Cereals, milk, chocolate, butter, cream sugar and starchy foodstuffs are useful in his way. Therefore cold weather desserts may be useful and should be chosen with discretion.

Recipes for some wholesome and nutritious winter puddings are given here:

Plain Puddings.

Bread Pudding.—Take the yolks of four eggs and beat until light. Add the grated rind of a lemon. Mix a quart of new milk with a pint of fine breadcrumbs and add the yolks with two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Turn into a buttered pudding dish and bake until solid but not watery. Cover with a meringue made of the whites of two eggs and four tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar. Return to the oven and brown.

Chocolate Custard Pudding.—Take one and three-fourths cupfuls of milk, one cake of chocolate and one-half cupful of sugar. Cook these together and add two tablespoonfuls of powdered gelatin. When nearly stiff beat in the whites of two well beaten eggs. Serve with a custard made of the two yolks, one cupful of milk and one-third cupful of sugar cooked until creamy and flavored with vanilla.

Nourishing Desserts.

Tapioca Pudding.—Take two-thirds of a cupful of sugar and one tablespoonful of cocoa. Mix and place in a kettle. Add two cupfuls of boiling water and one cupful of milk. When this boils add two-thirds of a cupful of tapioca and stir often until the tapioca is clear and thoroughly cooked. A small piece of butter is an improvement, but not necessary. Add one teaspoonful of vanilla flavoring and put away to cool. Serve with milk or cream.

Cocoanut Pudding.—Take one quart of milk, put it into a saucepan and allow it to boil. Beat the yolks of three eggs with three tablespoonfuls of sugar till light. Dissolve two heaping tablespoonfuls of cornstarch in a little milk; mix eggs and cornstarch together, pour boiling milk over the mixture and put back on the fire, stirring till thick. Remove from the fire, add a pinch of salt and one tablespoonful of vanilla extract. Cover the bottom of a greased pudding dish with desiccated cocoanut, sprinkle a little sugar on; then pour over the custard. Cover the top with meringue made from the whites of the eggs stiffly beaten. Brown in the oven. Serve cold.

EGS WITH COLD HAM.

THESE simple breakfast dishes, in which ham and eggs are the chief ingredients, are as unlike the ordinary ham and eggs as possible.

A Piquant Toast.

Egg Nests on Toast.—Take the yolks and whites of six eggs, keeping the yolks separate. Beat whites with one-quarter of a teaspoonful of salt until they come to a froth. Take six slices of toasted bread which have been cut to form squares. Butter these and spread with finely chopped boiled ham. Make a hole in the center of the ham on each slice and drop the yolks of eggs into these. Top each slice with a spoonful of white of egg. Place in a moderate oven and let them stay there for about three minutes. Serve on a hot dish, dressing each piece with sprigs of parsley.

Choice Morsels.

Eggs on the Dish.—Take an oval baking dish, butter the dish and lightly dust over with pepper and salt. Break as many eggs as you wish to serve on this dish, keeping the yolks whole. Scatter a few small bits of butter over them and bake in a moderate oven for about ten minutes. The whites of the eggs should be perfectly set, but not hard. While the eggs are baking chop finely a little parsley and some dried boiled ham. Scatter these together over the eggs just before serving, leaving a white border of egg and a small piece of each yolk showing. Heat the fireproof dish before buttering it.

Two Ways of Baking.

Eggs au Gratin.—Take four eggs, a little parsley, two ounces of minced ham, butter, pepper and salt to season to taste. Take four pattypans, butter them well, sprinkle with minced ham and break an egg into each, taking care not to break the yolks; put over them a little grated cheese, chopped parsley, breadcrumbs and a small lump of butter, pepper and salt. Bake in an oven for about five minutes.

Minced Ham and Baked Eggs.—Take four eggs, a teaspoonful of butter, four tablespoonfuls of finely cut ham, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley. Brush four custard cups with butter, put in the bottom of each a tablespoon of the ham. Then break in the egg, dust with a little salt and sprinkle with the chopped parsley. Put the cups in pan of warm water, place in the oven and bake three or five minutes until the eggs are as firm as you like.

Anna Thompson.

Blease Makes a Threat

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 20.—Governor Blease, whose revolutionary utterances concerning the constitution disturbed the recent conference of governors, says he will empty the state prisons if the legislature fails to pass laws reforming the penal system.

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YEGGS BUSY AT BOSTON

Hold Up and Rob Three Storekeepers Within a Few Hours

Boston, Dec. 20.—Three sensational store robberies, accompanied by serious assaults on the storekeepers, have called every police officer in Greater Boston into an active man hunt.

One gang of gunmen visited South Boston and beat, tied up, threatened to shoot and robbed Mortimer F. Shea of $35 in the grocery at Ninth and Gates streets.

Men answering the same description entered the store of Jacob Golden, 15 Russell street, Charlestown, last evening, pulled revolvers, assaulted Golden with a blackjack, fired a shot through his showcase and robbed the cash register of $53.

In East Boston a little later in the evening, three young men believed to be the same who committed the previous robberies, distracted the attention of a storekeeper, Mrs. Doris Zieff, 289 Chelsea street, by throwing a brick through her back window and, seizing the opportunity, entered by the front door and rifled her cash drawer of $20.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Former Countess of Yarmouth Is to Become Mrs. Whitney

Boston, Dec. 20.—Formal announcement was made by Mrs. William Thaw of the engagement of her daughter, Alice Copley Thaw, to Geoffrey G. Whitney, a Boston banker. Alice Copley Thaw went to Washington yesterday to open her own house in that city at 1801 F street, where the marriage will take place probably in April.

In April, 1906, Alice Copley Thaw was married to the Earl of Yarmouth, and two and one-half years later the marriage was annulled in favor of the American girl, who resumed her maiden name. She also took with her the fortune of $200,000 a year which she inherited from the late William Thaw.

PLAN TO BLOW UP MINT

Double Guards Placed Over $500,000,000 Stored In Denver Vaults

Denver, Dec. 20.—A plot to dynamite the Denver mint, where approximately $500,000,000 is stored, was frustrated by the discovery of the plans on the floor of the public comfort station near the federal building.

The plans have been turned over to federal officials and Washington authorities have ordered the doubling of guards at the mint. It had been planned to wreck the building with nitro-glycerin. Nothing tending to identify the conspirators has been found.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The long promised cold snap has come along, with the price of coal still soaring and the poor with empty coal bins.

President Taft has decided to accept the Yale professorship, but there is a proviso that he may engage in other pursuits which will enable him to indulge in his evident ability to travel.

"To be or not to be?" that is the status of the public dock at present.

Andrew Carnegie says that stock speculation as it rules is a parasite feeding upon values and creating none. He probably has the right idea of it. But he must have indulged in some form of speculation to accumulate that immense fortune he possesses.

And again comes the complaint that food stuffs at our very door had to be thrown away because it was unprofitable to market them and yet the price to the consumers is maintained at the sky high quotation.

The express companies have decided to cut their rates. It is only a short time since they felt inclined to give them a boost. That parcels post is certainly a great lever.

Mr. Mellen offers a reward for a device which will stop trains passing the danger signals, yet it is claimed that such a contraption has been in existence 40 years.

Get out the resolve book of last year and figure how well the pledges were kept. Then revise them and start all over again with 1913.

That army of suffragettes has shrunk materially. At last accounts there was only one officer and two high privates.

The Filipinos enjoying privileges beyond their wildest dreams under the Spanish regime are clamoring for freedom. It was ever thus the more people have the more they desire.

One consolation remains that if the new bills are short they will go as far as the longer ones which is not saying much when the present purshasing power of a dollar is concerned.

While the poor deluded people are hugging themselves at the reduced price of eggs, the cold storage people are thinking of the Christmas windfall that came to them through the clamor.

There is a question whether the fellow who follows out the custom of the present day in ushering out the old and welcoming in the new year, has anything to be thankful for when the sun's rays opens his eyes to the dawn of the new year.

Congress is filibustering over a few office appointments. That august body has material enough on hand at the present to concern itself more closely with matters pertaining to the welfare of the people and the nation.

If boys and girls will go skating on thin ice they should be sure that the water beneath is likewise thin in its depth.

A Washington monument in Westminster Abbey. What a change a short century of time has developed. About 135 years ago the British government would have welcomed his head but it would be for ornamental purposes at the Tower of London.

And in passing it might be well to recall that no movement is on foot in the British empire for a monument to Benedict Arnold.

April showers in December bring the grip.

In summer swat the flies. In winter watch your overheated flues.

THE PUBLIC DOCK.

The special committee of the City Council members and citizens, it is said will report their findings upon this important subject to the City Council, Monday evening. While no direct intimation to that effect has been announced, it would not be surprising if they should turn out to be a majority and minority report on the subject. The committee closed the hearings on the subject, Wednesday night. That the citizens are in a receptive mood upon this dock question seems to be well established. Even with the report Monday night, the present City Council if favoring the dock proposition, providing the report of the committee is favorable to that end, and hardly accomplish anything at this late time of the year. It is true they have two weeks in which to act. But it is doubtful if there is such cause for haste as to demand special effort on the part of the present City Council to commit the city to any definite proposition. In all probability, the whole matter will be referred to the coming City Council.

There have been arguments for or against the proposition of a public dock. The committee handling the matter is capable and efficient. It is not in the nature of events, that they would attempt any snap judgment. And no doubt they will be governed by the views of the people at large and the public is very much interested in the project from every point of view.,,

A STARTLING ACCUSATION

Counsel for Davie, the young man now serving sentence for defrauding people of money and who is seeking a pardon, has made a startling accusation against a newspaper. He claims that he was approached by a representative of a paper who requested an exclusive interview with his client. This was denied for what were considered good and sufficient reasons. A second person counsel charges called upon him and announced that certain articles against the proposed pardon were ready for publication, but this second envoy was in a position to prevent their publication if the interview requested was granted. A second refusal greeted this request. Council claims that articles opposing the pardon appeared.

This is certainly a most startling accusation to be made against a newspaper. If true it affords some grounds for refusal to accept anything which would be published under such conditions, as wholly unreliable That does not appear to be the mission of a great newspaper.

WHITHER ARE WE DRIFTING.

The money investigation at Washington, has demonstrated one thing beyond a question of doubt and that is that the country is in the financial grip of a few, a startling few people, when the immensity of the nation's population of 100,000,000 people is taken into consideration. Now that the actual conditions are revealed the main point is to apply a remedy. The people have been awakened to the true financial condition of the country. The enormous wealth in the grip of such a small collection of men, means that they completely dominate and control the finances of the country. Directorates are laced and interlaced so that it is difficult to perceive a clearing from the unity of interests represented by those big monied concerns. The accumulations tell a startling story. The stock exchange reveals another condition which is not permitted to exist in any other country in the world, despite our boasted progress and advancement. Much of the great wealth has been reared upon a tower of watered stock market manipulation and gambling, which has thrust the weaker ones to the wall, governmental privileges, recklessly distributed with such a free hand, and many other things which are as charlatan performances to the average layman. That a change is necessary is beyond discussion. The accomplishment of it is another thing.

Can it be attained without a great financial and business upheaval which will make conditions in this country more intolerable than they are at the present time? The government has a knotty problem before it. The man who can extricate the country from this octopus without distributing ravish and ruin in the pathway of success in that direction is worthy of a place in the hall of fame of a first hold on the Nobel price for achievement. Nothing like it has been ever before laid bare to the public eye. It is astounding. The figures are appalling in their giant proportions.

Who or what condition is responsible for such vast accumulations of money. No man or group of men could accumulate and control such sums, by the ordinary evolution of business or the ordinary turning of business profits. Manipulation is the only word that fits the case and the manipulation has certainly been carried on with master hands, guided by the brains of genius. The next problem is the relief from such an infliction, and the easiest, safest and best way to bring it about. The mountainous structure which has taken such time and talent to build up cannot be demolished in a single day and it will take a master hand to wipe it out without bringing ruin and disaster to many.

BANQUET

(Continued from Page One.)

SENATOR ELECT McDEVITT.

Said that he intended to often consult Father Grady, that his object was to make it easier for the workingman to live. He was planning a personal tour of prisons with the intention of assisting those committed. He said he might lose friends but he would vote as his judgment dictated. He was given three cheers and a tiger with a will.

HON. WILLIAM T. SHEA.

Spoke along the lines of advice to young men. He said a young fellow was a young fellow of the time, that his judgment was sometimes warped by enthusiasm and that in the long run he would find that Father Grady would be of more assistance as director of the society than he at present thought. He asked the members to be charitable if they did not approve of some of the stands of the senator-elect and said that it was the fate of public men to lose friends, but if it came to the point where a man was to suffer the loss of a friend if he voted against the friends wishes which was against his judgment, then you will have to suffer the loss of that friendship. He asked them to take an interest in affairs of all kinds.

WILLIAM H. TEASDALE

Covered in a general way topics of the day, relating some incidents connected with the building up of the society and said that the young men could improve the outlook by doing something for the community and themselves if they would get closer together and work along the proper lines.

BENT BACK THE RULE.

Where Sauce For the Goose Was Not Sauce For the Gander.

In the early days of a certain club of New York, when it was rather harder sledding for the club than it is at the present time, in a meeting of the council the question came up as to the arrears of members' dues, and the treasurer reported that one man was particularly recreant in this regard. It was in the winter, and the club was then maintaining throughout the day and evening beautifully heated and lighted quarters. At this time the only person in the club who frequented it every day was this delinquent, who, in addition to doing a large portion of his writing there, was accustomed to make considerable inroads upon the stationery of the club for home consumption.

At the meeting of the council referred to there was protest against this state of affairs, and a determination was manifest to put an end to it, and after discussion the secretary was instructed to notify the member in question that his name had been dropped from the rolls of the club.

The question then arose whether there was anybody else who was in arrears, whereupon the treasurer reported that this was true of another member.

"Who can that be? Let us make an example of them both," remarked one member, bringing his fist down on the table for emphasis. The reply was that it was Mr. X., the poet.

"Oh, heavens!" replied another. "We can't let X. go. He's too important to the club."

Whereupon the resolution was then amended to read as follows: "Resolved, that the secretary be instructed to drop the name of Mr. Q. from the rolls of the club for nonpayment of dues and to retain the name of Mr. X. for the same reason."—Century.

SHE LIKED TO BORROW.

Give Her a Fair Chance, Too, and She Was Willing to Pay Back.

Day by day as Mrs. Worth's household and kitchen furniture and groceries slowly disappeared she saw that the moment approached when a final stand must be made. One morning when Jimmy, son of the borrower, appeared at the back door with the statement, "Ma wants the wash boiler," Mrs. Worth determined to act.

"You tell your ma that when she brings back what she has already borrowed I will lend her the boiler."

In a little while Jimmy reappeared.

"Ma wants to know what she has borrowed."

"There are a quart of flour," began Mrs. Worth, "a peck of potatoes, a cupful of sugar, a can of coffee, a half pound of lard, some onions and butter and spices, the screwdriver, the hatchet, a pair of scissors"—she paused, recollecting—"three spools of thread, a paper of needles and"—

But Jimmy was gone. Presently he rapped on the back door again.

"Ma says for you to write 'em down. I forgot some of 'em."

Mrs. Worth sat down with pencil and patiently made an alphabetical list of all the articles she could remember.

Jimmy took the list and disappeared. A half hour later he once more appeared at the back door and announced:

"Ma says if you'll lend her the wash boiler to carry them in she'll bring 'em home."—Youth's Companion.

MAN WAITING AT FRONT DOOR

Frightened Away By Appearance of Owner

MADE GOOD GETAWAY

Shortly before midnight Thursday night Freeman C. Hatch of 341 Highland avenue, Wollaston heard a peculiar noise at the window. At first he supposed it was the wind but as it continued he got up to investigate. Going down stairs he looked out of the window and saw a face at the door. He then ran to the door and threw it open. As he did so a man ran from the house. The police station was notified and Officer Duane, who was on the Wollaston beat notified. He immediately went to the house but no trace of the man was found, as he had made good his escape.

CITY HALL OPEN ALL SATURDAY

Busy Time Planned at Sessions of Many Committees

City Hall which is usually closed Saturday afternoon and evenings will be a busy place this week for there are several meetings scheduled. During the middle afternoon the special committees on the public dock question will meet to prepare its report to present to the City Council Monday evening.

At 5 o'clock the joint committee on Finance and Ordinances will meet and at 8 o'clock in the evening the citizens who are interested in the revision of the City Charter will meet for a conference. This meeting is the outcome of the meeting held a few days ago at the rooms of the Board of Trade. It is more than probable that these citizens will prepare a petition to be presented to the legislature looking to certain changes in the City charter.

WHEN CHRISTMAS COMES.

William Lytle.

Have you any old grudge you'd like to pay?
Any wrong laid up from a bygone day?
Gather them all now, and lay them away
When Christmas comes.

Hard thoughts are heavy to carry, my friend
And life is short from beginning to end;
Be kind to yourself, leave nothing to mend
When Christmas comes.

Do you know some fellow stranded and poor,
As good as you, but with much to endure?
Do not forget him, however obscure,
When Christmas comes.

Are there not some little ones, fair and sweet,
Who know not as yet what they have to meet?
Perhaps with joy you could make their hearts beat
When Christmas comes.

Any cloud you can lift from hearts of care,
Any kind word needed,—try to be there,
And always adds help to sympathy's prayer
When Christmas comes.

Fear not, my friend, giving more than your due,
Remember the gift presented to you
In the long ago, and try to be true
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One of the finest lectures in the course at the Hall Place M. E. church was Wednesday evening by George W. Penniman on "Picturesque America—from Plymouth Rock to the Golden Gate." Over 150 views were shown of the beauty spots in this vast country, displaying the granduer and magnificence of snow-capped mountains and green valleys, the gorgeous coloring of the Western skies reflected in river and lake and ocean, vast mountains of power and strength towering resplendent in all their glory, all testifying to the great and mighty power of God expressed in Nature.

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The next in the course will be a variety entertainment Jan. 22 when a talented reader from Boston will be present.

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The S. O. Q. B. held a social and business meeting at the home of Miss Nellie Corcoran of 7 Grove street on Thursday evening. The majority of the members were present. Following the business meeting a unique way of awarding Christmas presents was presented by the hostess. Two grab bags one with comic and the other with pretty presents went the rounds. A musical program was provided by the members and refreshments were served.

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NEW HAVEN WRECK CASES

Jury Disagrees In Suits Arising From the Saybrook Disaster

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 20.—After being out almost twenty-four hours, a jury in the superior court reported a disagreement in the trial of five suits for alleged damages against the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad.

The suits grew out of the wreck of the Saybrook express at Laromas, Conn., last August. Judge Dana dismissed the jury. The total damages asked in the five suits amounted to $67,000.

New Chief of Secret Service

Washington, Dec. 20.—William J. Flynn was sworn in as chief of the United States secret service, succeeding John E. Wilkie, who is now supervising special agent of the customs service.

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AMUSEMENTS

DOINGS ON THE STAGE IN

BOSTON AND VICINITY

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE.

Monday will bring the first repetition of Charpentier's "Louise," that masterpiece of modern French opera which was heard for the second time in Boston last week. So enthusiastic was the reception and so beautiful and praise meriting the production, scenically as well as musically, that it is assured that the work will henceforth have a permanent place in the repertory of the company.

For Christmas night the fare will be particularly attractive. "La Traviata" with the greatest living coloratura soprano, Mme. Luisa Totrazzini as Violetta. In America the diva's numerous admirers consider Lucia her greatest role, but in England where her popularity is equally great, Violetta is most often called for. Giuseppe Gaudenzi will be the Alfredo and Anafesto Rossi the elder Germont, a part which he has sung in Philadelphia and Chicago, since his recent arrival in America.

"Aida" with its succession of gorgeous scenes and its glorious score will come to a hearing for the first time this season on Friday night. The cast will be an extraordinarily strong one, Mme. Carmen Melis effecting her return as Aida and Giovanni Zenatello making his season's debut as Radames.

As a holiday treat for children and grown-ups the truly melodious "Haensel and Gretel" will be sung at the Saturday matinee.

The mere announcement that the greatest of Irish tenors, John McCormack, will sing Rodolfo in "La Boheme" and at prices which are cut in two, on Saturday evening, without doubt will fill every chair in the auditorium.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

Monday afternoon and evening at the Castle Square Theatre, John Craig will make his annual holiday musical production. He has chosen "The Gingerbread Man," and it will be given for the first time in Boston. Its author is Frederic Ranken, and its composer is A. Baldwin Sloane, who also wrote the tuneful music to "Jack and the Beanstalk." Through the entire play move the favorite characters of Mother Goose and fairyland, and for the chorus there will be a merry assortment of baker girls, baker boys, candy makers, toy makers, reindeer, fairies, peasant maids, waitresses and courtiers. The Fiery Dragon will also be seen, and in every way "The Gingerbread Man" promises to rival Mr. Craig's preceding Christmas production.

The entire company at the Castle Square will take part in "The Gingerbread Man," and it will be increased by a chorus of forty singers. Mary Young will be seen as Little Jack Horner, with Mr. Craig as Wondrous Wise, Wilson Melrose as Machevalius Fudge, Walter Walker as Santa Claus, Donald Meek as the Gingerbread Man himself, Florence Shirley as Margery Daw and Egbert Munroe as the Fairy Queen. Special scenery will be painted for this production, and it will certainly be one of the most popular of all Mr. Craig's holiday productions.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

John Mason, who is unquestionably one of the strongest Boston favorites who visit here annually, comes to the Hollis Street Theatre for a limited engagement of two weeks only, beginning Dec. 23. Mr. Mason, or "Jack" as he is affectionately known by all play-goers who recall his series of splendid triumphs at the Boston Museum in the halcyon days of that celebrated stock organization, returns to Boston this season under Charles Frohman's direction. He appears in a new play, "The Attack," from the masterly pen of Henri Bernstein, the foremost Parisian playwright of today. It is needless to recall Bernstein's other notable works—"The Thief," "Samson" and "Israel" which have justly been characterized as masterpieces of modern French literature. "The Attack' tells a romantic story in which politics and love are blended in a way that holds the sustained interest of every spectator. Mr. Mason appears as Merital, a political leader of the Social party. He is a man of fifty-three, with a fine career before him. Renee, the chum of his only daughter who has spent four summers in the great man's house, has fallen in love with him and tells him so in a naive trusting way. At first he tries to laugh at her because of the difference in age, but as he realizes her devotion is deep and true, he, too, avows his love. Their romance is interrupted by a conspiracy to ruin Merital's political career by unearthing a theft which he had committed in his earliest youth. Merital runs his real enemy to earth, vindicates himself in the eyes of the world, and returning to Renee confesses to her his guilt. She remains loyal to him, and after having won his case and driven his accuser out of court, Merital after confessing his early fall from grace to the young woman who loves and trusts him, finds that her devotion is still unshaken.

"The Atack" is a play that appeals to women as well as men with extraordinary force, and with a star like John Mason it is sure to crowd the Hollis Street Theatre at every performance. There will be Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE.

A stupendous array of brilliant attractions are promised for holiday week at B. F. Keith's Theatre, something that will appeal to young and old being included in the program. One of the most pretentious features of the bill will be Mlle. Minni Amato and her big company of French artists in the wordless playlet in three scenes "The Apple of Paris." This is a thrilling and intensely interesting story of life on the boulevards, told in the most realistic fashion. In addition to Mlle. Amato, the company



EDDIE FOY,
In "Over the River."

includes Signor A. Coccia, Yuki Yamanaka, and several other artists of international repute. The big comedy feature of the week will be George Rolland and company in Billie Burke's uproariously funny farce comedy, "Fixing The Furnace." This domestic travesty, or tragedy, as it is any household, when the furnace balks in zero weather, is chock full of laughs from start to finish, and George Rolland as the furnace man is excruciatingly funny. Two great features for the children that always flock to Keith's at Christmas time will be Gillett's Animals, including the Monkey Bowling Alley and Adam and Eve, the big chimpanzees, and Adonis and his wonderful dog, who present the most astonishing series of equilibristic and contortion feats. Kate Watson, the original gal from Sangus Centre, will be on hand with a lot of new and funny stories; and other big features will be Pealson & Goldie, two newcomers with something good.

ANOTHER GOOD SHOW ON TAP

Kincaide's Theatre Living Up to Opening Standard

"Variety is the spice of life," and patrons of the New Kincaide theatre can have plenty of spice by witnessing the bill which ushered in the first change since the house opened. The photoplays are the latest productions of the film companies and range from the ridiculous to the sublime.

The first number is a trained dog art in which some of the cleverest canines in vaudeville appear for the enjoyment of old and young. The act is just a little different from the rest inasmuch as two of the dogs perform a comedy stunt just perfected.

Overflowing with fun, and then some, is about all that needs be said of Ezier and Webb, female cloud dispellers, who just tuck their comedy line under their arm when they leave the wings and give it to their audience.

The five musical durands present an act which was never before equalled in this city. As Mr. Durand says, "Ma and I and the three kiddies enjoy every performance" and the quality of their music is not strained. It is of the high order. The two girls also present an original song and dance act, demonstrating the waltz clog and eccentric buck and wing.

Delvino and Lamon, comedy acrobats will be the extra act for Saturday. They have not appeared at any of the Boston houses, coming direct from the western wheel.

CHANGE MEETING PLACE.

A regular meeting of Quincy Council, Knights of Colombus was held Thursday evening. It was voted to change their meeting place from Greenleaf to the New Colonial hall. There was a good attendance. The banquet committee asked and was granted additional time to consider and report on plans for the annual banquet.

A WOMAN'S "SOTNESS"

By M. QUAD

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For an hour we had roasted and eaten chestnuts at the big fireplace in the cabin of Rube Jones, mountaineer, and then I asked for a story. He hung off a bit and then began:

"When I built my first cabin on this yere mounting it was clus up to the foot of a hill. Folks told me that a landslide would come along some time and make matchwood of that cabin and bury us thirty feet deep, but I wasn't to be skeered out of a good location on that account. I was buildin' so as to be nigh a spring and a road, you see. Once in awhile as time went on thar'd be a slip to the right or left of us, but nothin' to do any hurt.

"We kept talkin' 'bout movin', but also kept holdin' on, and so a week passed. Then spring sot in, and it rained and rained. I never did see it pour down so stidy and so long. Reckoned it rained fur 'bout 'leven days without a break. One mawnin' jest befo' daylight the ole woman woke me up jest as I was dreamin' of puttin' down a tree with thirteen coons roostin' on the limbs, and she sez to me, sez she:

"'Rube Jones, git up!'

"'What fur?'

"'Bekase you wanter be a-gittin.'

"'A-gittin' fur what?'

"'A-gittin' outer this yere cabin. I've heard the trees and rocks crackin' up thar fur the last hour, and I tell you we are gwine to hev a landslide.'

"'Whar did you make a study of landslides?' sez I, feelin' mortal mean 'bout losin' all them coons.

"'Rube, don't be a fule!'

"'One in the fam'ly is 'nuff, I reckon!'

"That fired her up. 'Deed, but I felt so mean 'bout them thirteen coons, with coonskins bringin' six bits in cash that y'ar, that I sorter wanted to git up a row. It didn't take long. She jumped outer bed with her jaw sot, and when I got up she was sittin' on a stone out in the yard with an umbrella over her head.

"'Ole woman, we hain't got ten minits to git outer this. Grab up what yo' kin and foller me!'

"'What's the rumpus, Rube?' she calmly asks as she begins to hum a tune.

"'Gwine to hev a landslide, an' it may cum any minit!'

"'Whar did yo' make a study of them air landslides, Rube?'

"'Don't make no fule of yo'self, ole woman, fur things up thar is already shakin'.'

"'One fule in the fam'ly is 'nuff, I reckon. Yo' go right on. My ole man says thar's no danger of a landslide, and so I'm goin' to sot right yere.'

"'Ole woman, are you sot?'

"''Deed I are, Rube.'

"'And are you gwine to take chances of bein' buried under a millyon tons of dirt and rock?'

"'I reckon I am!'

"'And won't nuthin' move yo'?'

"'Nuthin' but that thar landslide, which my ole man says hain't a-cumin'. Goodby, Rube. Better be gwine!'

"'Yo' are sot, ole woman,' sez I, 'and yo' are a fule to boot, but I can't leave yo' to perish. Up yo' git and cum along!'

"But it was no use. When I tried to lift her up she bit and kicked and wouldn't be budged. I was powerfully skeert, and I knowed the old woman couldn't be unsot of her sotness. I got the clock and the feather bed and rushed up the road to the bend, and I hadn't only jest slewed around when the mounting moved.

"It was a sight to lift yo'r heels—all that rock and dirt and trees and bushes rushin' down, and the ole woman sot on the stone as stiff as a poker and waited fur it to reach her. It was rollin' over her when I closed my eyes and sunk down. When I cum to everything was hurly burly—wife gone, cabin gone, land buried out of sight!

"Mebbe yo' can imagine my feelin's," said the old man as he stopped to knock the ashes out of his pipe and scratch his leg. "I kinder fainted and fell down; then I sot up and cried; then I stood up and cussed. Reckon I was crazy fur 'bout an hour. I was sittin' down and weepin' and groanin' when I heard a step and looked up to find my ole woman not ten feet away. Her clothes was a leetle dusty, and thar was a leetle blood on one ear, but she was nighty peart as she sez to me, sez she:

"'Stranger, yo' mought be acquainted round these yere parts?'

"'Stranger, marm—slightly,' sez I.

"'Do yo' happen to know a fam'ly named Jones—Rube Jones, the great hunter arter b'ars?'

"'I do, marm.'

"'Got a fule in the fam'ly, I'm told.'

"'Yes, marm, he has.'

"'Which is it—Rube or his wife?'

"'It's Rube, marm, and dod rot his ole skin if I don't lick him to squash the fust time I meets him!'"

"And she had escaped?" I queried.

"Stranger, the hand of the Lawd was in it. She was carried a distance of fifty feet and slewed into a ditch with two logs across it. When the stuff quit fallin' she was buried ten feet deep, but she got out between two rocks and cum walkin' up to me as calm as a mewl gwine to water."

"And since then?"

"Oh, thar hain't bin no quarreling as to which is the fule in the fam'ly!" laughed Rube as he rose up for more tobacco.

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"A DOUBLE DECEPTION."

"A double deception" was ably presented at the December social held by Ladies Benevolent Society in the Wollaston Congregational Vestry Wednesday evening.

The plot hinges on the visit of Penelope at the home of her nephew Archibald Shillingsworth. His wife believes the aunt to be an old maid and the aunt decides to act the part.

This leads to an amusing controversy between Mr. Shillingsworth and his wife and others.

The unraveling of the mystery furnishes the action of the one act farce.

The scene is at the Shillingsworth country residence. Following is the cast of characters:

Archibald Shillingsworth — R. B. Locke.

Marcus Dill, his friend—Willard E. Keyes.

Lucilla, Archibald's wife,—Mrs. A. P. Thompson.

Penelope Shadrack, his aunt,—Mrs. Charles L. Seavey.

Mrs. Bunn, the housekeeper—Miss Theodora Luard.

Before the play instrumental duets were rendered by Mrs. Charles N. Roach and Miss Louise Thatcher.

The supper was served by the following committee: Mrs. Walter F. Jones, Mrs. Nathan G. Nickerson, Mrs. Albert Sayward, Mrs. A. W. Thompson, Mrs. James Lewis, Mrs. Herbert Marshall, Mrs. Charles A. Campbell, Mrs. Chester I. Campbell, Mrs. William H. Bruce, Mrs. Charles G. Farwell and Mrs. Charles E. Hathaway.

MIXED TOURNAMENT.

A meeting of representatives from Ave Maria, Quincy, Braintree and Weymouth Councils, Knights of Columbus, will take place at the rooms of the Quincy Council this evening. They will complete arrangements for pool, billiard, checkers and card tournament. Considerable interst has been manifested by the members of the various councils, particularly in the bid whist schedule.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity:

Generally fair weather with average temperature for the season and moderate westerly winds Friday and Saturday.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.11
Sun sets	4.15
Length of day	9.04
Moon sets	5.42
High water, A. M.	9.15
High water, P. M.	9.45

Days decrease 0 hours 0 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	41 degrees
Dec. 20, 1911,	36 degrees
Dec. 20, 1910,	42 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

ELKS PLANNING FOR CHRISTMAS

Will Give Dinners to the Poor and Entertain at Home

The next meeting of Quincy lodge of Elks will be held on Christmas eve and the meeting will be a short one. Only routine business will be transacted after which an adjournment will be made to the club house where the entertainment which characterized the meeting two weeks ago will be repeated. Incidently the committee on Christmas baskets are hard at work preparing the baskets of good things that will be distributed among the poor in the district.

YOUNG PEOPLE MAKE GOOD

In Entertaining Christmas Performance

The members of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Chrysostom's church gave a charming Christmas entertainment in the parish rooms Tuesday evening. The program consisted of piano solos by Elsie Thompson, "The Fairies Christmas" was given with Helen Arthur as queen of the fairies; Thyra Oster, Inez Parlee, Mary Pope, Velma Glass, Katherine Murphy, Eleanor and Gertrude Gardiner, fairies, Dorothy Parker, Fairy God mother. The children in the garden were Ethel Poch, Ruth Drew, Katheleen Murphy, Josephine Kessler, Edith Lund, Dorothy Hennigan, Bessie Kelley and Marion Orr.

Recitations were given by Marion Orr, Marion Hallett, Rachel Mc Tear and Della Russell. Vocal duets by Grace Purdum and Helen Arthur. "Scenes from the Holy night" with Verna Bent, Elsie Thompson and Grace Purdum as shepherds, Dorothy Parker was the angel, the members singing the hymns, "The Garden of the Christmas fairy" was given with Dorothy Parker as the fairy and Marion Orr was Father Time, Mrs. Charles T. Kelley was at the piano throughout the evening—assisted by Miss Gladys Parlee, violinist. The pretty costumes, scenery and decorations all added to effectiveness of the different tableaux and the participants acted their parts intelligently showing the careful training of Mrs. George E. Rundlett who had the assistance of Mrs. Edward F. Parlee, Leader, Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. Steenstra and Mrs. Waite at rehearsals.

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SAYS REV. MR. MURRAY

W. E. Robinson and Rev. Samuel Murray spoke at the monthly meeting of the Wollaston Methodist club, Wednesday evening.

A. B. Cassidy presided and T. E. Perley read a bright and newsy number of the Wollaston Herald.

Mr. Robinson spoke on "Local railroad conditions" drew comparisons between the excellent roads in the West and those of New England.

The long delayed electrification of the New York New Haven and Hartford was mentioned and the smoke nuisance emphasized, the South station being filled by a south wind

The secretary drew up a petition asking that the South station smoke nuisance be abated.

"Getting onto our job as church men" was the subject of Rev. Samuel Murray, a brother of Councilman Murray.

He said: "The church has been evading its responsibilities. The statement that 'the church should keep out of politics' is all poppycock. The church should get in touch with all phases and conditions of life and would not be doing its full duty until it did. At the present time ministers did not dare to preach the truth for fear of loosing their jobs."

The speaker urged that the church pay more attention to the social life of the boys and girls. He declared this feature properly supervised was the making of manhood and womanhood.

THE DAYS WILL GROW LONGER

Stretching Out Process Will Commence Sunday

Today and Saturday are the two shortest days of the year. Both today and Saturday the sun rises at 7.10 and sets at 4.14, the length of the day being 9 hours and 4 minutes. The days will remain of even length until next Wednesday when they will begin to lengthen in the afternoon at the rate of a minute a day. The mornings however will continue to grow shorter at the rate of a minute every two or three days for a short time.

BETHANY CHURCH.

The Brotherhood class is taking up the study of the gospel and its application to social conditions. The pastor will be the leader next Sunday. All men are welcome as visitors or as participants in the discussion.

The pleasant Sunday evening service will be largely devoted to special singing by the united choruses and by the old carols sung by the congregation.

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CHAMPIONSHIP WITHIN HAIL

Quincy Soccer Team May Land the Coveted Place

The Quincy soccer team of the Boston District League, composed of teams from eastern Massachusetts, continues their hold on first place and the present indications are that they will finish in that position.

The Riverdale team, which was expected to give the Quincy boys a hard rub dropped to fourth place after being defeated by the Beverly aggregation. The Lynn Fosse team is now second in the standing and a battle royal is expected if Quincy and Lynn meet for the deciding game. The match will probably be in this city since but few games have been played here, although the interest throughout soccer circles may be the means of having the game played on the Boston American base ball grounds. The Trimos were easily defeated by the Quincys last Saturday which gave them another hold on the premier position.

Brockton has commenced to be an aggressive contender for honors and have won four straight games, getting in third place by defeating the St. George team 3 to 2 last Saturday.

The results of the games next Saturday will practically decide the championship. If Quincy loses and Lynn wins a situation will have arisen unlike any seen in soccer for a number of years. The interest in the coming contests is at fever heat and considerable money is being wagered at the Fore River yard where most of the players are employed and which is the actual football centre of the city.

THAYER GIRLS IN BASKETBALL

Only One Change in Championship Team of 1911

The Thayer Academy girls' basketball team of Braintree has been organized for the season. This team won the championship of girls' fives in Massachusetts in 1911.

Four of last year's players are back. The only change is that of right guard which was filled by Miss F. Perry. In the two games which have taken place this season the position has been filled by Miss Anna Walsh, who is one of the leading candidates for the vacancy. Miss Walsh was one of the backs on the Stetson high school girls' basketball team of Randolph in 1910-11.

Miss Edith Kimball, who fills the position of centre, is regarded as one of the strongest players on girls' teams in Massachusetts. She has a record of securing 28 baskets in one game in 1911, and this record was exceeded only once. This was by a member of the girls' team of the Oliver Ames high school team of North Easton, who secured 33 baskets.

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CONFER WITH PORT DIRECTORS

Suggestion Held Out to Public Dock Committee

TWO LETTERS ON SUBJECT

Editor Daily Ledger:—

The discussion on the advisability of this city building a public dock has brought one fact prominently before the people and that is, that the Dock Committee has made no apparent effort to interest the Directors of the Port of Boston in the project and secure from them a small slice of the $9,000,000 appropriation which is at their disposal. As Chap. 748, Acts of 1911, under which the Port Directors are working disinctly states that all of that part of Boston Harbor "lying westerly and inside of a line drawn between Point Allerton on the south and the southerly end of Point Shirley on the north" constitutes the Port of Boston it also includes the water front of Quincy, not under the jurisdiction of the Metropolitan Park and Sewerage Commissions. If the Port Directors can assist Quincy in the building of a public dock why does not our Dock Committee appear before the Port Directors and ask for an appropriation? Why is our Dock Committee so gaily plunging along as though it was blindfolded and didn't care a rap whether or not another $100,000 was added to our debt?

If it turns out that the Port Directors cannot aid us why does not our Dock Committee seek to have the next General Court amend chap. 748 of the Acts of 1911 so that Quincy will have its water front develop upon a systematic plan in conformity with the Port of Boston plan and receives benefits therefrom and a slice of the millions which later on will be devoted to these projects.

Why is our Dock Committee so timid? Is there no member amongst those good citizens who has ease of manner and fluency of speech at his command who can appear before the directors and state our needs?

Is our Dock committee lacking in leaders that our city is to be allowed to fall back into the Chelsea class?

Marshall Adams.

Quincy, Dec. 19, 1912.

Editor Daily Ledger:—

In listening to the arguments at City hall for and against the dock I am sure I went there open to conviction on either side, but from a business standpoint, I must confess the arguments in favor were decidedly weak. In order to convince the citizens who are to pay for it, it must be shown that the property will be self-supporting or a public necessity conducive to the growth and prosperity of our city as a whole. To my mind any argument thus far offered falls far short. As an illustration, one gentleman said, "Our city should have taken over the water department much earlier, after an experience of over 20 years with our mains extended throughout the city and a rate 50 per cent above surrounding towns and cities this plant purely for lack of efficiency in management fails to pay, its current expenses. On good authority we are informed that more than two thirds of the water we buy is wasted through leaky mains, services in public buildings and hydrants. I am informed that a meter placed in one of our public buildings recently indicated a waste of 5000 gallons of water between Saturday night and Monday morning. Has any one ever known an honest attempt being made to correct these abuses.

Among our mechanical industries I think it is safe to say not one man in twenty who earns his money in Quincy makes his home and pays a tax here, simply because the expense for water, gas, tax rate and inflated assessed values are 50 per cent above surrounding towns and cities. Would it not be better for City hall orators to come together and make an effort to improve our conditions so that our working men can live in our city rather than take on another public utility that will be only another tail to political machinery.

I fail to see any good reason why our city with a debt of near three million dollars, a tax rate of $22 and inflated assessed values should spend one hundred thousand dollars for a public dock that at best can only be an additional burden to our tax payers and discourage rather than encourage prospective buyers of homes in our city. If a single industry or a few individuals want a public dock, "let George do it."

A. L. Baker.

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MORGAN MADE STEEL TRUST

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OMNIPOTENCE OF HIS FIRM

Declares His System Best For Corporations and Public as Well—Few of His Stock Issues Unsuccessful—Money Cannot Be Controlled by All the Banks In Christendom

Washington, Dec. 20.—J. P. Morgan juggled his millions before a gaping audience in the money investigation. His money chests were figuratively opened, his financial secrets disclosed, his stock coups explained and his bank books bared.

Mysteries of high finance were disclosed—mysteries which staggered the committee by their sheer enormity. They were exposed without hesitation.

"Steel," the master achievement of Morgan, was described; how the United States Steel corporation was inspired and organized. How Morgan dictated the personnel of the corporation's managers was recited without hesitancy. "Nobody was named a director without my approval," said Morgan.

How many other great financial titans bowed to his summons was also recited by the man of millions. He explained in detail how powerful banks unceremoniously "scrambled" for stock issued by the "house of Morgan." He told how their shares were arbitrarily allotted—some large and some small.

Omnipotence of his firm in issuing securities of railroads was also recited by the nnancier. He declared his opinion that the Morgan system was best for the corporations and the public as well. He denied better results would be secured from free, open competitive marketing of such securities.

The banker declared the Morgan achievements in organizing the steel trust were without written contracts—just mere correspondence.

The banker told of naming E. H. Gary, chairman of the steel directors. He also admitted the prices at which constituent plants forming the giant corporation were bought were absolutely fixed by him.

Morgan, the committee and the audience laughed when he told of his personal interest in the powerful City bank and National Bank of Commerce. He was asked how much stock he had in them.

"Oh, I don't know, a million or so," he said, yawning wearily.

The involuntary merriment of the crowd forced Morgan to join in the laughter after he saw the popular joke.

Morgan showed little of the testy, tart disposition so generally attributed to him. Almost extravagant politeness marked his examination.

"I'll tell you frankly enough if I object to your questions," Morgan retorted to Untermyer at one point.

"I don't know" and "I don't remember" were frequent responses. Often Morgan leaned far over in his chair, gazing with beetling brows directly into Untermyer's eyes, as he made plain a point. His eyes snapped when he declared that he "voluntarily offered securities to the public" and did not force them upon buyers.

Again with twinkling eyes he told how some of his stock issues had not been highly successful, "but they were few," he admitted.

"If you concentrated all the money in Christendom," the banker said, "you would not have control. No one man can control all the money, all the banks or all the credit. Money is the one thing in which you can't have a trust."

Morgan said the deposits of his firm amounted to about $100,000,000. This figure is only about $20,000,000 in excess of the amount interstate corporations have on deposit. The witness saw nothing improper in creating trusteeships to control boards of directors. He insisted that, even under such conditions, the directors maintain their independence.

Rapt attention was given the banker by every committeeman and spectator. Surrounded by his retinue of attendants, including a half-dozen lawyers, firm partners, secretaries and clerks, Morgan was the central dominant figure of as fantastic a story of dollars as has ever been told in American history.

Springfield Has $300,000 Blaze

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 20.—Damage estimated at $300,000 was caused and four firemen injured last night by a fire that threatened to sweep the extensive plant of the Watson Car company here. Two sheds filled with valuable hard wood lumber were destroyed with their contents.

Conductor Crushed to Death

Middleboro, Mass., Dec. 20.—James E. Murphy, 44, a freight conductor, was caught between two cars and crushed to death in the local yards. He is survived by a wife and seven children.

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New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

a Wollaston	f Harrison Square
b Norfolk Downs	g Savin Hill
c Atlantic	h Crescent Avenue
d Neponset	i South Boston
e Pope's Hill	r Quincy Adams
* Saturdays Only	† Except Saturday

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TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave	Stop	Arrive	Leave	Stop	Arrive
r 5 14 abcdefghi		5 51	5 45 hgfedcba		6 14 r
r 6 16 abci		6 35	6 12 hgfedcba		6 39 r
r 6 33 e		6 49	6 30 a		6 47
r 6 40 abcf		7 00	7 15 hgfedcba		7 41 r
r 7 08 abcd		7 30	7 41 a		7 58
r 7 25 d		7 42	7 45 e		8 03 r
r 7 33 Exp		7 48	8 25 eda		8 52
r 7 42 ab		8 00	8 42 b		8 59
7 57 a		8 13	9 10 fedba		9 32 r
r 8 09 abcd		8 31	9 45 a		10 01 r
r 8 29 a		8 46	10 15 hgfedcba		10 41 r
r 8 53 ad		9 10	10 55 Exp		11 10
r 9 15 abc		9 33	11 15 hgfedcba		11 41 r
r 10 03 a		10 20	11 50 a		12 17
r 10 19 abcdefghi		10 45	12 15 hgfedcba		12 41 r
11 12 a		11 38	12 57 a		12 54
r 11 24 abcdefghi		11 50	12 59 Exp		1 05
12 04 a		12 20	1 17 fedcba		1 44
r 12 19 abcdefghi		12 45	1 45 a		2 01
r 1 20 a		1 37	2 15 fedcba		2 37 r
2 04 a		2 20	2 25 Exp		2 50
r 2 19 abcdefgh		2 45	3 15 hgfedcba		3 40 r
r 3 13 Exp		3 28	3 45 a		4 02
4 01 a		4 20	4 12 fedcba		4 34 r
r 4 26 abcdefgh		4 52	4 41 e		4 58
5 06 Exp		5 20	4 57 a		5 13
r 5 30 abcdefg		5 55	5 14 a		5 31
6 12 ab		6 32	5 24 a		5 42
*6 50 a		7 16	5 30 dcba		5 50
†7 05 b		7 22	5 43 a		6 10
r 7 22 Exp		7 37	5 55 fedcba		6 27 r
7 29 ab		7 46	6 14 Exp		6 30 r
r 8 07 abcdef		8 30	6 31 edcba		6 52 r
r 9 10 abc		9 28	7 00 fedcba		7 24 r
*9 17 Exp.		9 32	7 12 a		7 38
r 10 07 abcdef		10 30	8 05 fedcba		8 28 r
*10 19 a		10 35	*8 20 Exp		8 35
r 11 25 abcd		11 45	9 28 dcba		9 46
			*9 35 Exp		9 51
			10 35 fedcba		11 11 r
			*11 07 a		11 25 r
			†11 10 fedcba		11 35 r
			*11 25 ba		11 45 r
			†11 30 ba		11 49

SUNDAYS

r 7 43 abc	8 03	6 30 ba	6 46 r
8 20 Exp	8 45	8 45 hgfedcba	9 13 r
r 8 46 bcdefghi	9 13	9 05 Exp	9 21
r 9 13 abc	9 33	10 15 hgfedcba	10 41 r
9 31 a	9 47	12 15 hgfedcba	12 42 r
10 23 ac	10 40	12 45 Exp	1 03
11 05 Exp	11 22	1 30 hgfedcba	1 57 r
r 11 16 abcdefghi	11 43	2 15 hgfedcba	2 42 r
1 02 Exp	1 17	3 15 hgfedcba	3 42 r
r 1 16 abcdefgh	1 43	4 27 eba	4 48 r
r 3 10 abc	3 30	5 15 hgfedcba	5 42 r
r 4 16 abcdefghi	4 43	6 15 hgfedcba	6 42 r
r 5 07 abc	5 27	7 00 cba	7 19 r
r 6 16 abcdefghi	6 43	8 15 hgfedcba	8 41 r
7 15 Exp	7 30	8 45 a	9 01 r
r 7 21 abcdefghi	7 47	9 30 hgfedcba	9 57 r
r 8 16 abcdefghi	8 43	10 45 cba	11 04 r
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West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)—6.22, 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.05, 10.08, 10.58, A. M., 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.13, 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**—8.19, 9.26 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)—6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.05, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.55, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**—8.48 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25, 3.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays**—8.36, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.18 A. M. 12.25, 1.55, 2.45, 3.45, 4.25, 5.22, 6.05, 9.10, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**—8.48 A. M. 12.48 4.37, 5.37, 10.15 P. M.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 3, 1912.

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Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave Braintree, 6.25 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton,** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and East Milton, 5.30, 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave Houghs Neck, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.26, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.53 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25, 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

Franz's Sister.

Both troubled and perplexed looked John Liebert when he came into the house that day with a bill in his hand.

"What do you think, mother?" he exclaimed. "Mr. Carson charge me one hundred and eighty dollars for that foundation-board! How you s'pose it was, hey? I pace that fence many the time while I was help him build it, and I think to pay him no more as seventy dollars or sixty!"

The paling fence along the front of Liebert's farm was an improvement that had interested all the family. John Liebert, who had helped the carpenter build it had taken special pride in the work, but neither his wife, his daughter Louise—Weezy,—nor his son Franz had been backward about admiring it. That the carpenter's bill should come to three times as much as Liebert had planned was, however, a serious blow to the stolid German, and his wife saw the need of soothing words.

"Maybe Mr. Carson makes a mistake," she suggested.

The farmer shook his head. "William Smith figered it up mit a lead-pencil and paper, and said the bill was right."

Still Mrs. Liebert, although mystified and distressed, clung to the hope that her husband's original estimate was correct.

"Shust wait till Franz comes home from school," she said, as she put away the bill and the paper on which their neighbor had worked out a result. "Maybe our Franz con figger better as William Smith. He's real good in multiplication tables now."

"Ach, so!" A gleam of relief crossed the father's face. Vexation displaced it a moment later, however, when his daughter Louise looked up from her knitting and said, timidly:

"Won't you let me try the sum, father? I can cipher as well as Franz."

"Hush, Weezy!" her father said, impatiently. "'Tain't for you to be speakin' out so bold—and figerin' is for men!"

"Anyway, I could learn to do it if you'd let me go to school like all the other girls do," the little girl persisted. She was not a wilful or a forward child, but this matter of schooling lay very near her heart. She had practically taught herself to read and write, and she had learned a good deal by listening to Franz when he studied his lesson aloud; but she longed for more knowledge. Unhappily for her, John Liebert was not a progressive man—and this was fifty years ago.

"Hush, Weezy!" he said again, and with a touch of anger in his tone. "My mother didn't have no book-learnin'; your mother ain't got no book-learin'; what for should you have book-learin'? You sha'n't go to school. It couldn't make nottings out of you but a girl? What for should a girl be foolin' mit books? But Franz," he added, a moment later, "he shall after supper figger."

Accordingly, that evening Franz was set at work on the problem of the fence. His mother stood ready to snuff the candle. His father paced the floor restlessly. "Figger mit great carefulness, Franz," Mr. Liebert would say every now and then, stopping to look over the boy's shoulder.

After a while it became evident from Franz's mutterings that he had found something the matter with the work he was examining. Mr. Liebert's breath came faster.

"Well, Franz, you found the mistake?" he asked, eagerly.

"Wait a little yet," answered Franz, deliberating.

The family interest, stimulated by growing hope, was becoming momentarily more intense.

"I knew our Franz could figger better as William Smith," declared Mrs. Liebert, proudly, while Weezy smiled from her corner by the chimney.

"No—yes," said Franz, after a few more moments of suspense. "Nine—six—three. No—yes; here it is! I've found it now!" Franz's tone was full of triumph.

"And I am right! Of course I am right!" shouted his father. "I knowed all the time I was—"

"No, you ain't right, father," corrected Franz. "Neither one of you is right. It's one hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents. William Smith forgot to add the inches."

An ashen paleness overspread Liebert's face. He sat down and buried his face in his hands. In the days that followed, too, he took his trouble very seriously, brooding over it in the house, and spending hours out of doors pacing along his new fence, and trying to discover how he could have made such a mistake. He lost his appetite, and grew thin and haggard and absent-minded.

"Poor, thick-headed Liebert!" the neighbors said. "He will surely go crazy about that fence."

Finally came the gray, cold November morning when the bill was to be paid. Liebert carried all the money there was in the house when he drove away to Shalerville to meet the carpenter. Mrs. Liebert watched him out of sight. Then, too unhappy to attend to her household duties, she stood looking out at the frozen fields and the clouds scudding over the leafless trees. Little of them she saw, for her eyes were full of tears.

Weezy was in the room, scratching away at a slate. She had done a great deal of that of late. Just now it fretted Mrs. Liebert to see her do it—amusing herself when the family was in trouble!

She turned to reprove the child. But all at once Weezy dashed down her slate and pencil and jumped up excitedly.

"O mother, I've found it!" she cried. "I've found the mistake! Father was right about the fence!

"See, mother!" Her cheeks glowed red and her eyes shone like stars. "William Smith didn't reduce the feet to yards—that's how he made the bill so large. It ought to be sixty dollars and eighty-three cents, just one-third of what our Franz reckoned!"

Mrs. Liebert knew nothing about lineal feet or running yards, but she knew by some intuition that Weezy was right.

She knew, too, that it was important that her husband should be warned before he paid the money. Carson was a hard man, not the kind to return a dollar after he had laid hands on it. But how to get word to her husband? Franz was at school, more than a mile away; she could not ride horseback, and she was afraid to let her daughter try.

Weezy knew what was passing in her mother's mind.

"I can ride Black Prince, mother," the little girl said. "I know the way to Mr. Carson's brother's store, where father is to go."

"Oh, I don't dare—" the mother began. But neither did she dare to say no. Weezy snatched a scarf and wound it about her head. In another moment she was in the barn, putting the bridle on the great black horse.

Mrs. Liebert followed her and stood at the barn door trembling. Now she would have helped; but Black Prince reared and plunged at her when she attempted to go into his stall. With Weezy the horse was more docile, for the little girl had frequently fed him. When the bridle was adjusted, Weezy led the horse out to a stump and sprang on his back, boy fashion.

"Good-by, mother!" was all she had time to say as Black Prince broke into a gallop. Shalerville was eight miles away, but the horse hardly slackened his furious speed until the little girl, with some difficulty, checked him in front of Joseph Carson's store.

Evidently she was not a moment too soon. There was money on the counter. The Carson brothers were sorting the coins in little piles, preparatory to reckoning the total. Mr. Liebert looked on gloomily.

Weezy went straight forward.

"Father," she began, "I've come to tell you that you were right about the fence. I found it out only a little while ago."

The Carson brothers stared in amazement, but Mr. Liebert at first seemed stupefied. At best he was slow of thought, and the ordeal he had lately passed through had not tended to brighten his faculties.

"What's that? What's that, Weezy?" he said. "What you talkin' about?"

But he listened eagerly and with reviving intelligence as his daughter explained her "figgerin," to the Carsons. Whether themselves mistaken or dishonest,—and they might have been either,—they could not dispute her clear statement. "That's so, that's so," they said.

Liebert was like one awaking out of a dream in a strange place, as he gathered up the money that was handed back to him. His thin cheeks were almost as red as Weezy's, now. The blood seemed to tingle in his brain.

If Franz had done him the good service it would have seemed natural, and he could have comprehended it. But Weezy—his little girl—that she should be so smart—was wonderful!

He took Weezy by the hand, and they walked out of the store. The sight of Black Prince at one of the hitching-posts startled him afresh. He looked from the horse to his daughter.

"And you rode Black Prince—mit-out any saddle!" he gasped.

He tied the fiery horse to the back of the wagon, and lifted Weezy to the seat. He was silent for a long time after that. Of what was he thinking? Weezy wondered. She did not want to talk. She could enjoy her success without the help of words. She was conscious, too, that her father regarded her differently, that she had won a quality of his esteem which he had not accorded her before—and that thought awed her to silence.

But now they were clear of the straggling streets of the town. She turned her head for a last glance. As if that movement had broken a spell that was upon him—"Weezy!" her father said, suddenly, calling her to him.

"Yes, father?" She looked up, submissive.

"Well, Weezy, I guess I say nottings now if you want to go to school mit Franz."—Youth's Companion.

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Found by Raiders In Descent Upon House In Boston

THREE ARRESTS ARE MADE

One Man Who Had Just Taken New Coin From Mould Drops It Into Hand of Officer—Bogus Money an Excellent Imitation of Genuine, Even Having Silvery Ring

Boston, Dec. 20.—Joseph Vitroano, 43, James Anthony, 23, and Mrs. Matilda Anthony, 23, wife of the latter, were surprised by secret service men in the rear of the third floor of the house at 18 Cooper street, North End, last night, in the midst of a thriving business of counterfeiting coins, it is charged.

A glass door leading into one of the rooms was broken by the raiders, and the lock slipped so that an entrance could be made by Secret Serviceman Barker, Deputy Marshals Ruhl and Cameron, assisted by Patrolmen McKenna and Winslow.

When Cameron grabbed Vitroano, the latter had just taken a new quarter from the mould, and in his excitement dropped it into the hand of Cameron.

The officers recovered about $500 worth of counterfeit coins, consisting of dimes and quarters, which are excellent imitations of the genuine coin. They even have the silvery ring, which is due to the fact that the money made by the two men has a lead base with a silver plating. The federal authorities consider the discovery one of the most important in recent years.

A search was made of the premises, and several rolls of coin found in $5 packages, consisting of quarters and dimes, and several different kinds of moulds. The prisoners were taken to to Hanover street station and locked up for the night. Mrs. Anthony was released upon the assurance that she would be present in the United States court today, as she is a material witness.

All the money bears the date 1911. The raiding officers charge that Vitroano was caught in the act of manufacturing the spurious coin.

Before Anthony and his alleged copartner in the art of counterfeiting had a chance to get a loaded .38 calibre revolver, which was near by, they were handcuffed by the raiders.

Mrs. Anthony made an attempt to elude the officers, but she was also corralled and taken in the patrol wagon to the station house.

LOWER BAIL REFUSED

McFawn Is Returned to Jail In Default of $5000 Bonds

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 20.—A request for a reduction of the bail of Robert H. McFawn, who is charged with larceny of $10,000 from the Derby Desk company, was made by his counsel when McFawn's case came up in the police court on a continuance.

The request for a reduction from $5000 to $3000 was refused by Judge Wentworth and McFawn was returned to jail, where he has been since his arrest last week.

In court McFawn waived examination and was held for the grand jury.

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MARCH 2—3—4 (INAUGURATION DAY.)

In Washington. Under direction of conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4th is Inauguration Day. The Inauguration of the President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle. The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis Cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol Building, in front of which takes place the actual Inauguration ceremonies, including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy and Malitia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson, and down Pennsylvania Avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage. In the evening the grand Inauguration Ball is held in the immense Pension Building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of this building is cleared for this event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine Band and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations and of the officers of the Army and Navy form a brilliant spectacle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5.

On Wednesday a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ Church, where Washington worshipped, and the Marshall House where Ellsworth was killed.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 7.

Arrive Fall River at 5.30 A. M., connecting with train for Boston.

BAN ON TOBACCO

Bay State Solon Plans to Stop Its Sale to Women and Girls

Boston, Dec. 20.—A bill to stop women smoking is the contribution of Representative Greenwood of Everett to the social legislation of the coming session of the general court. He says his measure will prohibit the use of cigarets in cafes, as well as in the privacy of fashionable parties in the Back Bay.

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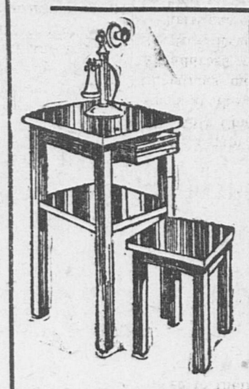
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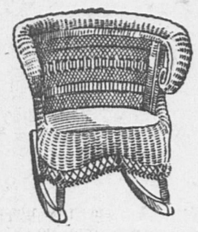
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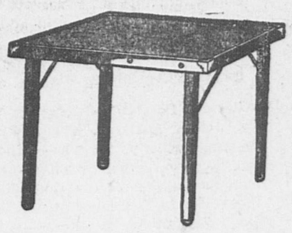
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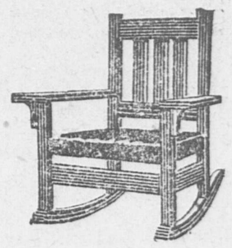
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Totals	433	432	446	1311

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Ames	105	95	89	289
Anderson	78	72	83	233
MacDonald	91	88	73	252
Davey	91	89	77	257
Cappelini	74	80	84	238
Totals	439	424	406	1269

RECORD BROKEN.

The three-string record total of 383 at duckpins, made several years ago by Bill Beatty on the Boylston alleys Boston, was broken Thursday night in an intercity match between the Majestic and Broadway teams at Lawrence. The previous record was put up during the progress of the annual tournament of the National Duck and Candlepin Bowling Congress.

Bertrand's new figures of 389 were made on the Majestic alleys, the scene of the bowling congress tournament last May, and the strings were rolled under the rules of the National Duck and Candlepin Bowling Congress. A notable fact in connection with the old and new records is that both were made on polished alleys.

Bertrand opened with a string of 108. He began to hit his stride on the second with .128 and the crowd became enthusiastic on the third when he began to get within striking distance of Beatty's old record. He connected for strikes and fat spares to tune of 153, which gave him a total of six pins more than the old mark.

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"It took the entire force of the comptroller's office several weeks to prepare the information, and when it reached the senate nobody paid any attention to it except the author of the resolution, and he merely looked at the mass of papers only long enough to see about the man he was after and then tossed the papers aside. It was an immense lot of work for nothing."—Washington Star.

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BARRED FROM PORT FUNDS

Editor Daily Ledger:

I hardly wonder that Mr. Whiting is surprised that the Dock Committee does not ask the Directors of the Port to appropriate money for the building of our proposed public dock. But unfortunately for the city of Quincy, a bill (Chap. 131 acts of 1912) was put through the General court at the instigation of a few interested Quincy people, and I suppose supported by our Dock Commissioner, for the purpose of "widening, deepening and straighting the present channel in Town River from the Baker Yacht Basin to a point near Johnson's lumber wharf." For this purpose the Port Directors "may expend a sum not exceeding $25,000 provided that the directors are satisfied that the city of Quincy will build a municipal dock of proper porportions and capacity and properly located."

Look at the cleverness of this scheme:— First— The city of Quincy is prevented from participating in the $9,000,000 or any other appropriation which the Port Directors may have at their disposal for the purpose of building a dock on our water front.

Second—In order to have Town River dredged under this bill it first becomes necessary for the city to "build" (mind you not lease but "build") a public dock. This "build" promise of course knocks out Mr. Henry M. Faxon's generous proposition to lease to the city the valuable Edward's Wharf property and compels thec ity in order to take tdvantage of $25000, dredging appropriation to go elsewhere and buy land and "build" a dock.

Third—As a corollory to the two previous propositions it gives the Town River Yacht Club a large deep water basin and a ship channel to Weymouth Fore River.

Can you do beat this—Do you wonder that our taxes jump $2.50 at a clip?

Marshall Adams.

Quincy, Dec. 20, 1912.

☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

H. D. Bishop of East Milton is captain of the Y. M. C. A. day school hockey team. Games will be played with high school teams and a contest between Bishop's players and Cunningham gym of Milton high is being arranged.

The officers of the Col. Oliver Peabody camp, No. 74, Sons of Veterans, will be installed at the January meeting.

Mrs. May Alden Ward lectured before the Milton Woman's Club in Vose school hall, on Thursday.

Schools are closed for the Christmas holidays, two weeks being given to the pupils.

The Walter Bishop team took three points from the Richards team in the regular bowling match at Cunningham gym this week. The Clarks beat the Smiths four points. The Clarks are leading the league, having won 28 out of a possible 30 points.

Albert Wood leaves today for Baltimore and Washington. He will be accompanied by John J. Gibbons of the Cocoa Cola Co., by whom both are employed.

Cunningham gym basket ball team with three wins out of four games played to their credit will meet the strong Brockton Y. M. C. A. quintette Saturday night at Milton. The only los was to Needham on the winners floor.

The first social at the gym is booked for Jan. 3, under the direction of Committeemen Stout and Williams.

The business meeting of the Evening Guild of the Episcopal Mission will be on Jan. 8. Officers will be chosen, committees selected and plans presented for the year.

A Holy Communion service will be given at the Episcopal Mission on Christmas morning at eight o'clock. An address will be given by the pastor, Rev. Ernest Marriett.

Christmas eve, a Christmas tree will be held at the church of St. Michael, Milton for the benefit of the parishioners of the East Milton Episcopal Mission and that church.

Orrin Jackson, 35 years of age died Monday and the funeral took place from his late home on Bunton place Wednesday afternoon. Burial was in Milton cemetery.

Dancing school in Ellsworth hall opened Thursday afternoon.

Albert Drew, who is ill at his home on Mechanic street, is doing well.

The East Milton Creamery are preparing to discontinue business after Jan. 1.

The funeral of James Lord, one of the oldest East Milton residents, took place from his late home on Granite avenue Monday. The deceased was in his 74th year and a long time resident of this section. He was a veteran of the Civil war and a member of Huntington Wolcott post G. A. R. Delegations from his post and Paul Revere Post of Quincy attended the services which were simple and in keeping with his life. He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Etta Tracy and two grand children. Mr. Lord was a quiet, inoffensive honest and upright man of generous impulse and sympathy was generally expressed at his demise.

ADAMS LODGE INSTALLATION

Deputy From Boston Will Perform the Service

The installation of the officers of the Abigail Adams lodge, I. C. of F. will take place at Clan McGregor hall on Jan. 7. Deputy Miss Josephine Mahoney of Boston will be assisted by the degree team of the lodge. Preparations are being made to make the affair a banner event. The officers to be installed are:

Past President—Miss Elizabeth N. Boutilier.

President—Mrs. Mary Pritchard.

Vice President—Miss Julia O'Brien.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Katherine Cotter.

Financial Secretary—Mrs. Margaret Stronack.

Treasurer—Mrs. Eliza K. McKenzie.

Right Guard—Mrs. Helen Peterson.

Left Guard—Mrs. Helen Collins.

Inside Sentinel—Mrs. Annie Kain.

Outside Sentinel—Mrs. Annie Sullivan.

Deputy—Miss Josephine Mahoney of Boston.

Trustees—Miss Jennie Steinbrenner, Mrs. Tillie Berman and Mrs. Ella Morrison.

Physician—Dr. John T. Reynolds.

BRIEFS

All the stores are now open evenings until after Christmas and Quincy is the place for Quincy people to buy their Christmas gifts.

J. P. Morgan announces that no one can control money but judging from the figures one can hardly be blamed for being a little skeptical about accepting this off hand statement.

MEETING POSTPONED.

The meeting of the West Quincy Improvement association scheduled for Thursday evening did not take place owing to the fact that the banquet at St. Mary's hall took many of the members of the association. A half dozen members met and after waiting for a time adjourned for two weeks.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC TARIFF BILL.

Chairman Underwood of the Ways and Means committee has announced that hearings on the tariff will commence on Jan. 6th. This means that the present House of Representatives will proceed to prepare a Democratic Tariff bill with the expectation that the new congress whose term begins with the new president will pass the bill. It is fortunate for the country in this connection that the necessity for revenue with which to run the government will prevent the Democrats from lowering the tariff to such an extent as to endanger the protection to our manufacturing industries, which the tariff affords.

REPUBLICAN REUNION.

Senator Cummins of Iowa has taken the initiative towards calling a conference of the leaders of the Taft wing and the Roosevelt wing of the Republican party. This move has not met with a very hardy response for the reason that it is considered premature. As soon as the Democrats come into power and begin their partisan legislation, the two wings of the Republican party will soon become reunited in a very little while. When they begin to feel the attack on the citadel of protection they will cease fighting among themselves and turn their guns in solid phalanx on the common enemy, the Democratic party.

WHAT TO DO WITH BRYAN.

As was to be expected the Democrats are seriously embarrassed from the question of what to do with Bryan. Everyone knows that Mr. Bryan forced the nomination of Woodrow Wilson at the Baltimore Convention.

IN THE CABINET.

This of course placed Mr. Wilson under the greatest obligations to Bryan, and it would seem only proper for him to make the Hon. William Jennings Bryan, the famous 16 to 1 orator, his Secretary of State. But Mr. Bryan has made a great many enemies in his party, and Mr. Woodrow Wilson has been bombarded with letters by the thousand urging him not to appoint Bryan to the position of Secretary of State or any other cabinet position. The latest reports were that Mr. Wilson was having a cold sweat over this dilema.

THE RECALL.

Senator Bristow of Kansas has introduced a bill providing for the initiative and referendum and recall of judges. These questions were very seriously discussed during the campaign last fall, and it has developed that the people are convinced that there ought to be some speedy and drastic way of disposing of a judge when he shows too strong a favoritism towards the big interests. The opponents of this measure are trying to show that judges would not have the courage to render honest decisions if they were subjected to the recall, but the fact remains that no one has ever known of any community rising up in arms to remove or recall an honest and faithful judge from his bench but on the other hand the necessity for the speedy recall of corrupt judges is becoming more and more apparent. The people are at last beginning to realize that we are really governed by the "judges" of the land more than by legislative bodies.

JUDICIAL USURPATION.

When congress passes a law which Rockfeller or J. Pierpont Morgan do not like, all they have to do is to resist that law and take it into the courts where the judges they "personally own" will declare it unconstitutional, so in reality the federal judges have the right to veto the laws of Congress by taking any kind of a flimsy pretext for holding them unconstitutional. It is the alliance between the great wealth of this country and the many corrupt judges constitutisg our federal judiciary that has enabled the "malefactors of great wealth" to prey upon the public at their will. The agitation of these questions has had a tremendous effect on the supreme Court of the United States which has recently promulgated a new set of rules of practice which cuts out a volume of red tape from the federal practice and greatly hastens the final results of the law suit. —Adams.

K. OF C. WHIST.

This weeks' winners of the Ave Maria Councils whist trophies were Edward Martell, John J. Mahoney, John J. Baron.

The committee making arrangements for the annual society ball consist of Edward Monahan, chairman; Michael Crowley, Edward Martell, Charles Buckley, Charles J. McGilvray. The date has not been decided upon as yet.

MARRIAGES

BIANCHI—GINDALI— In Quincy, Dec. 19, by City Clerk Emery L. Crane, Mr. Richard Bianchi to Miss Amemlia Lena Gindali, both of Quincy.

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Children Will Be in Forefront of Yuletide Period

Sunday will be observed as Christmas Sunday by most of the churches throughout the city and as usual music will be a feature. Programs of the music and services of the day will be as follows:

FIRST CHURCH.

The program of Christmas music for the Sunday morning service at First church, will be unusually attractive and interesting for all lovers of good music. The church quartet will have the assistance of Mrs. Cora Whitney Davis, violinists and Miss Florence B. Alexander, harpist. Mrs. Davis is one of the best known musicians of Worcester and Miss Alexander is a member of the Boston Opera House orchestra. The choir of the church is well worth hearing and must be heard in order to be fully enjoyed or appreciated. The music will be as follows:

Service prelude—"Andante Religioso" (violin, harp and organ) Gillet
Antiphonal responses
Anthem—"Peace on earth" Beach
violin abligato
Violin solo—"Andante" Reinecke
Anthem—"There were shepherds" Camp
Organ postlude—"Festival March" Dunham

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL.

Music at the Bethany church, Christmas Sunday will be as follows:

Prelude—March of the Magic Kargaroff
Anthem—"Hark, what mean those Holy Voices" Bruce Steane
Response—By Childrens Choir in the Balcony.
Offertory—Quartet. "There were Shepherds" Spence
Anthem—"O Quiet night, O Holy Night" Neidlingne
Postlude—"Christmas Joy" Ashford

At the evening service the anthems will be repeated with the following additions:

Offertory solo—Salvator
Response—"Christmas Carol" by Sturgis Hunt

The combined morning and evening choirs will sing at both services.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN.

The musical program at the morning service at the United Presbyterian church on Sunday will be as follows:

Carol—"Adeste Fideles."
Anthem—"Glory to God in the Highest." Danks
Carol—"The firt Nowell"

For the evening service the following program will be given:

Carol—"Silent Night."
Anthem—"Nazereth" Gounod
Carol—"Bethlehem" Barnby

Mrs. Duncan MacKellar, organist.

(Continued on Page Six.)

GAME POSTPONED.

The basket ball game in the Sunday School league between the Wollaston Congregational and Christ church teams has been postponed to a latter date owing to the sickness of three of the Wollaston boys. The United Presbyterian and Union Chapel teams meet today as scheduled.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Crain of Bigelow street have gone to New York for the holidays, and will then go to Bermuda.

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HICKEY JURY STILL IN DOUBT

Up to Two O'clock Unable to Agree as to Sanity

OF CHILD MURDERER

(Special to the Ledger.)

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 21. The case of J. Frank Hickey, formerly of Quincy for the murder of Joseph Josephs, seven years old at Lackawana, went to the jury at 1.30 o'clock, Friday afternoon. After deliberating nine hours the jury was unable to come to a decision and were locked up for the night.

From questions asked by the jurors at the time of their retirement, it appeared as if they were equally divided as to the sanity of the man In this case as in others alienist failed to agree. Alienists for the defense claimed that while he was sane, at the time of the crime he did not realize he was doing any wrong. For the defense two alienists took an opposite view, and a fifth called by the court claimed the man was sane at the time the crime was committed.

The jury came in this morning and informed the court that they were unable to come to an agreement, and the judge sent them back for further deliberation.

Latest—3 o'clock—The jury still out, now over 24 hours and seemingly as far from reaching a verdict as ever.

CHRISTMAS PARTY.

The Christmas party for the younger set, at Alpha hall, Monday evening, in aid of the Quincy Day Nursery promises to be a most delightful affair for those who participate.

The following young men have been selected as the ushers for the party: Maurice Blackmur, John Pfaffmann, Kenneth Edwards, William Edwards, Kenneth Doble, Winslow Sears, Starr White, Bruce Saville, Albert Parker, Gordon Jameson, Henry Safford, Carlton Smith, Eric Patch, Ryder Gay and Donald Crane.

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LAST REGULAR OF THE COUNCIL

Finance Commission Expected to Clean Up its Docket

CHARTER REVISION AGAIN

The adjourned meeting of the City Council Monday evening will probably be the last meeting of the City Council of 1912. There is a large amount of business that is now before the Finance Committee which will probably be reported upon and cleaned up. In addition to this there are several other matters that are likely to come up. First among these will probably be the report of the special council and citizens committee on the public dock question. In addition to this the chances are that as a result of tonight's meeting of those interested in the revision of the City Charter that some Councilman will offer an order requesting the Mayor to petition the legislature to amend the City Charter.

Just how this committee will report, or rather what they will recommend, of course cannot be told until after tonight's meeting. It is thought however that they will act along the lines of the special committee last year. This committee recommended a two year term for the Mayor, a City Council of nine members, of which there should be one from each ward elected each year, and three at large. Those at large to be elected for one, two and three years and thereafter one each year for three years. That the members of the City Council receive a salary of $250 a year and that the Mayor should be a member of the School Committee ex-officio and also chairman of the City Council ex-officio.

These are the recommendations of last year's committee which were reported at the last meeting of the Council of 1911 and promptly turned down.

There is still another amendment which has long been the hobby of ex-Mayor Shea and that is to remove party designations from municipal officers, on the ballot.

In addition to these matters there are several important questions pending before the Council which are now on the table. Whether they will be taken from the table and acted upon or whether they will be allowed to die with the Council is an open question.

DOUBLE TRACK ON SEA STREET WANTED BY HOUCHS NECK PEOPLE

Widening of the Street and Putting Tracks in Middle One Scheme Suggested

Committee Given Roving Commission to See Any One

The majority of the tax payers and winter residents of Houghs Neck appeared at the public hearing of the Houghs Neck Associates Friday evening, and all united in talking on the subject of double tracking Sea street from Valley street to the Willows. The material furnished the Railroad Commissioners at a recent hearing was also given public and the meeting was called to hurry them in making a ruling which through some reason has been delayed.

The solution reached was the appointing of a committee consisting of Senator-elect John J. McDevitt, Representative William J. Leslie, Representative-elect Michael T. Sullivan and Mayor Eugene R. Stone, to confer with whom they saw fit in order to force things to a conclusion so that the residents will know what attitude will be taken by the road and whether or not the Railroad Commissioners will, after listening to additional and reviewing testimony already given, insist on remedying the admitted inadequate car service.

During the evening it was said that the officials of the road admit that service is not of the best, but that it was the best that could be offered with the present trackage. This according to Henry M. French, was one of many facts brought out at the hearing before the Railroad Commissioners. Mr. French was delegated to act in conjunction with the committee and furnish the detailed information.

Representative-elect Michael T. Sullivan was present. Senator-elect McDevitt telephoned Friday morning that he could not attend owing to a previous engagement at Woonsocket, R. I. and Representative William J. Leslie sent word that he would offer all possible assistance and Mr. McDevitt however pledged all the assistance he could give to the interests of Houghs Neck.

Mr. Sullivan delivered a short address in which he covered the situation with which he is acquainted, and after thanking the residents for supporting him in his recent fight said that he would support them in their fight. He was roundly applauded.

John T. Cavanaugh said that the proper arrangement for better car service was a double track in the centre of Sea street. He recalled he said the time the street was built and that where the short stretch of two tracks are now located is Sea street. He showed how a portion of the street was used only by the railroad and advocated the residents going to the council next year with an order for rebuilding Sea street and granting the railway company a location for a double track in its centre.

James E. Wall mentioned the establishment of an automobile line, but the proposition did not seem to meet with much favor.

It was the sense of the meeting that the committee get together immediately. Adjourned at 10 o'clock.

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Past Chief Companion—Mrs. Hilma O'Brien.
Chief Companion—Mrs. Emma Johnson.
Vice Chief Companion—Mrs. Hannah Anderson.
Financial Secretary—Miss Olga Lundquist.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Ida Ericson.
Left Guard—Mrs. Charles Ericson.
Right Guard—Miss Anna Lund.
Inside Guard—Mrs. Hilda Pearson.
Outside Guard—Mrs. Maria Ericson.
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Physician—Dr. John H. Ash.

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MARCH 2—3—4 (INAUGURATION DAY.)

In Washington. Under direction of conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4th is Inauguration Day. The Inauguration of the President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle. The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis Cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol Building, in front of which takes place the actual Inauguration ceremonies, including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy and Malitia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson, and down Pennsylvania Avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage. In the evening the grand Inauguration Ball is held in the immense Pension Building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of this building is cleared for this event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine Band and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations and of the officers of the Army and Navy form a brilliant spectacle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5.

On Wednesday a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ Church, where Washington worshipped, and the Marshall House where Ellsworth was killed.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6.

Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9.00 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included and New York is reached at 2.00 P. M. Leave New York at 5.00 P. M., on Fall River Line steamer. Staterooms assigned and evening dinner served.

FRIDAY, MARCH 7.

Arrive Fall River at 5.30 A. M., connecting with train for Boston.

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NEW CANDIDATE READY TO HUSTLE

Richard H. Joyce Enters the Washington Contest

OTHERS ARE MAKING GAINS

West Quincy has a new candidate today, and evidently he means business, for he writes as follows

Contest Editor:

As a lot of friends have been after me the last few weeks to enter your contest, I have consented to do so. The more I think of that trip to Washington the more I think I would like to go. So I enclose 25 votes for a starter until I see how my friends will help me out. If they will get all the stray votes in for me, I will get around and get quite a few friends to take the Ledger for a year.

I am thing of running a party of some kind in one of the small halls in West Quincy and charging votes for admittance.

Richard H. Joyce,
13 California Ave.
West Quincy.

Fred Williams made another good gain today. Mrs. Marnock says she does not propose that Miss Morrissett shall overtake her and has increased the gap today with a gain of 230. Mr. Bowditch has passed Mr. Cole.

Edmond Roach has moved up seven more numbers and is now No. 16 in the contest. Gains were also made by Jesse I. Spear, Richard J. Gray, Ward C. Walker, William Allen, Morton Beattie, Helen King and William J. Decoste.

Robert Brown is another new candidate.

CHRISTMAS AT WASHINGTON.

Mrs. Abigail Adams, when her husband was President, preferred Quincy to Washington. The Washington Post in a write-up on the observance of Christmases at Washington says:

"The White House was practically completed at the beginning of the administration of President John Adams, who arrived in Washington with his family to take up the responsibilities of his office Nov. 1, 1800. Therefore, Mrs. Adams was the first mistress of the White House. President Adams had taken the oath of office in Independence hall, Philadelphia, on March 4, 1797.

"That Mrs. Adams' first Christmas was not a pleasant one is shown by letters by her to a freind, in which she said the house was in anything but a completed condition, with none of the conveniences that should have been installed. She told her friends that the house had no bells to summon servants, and that wood for fuel was scarce, with a forest of trees as far as the eye could reach.

"In an effort to dry out the walls, Mrs. Adams said she had used 20 cords of wood, that she had no looking glasses, and no lamps to light the big rooms.

"A Christmas reception to the members of Congress by President Adams was a frost, according to Mrs. Adams letters. She said the members of the House and Senate came only to spend an unpleasant evening, shivering in the intense cold. There were four boys in the family, who in all probability, boy like, enjoyed the Christmas in their own way out in the open. Four months later, Mrs. Adams became disgusted with "the great white house in the wilderness" and returned to the family estate in Quincy, Mass."

But in Washington today is not what it was in 1800, and the White House is not in the wilderness. The winner of the Daily Ledger contest will find it a marvelous city.

Candidates in forwarding votes are requested to mark on the package the number of votes, so that the Contest Editor may verify his count.

A prize certificate good for 300 votes will be awarded as a Christmas present at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 23, to the candidate who makes the "biggest gain" during the week of Dec. 16-23. Remember, for the "biggest gain." It is subscription certificates good for 1000 votes each that the candidates should strive to obtain. They count big.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	17,690
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	11080
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	2895
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2790
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	1915
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	1550
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1065
Galen Bowditch, messenger	540
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	495
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Sam Shellman, Granite street	290
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kevin court	175
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Richard Larkin, High school	120
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	120
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	125
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	95
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	90
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	85
Williaim Erickson, F. of A.	85
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	85
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
Morton Beattie, Goldon Rod	80
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
William Kelley, conductor	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
William Allen, Eagles	65
B. L. Smith, Fore River	65
Michael P. Barry, Fire dept.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
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Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	50
John Evans, Progressive	50
Walter Mead, High school	50
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	45
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	45
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	45
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Clara Stoddard, S. of V. Aux.	40
J. McCullough, shipyard	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	40
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Richard H. Joyce, West Quincy	25
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	20
P. J. Ferguson, A. O. H.	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	15
Robert Brown, "Wet wash"	10
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	5
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5

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PUBLIC DOCKS IN SOME PLACES

Letters Bearing on Service and Efficiency

With regard to the maintenance of public docks in other places, the following letters were received by a prominent citizen, in answer to inquiries made by him:

Dear Sir:—

Pursuant to your request for information concerning city dock and wharf construction, I beg to submit herewith certain data:

The City of Providence has acquired about 8-9 acres of waterfront property, giving it a frontage on the channel of the Providence river, which is practically the harbor, of 3,000 feet. Work is progressing rapidly on a sea wall or wharf, of solid granite, which will be 3,000 feet long, lacking four feet, when completed. For this and for the purchase of land the City Council has appropriated $750,000.

The State of Rhode Island, through its State Harbor Improvement Commission, of which Mayor Fletcher is a member, is now building a 600-foot pier of creosoted pine piling and cement, at an approximate cost, with the land acquired therefor and for further harbor development, of half a million dollars.

Let me tender my apologies for delaying this communication beyond the time set in your note of inquiry, and I hope that it is not too late to be available for your purposes.

Very respectfully yours,
H. M. Barry,
Secretary to the Mayor.

Providence, R. I., Dec. 19, 1912.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your request of December 14th: The City of New Bedford possesses, by purchase, four wharf properties and other land which is available for dock purposes, when developed. The expense to the City of these properties was $$82,000. The valuation placed on the same by the Department of Wharves, in the last schedule, prepared Jan. 1912, was $108,975.

On one of these wharves, located in the east center of the city, we have erected an immigration building, at a cost of about $30,000, to facilitate the incoming of immigrants; many of whom come to this city from the Western Islands and the Cape de Verde Islands. The renting of these wharves, for various purposes, practically pays the expense entailed and is gradually taking up the original expenditure. Personally, I consider these wharves a great asset to the city, inasmuch as they furnish convenience to the citizens—both of the city and the Commonwealth, and offer free access to all to the waters of the harbor.

I include a clipping from the schedule of City Property showing the relative values of the several pieces of wharf property.

Very truly yours,
Chas. S. Ashley, Mayor.

New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 17, 1912.

In addition to the foregoing, I would say that the City possesses about two miles of water front on Clark's Point, a peninsula which projects into Buzzards Bay at the south end of the city, and which is capable, if desired, of dock developments. In fact, the city has erected, for the purposes of landing pipe and materials for its new Intercepting Sewer, a wharf on this property of a capacity of about 14,000 square feet. This wharf is 331 feet in its extreme length and is of varied widths, running from 54 to 32 feet.

Department of Wharves:

Land foot of Howland street	2,600
Rotch Wharf	32,425
Taber Wharf	55,100
Land foot of Centre street	500
Wharf foot of Centre street	18,350
	108,975

Dear sir:

It gives me great pleasure to answer your communication of the 14th inst. Several years ago the City of Taunton purchased land on Taunton river for the purpose of building the Municipal lighting station. Afterwards additional land was purchased making a river frontage of 675 feet on the north bank and 75 or rather 60 feet on the south bank of the river. This was purely a business proposition and in my opinion was money well invested.

Yours truly,
Nathaniel J. W. Fish, Mayor.

Taunton, Mass., Dec. 18, 1912.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of Dec. 14, would say that we have a municipal dock here which was originally purchased by the city for the purpose of providing a sewer outlet, and was afterward built out to tidewater making a dock about 1000 feet in length and 100 feet wide. A portion of this is leased for storage and the amount received from this and contingent charges for dockage are the only receipts.

Yours respectfully,
Thomas F. Higgins, Mayor.

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 17, 1912.

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Death of Maine's Oldest Woman

Bangor, Me., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Mary Nadeau, aged 104, the oldest resident of Maine, died at the Hampden town almshouse. She was born in St. Francis, Me. She was three times married and outlived all of her family and relatives.

When Is a Silk Hat?

Washington, Dec. 21.—A silk hat is not a silk hat if it has a woollen band around it or an underbrim of wool, and is dutiable as a mainfacture of wool, according to a decision of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Bailey.

READ LEDGER ADVS.

SIX ARRESTS ARE MADE

Postoffice Inspectors Raid Offices of Sterling Debenture Company

New York, Dec. 21.—On a federal indictment charging fraudulent use of the mails in promoting stock for a mill where linen was supposed to be made in a day, six men were arrested in a raid conducted by postoffice inspectors at the offices of the Sterling Debenture company here.

The authorities estimated that the yearly income of the promoters in this and other ventures had been more than $1,000,000, and that nearly $10,000,000 of the public's money had been turned over to them since they began doing business.

Investors in many parts of the country are named in the indictment as complaining witnesses.

The men arrested are Frank Shumaker, Harry H. Platt, Samuel E. Findlay, Edwin A. Barron, Wilbur M. Stone and Sidney Rosenbaum. They were held in bail aggregating $32,000. Three other men are named in the indictment. One of them, according to news received last night, has been arrested in Chicago. The others are believed to be in Brook-

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COLISEUM RECORDS GO BY BOARD IN EXHIBITION AND COMPETITION

Latter Establishes City Record of 359, But Not in Competition with Another

Poelher's Mark of 350 Made in the Fore River League

Paul Poehler, rolling with the Government Draftsmen in the Fore River League matches at the Coliseum Friday evening set a new league mark of 350 for total pin fall. His strings were 129, 131, 90. His individual single record of 157, rolled recently also stands as the alley record, but his high string of 131 Friday night was two less than the present league record which George Bliss holds. Other high strings were rolled and in general the increase of averages is unusual in such a short time .

The Government Draftsmen took four points from the Hull Draftsmen and the Machinists Floor beat the Foundry, 3 to 1. The Patternmakers beat the Machinists Gallery, 3 to 1.

In the Foresters league Court Roger Wolcott beat Granite Lodge, 4 to 0, with Malnati securing 112 as high single and 285 as best total.

ROGER WOLCOTT F. of A. No. 188

	1	2	3	Totals
Malnati	84	89	112	285
Hodge	81	87	76	244
Herbert	60	79	88	227
Bradbury	92	100	79	271
Hastings	94	93	84	271
Totals	411	448	439	1298

Granite Lodge 7058 I. O. O. F. U. M.

Albonetti	85	72	76	233
Lorandeau	65	85	97	247
Kavanagh	92	83	79	254
N. Lorandeau	75	77	79	231
Herbert	92	81	78	251
Totals	409	398	409	1216

MACHINISTS FLOOR.

Akroid	85	85	84	254
Ford	86	108	102	296
Casey	78	79	102	259
Williams	76	103	83	262
Bergfors	77	82	79	238
Totals	402	457	450	1309

FOUNDRY.

Charnock	72	83	86	241
Kearney	81	97	79	257
Joyce	76	71	92	239
Lewis	89	119	92	300
Simmons	91	76	80	247
Totals	409	446	429	1284

PATTERMAKERS

A. McDonald	76	84	91	251
Williamson	73	115	85	273
J. McDonald	73	81	94	248
Stewart	84	66	94	244
Sprenkel	95	76	95	266
Totals	401	422	459	1282

MACHINISTS GALLERY

Carlson	86	82	90	258
Stewart	67	69	91	227
Duff	73	79	64	216
Stevens	94	70	90	254
Tirrell	90	102	101	293
Totals	410	402	436	1248

GOV. DRAFTSMEN.

Kelley	81	93	92	266
Melendy	78	64	64	206
Summers	104	78	91	273
O'Neill	88	88	98	274
Poehler	129	131	90	350
Totals	480	454	435	1369

HULL DRAFTSMEN

Cantwell	78	64	64	206
Butler	63	79	63	205
Ryan	74	99	78	251
Fromm	81	100	88	269
Olsen	117	87	77	281
Totals	413	429	370	1212

FORE RIVER LEAGUE STANDING.

Teams	Won	Lost	Pstge
Shipfitters	35	5	.875
Yard	35	13	.728
Pipefitters	30	14	.660
Mach. Gallery	23	21	.506
Hull Draftsmen	18	22	.450
Electricians	15	25	.375
Gov. Draftsmen	18	30	.374
Machinists Floor	15	29	.330
Patternmakers	11	25	.308
Foundry	8	32	.200

HIGHEST AVERAGES.

Kiley of Yard	107
Poehler of Gov. Draftsmen	106
Smith of Yard	94
Bliss of Pipefitters	94
Smith of Shipfitters	92
Burke of Shipfitters	91

High single string, Bliss of Pipefitters, 133; highest three string total, Poehler of Government Draftsmen, 350. Highest team total held by the Shipfitters. 1428.

The best individual score was made by George Grant on Thursday afternoon, who with 120, 114 and 125 singles, reached 359 for best total match or otherwise rolled on the Coliseum alleys to date. The score sheet reads as follows:

	1	2	3
	9	11	16
	16-25	9-20	x-26
	18-43	12-32	9-35
	18-51	7-39	9-44
	9-70	17-56	18-62
	9-79	15-71	9-71
	16-95	12-83	9-80
	x-105	13-96	19-99
	x-115	8-106	17-116
Totals	5-120	8-114	9-125
Grand total			359

MIXED TOURNEY PLANNED FOR K.C.

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WILL TRY THEIR SKILL

The long expected tournament between the Weymouth, South Braintree, Ave Maria and Quincy councils was arranged for Friday night when representatives from the various councils met at the rooms of the Quincy Council and drew up a schedule. The contest will be for highest honors in bid whist, checkers, pool and cribbage. The opening date is Jan. 7 when East Weymouth and South Braintree meet at the formers rooms and Ave Maria and Quincy Council at the latters rooms. The schedule is as follows:

Jan. 7, East Weymouth vs. South Braintree at East Weymouth.
Ave Maria vs. Quincy at Quincy.
Jan. 14. South Braintree vs. Ave Maria at South Braintree.
East Weymouth vs. Quincy at Quincy.
Jan. 21, Quincy vs. South Braintree at South Braintree.
Ave Maria vs. East Weymouth at East Weymouth.
Jan. 28, East Weymouth vs. South Braintree at South Braintree.
Ave Maria vs. Quincy at West Quincy.
Feb. 4, South Braintree vs. Ave Maria at West Quincy.
Quincy vs. East Weymouth at East Weymouth.
Feb. 17, East Weymouth vs. Ave Maria at West Quincy.
South Braintree vs. Quincy at Quincy.

MRS. GRANVILLE IN CHATHAM

Learned of Husband's Death From Lexington Police Chief

Some days ago the Ledger published a letter that had been received by the City Clerk from the Chief of Police of Lexington making inquiries for a Mrs. L. W. Granvile who was supposed to reside in Quincy. The letter also conveyed the information that Mr. Granville had died at the home of the Chief of Police.

At that time no trace of the woman could be found although it was learned that she formerly resided in Quincy and that there was an account in one of the banks to her credit.

This morning the Ledger received a letter from Mrs. Granvile, dated from Chatham as follows.

Chatham, Mass., Dec. 20, 1912.

Quincy Daily Ledger,

Dear Sir: What do they want of me, for I have heard of Mr. Granville's death from Chief of Lexington. Let me know.

Yours truly,
Mrs. L. W. Granville,
Chatham, Mass.

SEA STREET IMPROVEMENT

Friends Seeking to Have Present Order Adopted

IN BAD CONDITION

Friends of the order pending before the City Council for the widening and rebuilding of a portion of Sea street are putting in considerable quiet work in the hopes that they may be able to muster 16 votes and pass the measure which calls for the widening of that part of the street between the Willows and what is known as Calamity corner.

That the street is in a deplorable condition is evident to any person who has ever attempted to drive over it, especially in the early spring. Not only is it full of holes but there are numerous bunches on the street that make it extremely dangerous to a person either in a carriage or automobile.

Two years ago the City Council stood ready to pass an order for $10,000 for the rebuilding of this street and the only thing that killed it was the residents of Houghs Neck who were divided upon what they wanted. Some wanted the street widened and there were still others who objected fearing that it meant the removal of the street car tracks from their present location between the willows and the engine house to a location on Sea street. As the residents could not seem to agree the Council killed the proposition.

This year however the Houghs Neck Associates are said to be unanimous in favor of the pending proposition. The objection in the City Council seems to come from the lateness of the season, and the belief that as the money could not be expended until April next year it was not right that the order should be passed until early next year.

Those who favor the proposition claim that in the first place, the first, bond will not come due until Jan. 1, 1914. That much of the sub-grading can be done during the winter months so that when spring opens that the job can readily be completed before the summer travel starts in.

BOY SCOUTS GOOD ARTISTS

Please a Large Audience With Their Cleverness

A very creditable entertainment was given by Troop Three of the Boy Scouts in the parish rooms of St. Chrysostoms church, Wollaston.

The program opened with "Under the double eagle march" an instrumental duet by Michael and Celia Arenberg. "The all America eleven" was a series of tableaux in which each boy told of his station in verse. This piece concluded with a set of football manoeuvres. The cast was:

Football Boy—Raynor Reynolds.
Baseball Boy—George Cropper.
Tennis Boy—Paul Brown.
Office Boy—Gilbert Fox.
Messenger Boy—Merrill Orswell.
Country Boy—Alvah Reynolds.
Chinese Boy—Sumner Vibert.
Jewish Boy—Ralph Lyons.
Irish Boy—Ira Gilliatt.
Indian Boy—Howard Bowen.
Negro Boy—Albert Robinson.

A violin solo by Celia Arenberg accompanied by her mother Mrs. Frederick Arenberg. Several neat tricks in legerdemain were performed by Forrest Burgess, vocal selections by Leon Cook. Among them were "Midshipman Mike" and "Sail, baby, sail."

A short one act play "The alarm" was presented. The scene showed the shop of one Edward Ramsden. His son's burglary of the shop is descovered and the son is forgiven and shielded.

The parts were taken as follows:

Edward Ramsden, a shopkeeper — Roy Brown
Robert, his son — Reginald Bradshaw
A police sargeant, — Michael Arenberg

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Coliseum	5	3	.625
Norfolk Downs	5	3	.625
Weymouth	5	3	.625

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Rev. Fr. Grady's remarks at the Temperance banquet Thursday night seems to have struck a responsive cord in every part of the city.

Burglars and would be burglars are getting as promiscuous in this locality as they are just beyond the river.

The recent egg campaign demonstrates plainly that there is no occasion for such high prices, and that the public is being nothing more or less than systematically robbed on the present price of food stuffs. A change is not only in order but should be demanded.

If a woman wants to make a spectacle of herself smoking, let her have all the fun she can out of it. No one loses anything but the offender.

Many of the new legislators are promising all sorts of things in the way of freak legislator when they get on Beacon hill. They better wait and see what small figures they will cut in that lordly bunch before they get in over their head on promises.

Morgan's answer of liking a little competition, but combination better might have been purloined from Pinafore.

It is quite evident Morgan had his hand on the monetary lever of the New Haven road.

After summing up certain performance a critic closes with the sentence "it was superlatively good." Which if English is understood means that criticism is mere conglomeration of words in some cases .

Maybe the public would like a little educational course on this propose new charter.

Any one who has ever had occasion to travel through Pleasant street, Boston will agree with mayor Fitzgerald, that opponents of its improvement are obstacles to progress.

Many Republicans are now assuming the role of lecturers of their party and its methods. It is rather painful to realize how many of the critics have benefitted under the system which they are now so quick to condemn.

It is hardly noticable to many people of what benefit "Fakirs Row," is to the City of Boston about Christmas time.

The book swindlers are growing more numerous every day, likewise the victims.

Do your Christmas shopping in Quincy.

Patronize home industry and certainly the display of Christmas goods warrants such a course on the part of the Quincy people.

Dr. Eliot scores the "third degree." Many other people have held to the same belief for a long time.

The Dock committee are wrestling with the problem this afternoon.

Santa will have to go on wheels in South Australia as the best they could do for him was a temperature of 120.

GET DOWN TO BUSINESS.

One senator announces that he will introduce a bill to prohibit women smoking and make it an offense to sell or give a woman cigarettes. Maybe latter he may think to supplement the words, pipes and cigars. Now the people who are tolerant to women smoking are very few. We do not take a stand in favor of such a proposition, but there are many greater evils, which exist and are openly flouted in the face of the public which could be eliminated with good grace and better results would be secured if the abolishment of those nuisances and evils were entered upon before any time is wasted in something which has gained little headway and is liable to gain less, and certainly is not so publicly paraded as many things of far more injury. Another thing, the legislators could devote their time to better advantage the coming year in trying to solve the problem of the high cost of living, and providing measures that will bring about a change in this most violent outbreak against the rights and privileges of the people. There are more laws behind which evil doers duck and escape the present day than there are properly enforced with the proper degree of good to the public at large.

THE THIRD DEGREE

President emeritus Charles W. Eliot of Harvard college, condemns the so-called third degree. Many people agree with the well known educator. It is no new theory or argument. It has been held as an abomination and relic of the dark ages by many intelligent men for years. The "third degree," is not skill but an exercise of burly power, browbeating, threatening and the like which should not be tolerated. For a long time it has been in bad odor. Now that men of President Eliot's stamp take it up and draw it more clearly before the public gaze, there is hope of reform in the near future.

BASE BALL IN CHINA.

Fan tan, opium checkers and other games of the Chinese have to take a back seat. The advanced Chinamen have taken to base ball. They have entered into it with wonderful enthusiasm. No doubt they will soon be claiming it as the National game of their ancestors which became lost in the shuffle attending one of the many uprising. We may look to China for future Kings of the diamond. Some enterprising American will skip across and have a league formed, with pennants, and probably a Joss house to be awarded the most popular player by an impartial jury of base ball writers.

CHARTER REVISION.

There is some agitation at the present time on the above subject. There is an excellent probability that the charter which appeared to meet the conditions when the city was inaugurated is a little antique for present municipal consumption. Undoubtedly as times and conditions change measures which were sufficient unto the day of the early period, may not frame up to the present day, but even at that, there is always the variation the demand for a change even from one day to another.

The charter of Quincy has been in operation comparatively few years. The Constitution of the United States, governing a larger collection of immense unites, three times more, aye, almost four times more units than in the original package, has experienced comparatively few changes in over 100 years. The changes in that document have been brought about by the vote of the people. The same applies to state constitutions and city charters. Naturally the people of Quincy having to pass upon a change in the charter would like to know something about the document to be presented to the legislature. A campaign of education, in the matter of an amendment to the old or an entirely new charter, is very necessary. It is something which every one should become well acquainted.

Municipalities cannot go to the legislature every year for new charter or change of the old. In too many cases, little attention has been given to this important subject.

Malden presents a striking example of either lack of education in this line, or indifference on the part of the citizens which is by far worse. Less than one half of the voters of the city, took the trouble to announce their preference on this subject. The new charter was adopted by a small majority in an expression of thought registered by less than one half the number of registered voters.

Such indifference is really criminal. It leads to just such conditions as prevail in cities where critics harp about the gang and machine rule, and yelp about conspiracies and graft. If such things prevail, no one is to blame but the great mass of voters.

If it is the intent of the citizens to apply for a new charter they should see to it that the citizens in general are well educated on the subject. They should likewise look around and see just what the results have been in cities where changes have been made and see if the change in the form of government has led to improvements, or a more firmly cemented form of gang rule. In many places, this latter unfortunately has been the result where small bodies have been able to intrench themselves by reason of patronage and other things.

When it comes to any change the people want to be certain that they are not being handed out any lemon and every voter should express himself at the polls on this important subject.

ATLANTIC A.O.H. ELECT OFFICERS

And Plan For an Installation Early in January

The annual meeting of Division 17, A. O. H. of Atlantic was held Thursday evening and these officers elected:

President—Michael McNally.
Vice President—Myles Creamer.
Secretary—Bernard McNeice.
Financial Secretary — Jeremiah Lynch.
Treasurer—John J. Cunningham.
Sergt. at Arms—John Brinley.
Chairman Standing Commtitee—Cornelius M. Duggan.

These officers will be installed Jan. 16.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the annual election of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, these officers were chosen:

Past Noble Grand—Mrs. Mary G. Smith.
Noble Grand—Mrs. Sadie Wood.
Vice Grand—Mrs. Emma C. Ela.
Recording Secretary—Miss G. M. Thayer.
Financial Secretary—Miss Abbie Feltis.
Treasurer—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald.
Trustee—Arthur W. Stetson.

CHRISTMAS SOCIAL.

A premier social event of the week was the Senior-Junior at the Woodward Institute on Wednesday evening. The guests assembled in the school hall which was tastefully decorated with Christmas colors. A large number of the gentlemen friends of the students attended.

Mrs. A. L. Barbour, Mrs. Horace Rice and Mrs. John D. Buckingham received and the young ladies presented their friends.

The committee comprised Miss Beryl Turner, president of the Senior class, Miss Helen Bishop, president of the Junior class and the Misses Mildred Bean, Merle Coombs, Lucy Waite Edith Ames, Alice Ash, Alice Beal, Helen Crane, Susie Flahive, Margaret Read. They were assisted by the following teachers of the school, Miss Charlotte Burgess, Miss aMry E. Dinegan, Miss Gertrude Holland, and Miss Grace Burke.

DISTRICT COURT.

Jesse Wyman was arraigned for drunkenness at Milton. Case placed on probation until March 5.

Max C. Brasee was arraigned for exceeding the automobile speed limit at Milton. Case continued until Dec. 28.

George Dowd and Warren E. Bearse were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Weymouth.

The liquors seized from Jack Lee of Holbrook were ordered forfeited.

Gianini Guerino was arraigned on complaint of Inspector Goodhue for unlawfuly using registered beer bottles at Quincy. He was fined $25.

Th contiued case of Abijah Farrar for felonious assault at Randolph was called and again continued under $1,000 bonds until Jan. 8.

SH! DON'T TELL.

Elizabeth Thomson Ordway.

Sh! don't tell, it's Christmas time,
The children mustn't know
About the books, and games and toys
All piled up, high and low,
In mother's closet, 'way up stairs,
Where no one dares to go.

Sh! don't tell, it's Christmas time,
The children mustn't know
That barking dogs and dancing bears,
And trains that really go,
Are locked behind that closet door,
Where no one dares to go.

Sh! don't tell, it's Christmas time,
The children mustn't know
About the lovely dollhouse there
With 'lectric lights aglow,
With port cochere, and small garage,
And autos in a row.

Sh! don't tell, it's Christmas time,
The grown-ups mustn't know
The hundred open secrets that
Please the children so,
In nursery closet hiding,
Where the grown-ups cannot go.

Sh! don't tell, it's Christmas time,
Be sure the children know
About the little baby blest
In the manager long ago,
Whose birthday is the Christmas Day;
Be sure the children know.

BUCKLEY BUSY FOR NEPONSET

Will Ask New Bridge and Immediate Dredging of River

20 PER CENT FOR QUINCY

(Special to the Ledger.)

State House, Dec. 21, 1912. A bill has been filed by Rep.-elect, John H. Buckley of ward 24, Boston which calls for a new bridge across the Neponset River to take the place of the old wooden structure now doing service and against which there is continual complaint, on both sides of the river.

Mr. Buckley's bill is built along the same lines as that of last year. The new bill provides that the city of Qiuncy must pay 20 per cent, the city of Boston 40 per cent, Norfolk county 10 per cent, Plymouth county 5 per cent, Commonwealth of Massachusetts 10 per cent and the Bay State Street Railway (or its successors) 15 per cent, of the cost of construction.

Mr. Buckley also filed a petition asking that the dredging of the Neponset river, to make it more healthful along its banks, be started at once. Provision is already made but no time is designated for the work.

BRIEFS

One seal for a penny—you'll take how many?
Red's for the glow of the Christmas cheer;
White's for the peace of the brand-new year.
Green's for the brow, not for the bier
Who'll drop a penny instead of a tear
To lessen the list in the brand-new year?

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Penniman have returned from a trip to Maine.

Miss Marion Bolster, one of the most popular city hall clerks, is confined to her home by illness.

Four acts and four reels of pictures will be furnished this afternoon and evening at the new Kincaide Theatre.

Miss M. Lizzie Furnald is convalescing from an operation at the Quincy hospital and hopes to return to her home on Washington street, the first of next week.

At the annual meeting of the Massachusetts bar association held at Springfield, Friday, Paul R. Blackmur was elected one of the board of Executive committee.

Miss Edna Smith who is physical culture director at New Milford, Conn., is visiting Miss Maude McFarland of Merrymount road. Miss Smith is a graduate of the Quincy High school and while residing here was a general favorite.

Rev. Elbert W. Whitney of Taunton, well known in Quincy, his wife being a sister of Mrs. Charles H. Porter and Miss Dora A. French, gave an interesting lecture on "Canadian Pacific Wonderland" at the meeting Monday night of the Universalist Men's club of North Weymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Branch left Friday for Florida. Mr. Branch is combining business with pleasure for he will be engaged in laying out a new winter resort on the Halifax peninsula, on the east coast of Florida. During his absence his local surveying business will be carried on as usual, George H. Newcomb being in charge.

The house of Paul G. Baker of 252 Safford street was entered by a burglar between 5 and 6 o'clock Friday evening and $20 in money taken. Mr. and Mrs. Baker had left the house a few minutes to vist a store a short distance away. There return is thought to have frightened the parties away before they had completed their haul for a quantity of silver was found on the table which the burglar evidently intended to take away with him. Entrance to the house was through the pantry window. There is no clew to the party or parties.

☞PRATT'S BREAD—not made by guess-work, but by a scientific formula. Leading grocers sell it.

☞Can you think of a better Christmas present to give your family than a year's subscription to the Quincy Daily Ledger? Just think of it, when you subscribe for the Ledger it means pleasure for you each day of the coming year and only costs $5.00. Start the year right, don't go to bed during 1913 until you have read the newsy little "home daily." tf

NOBILITY OF WOMANHOOD

Portrayed in Beautiful Statue By Mrs. Kitson

Mrs. Theo Ruggles Kitson, the famous sculptor, has just completed at her Quincy studio, a memorial statue of unusual beauty. The studio has been open to the public for the past few days, and a large number of Quincy people have taken advantage of the opportunity to see this gem of art.

The statue, in height 7 feet, is the figure of an angel of heroic size, standing enfolded in her partly open wings. A loose drapery falling back from the face, covering lightly the body, is bound in classic style. The body is the glorified personification of the nobility of womanhood in all its strength, power and chastity. The face is, of course, ideal; it represents no particular type, but into it is wrought a beauty that uplifts and inspires. The contour of the face is slightly oval. The eyes, though looking down, follow and beckon. The whole expression is one of exquisite purity, womanly strength, love tenderness and mercy. So life-like is the figure that the facial expression combined with the pose makes it plead, inspire and promise. It pleads for spirituality; it inspires faith and gives hope and promises peace.

READER OFFICIATED.

The funeral of Frank W. Baillie, who died Wednesday, was held from his late home at 5 Lyndon street, Friday afternoon. John E. Sprague, a reader of the Christian Science Church, officiated. Burial was in the Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

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MISSION WORK A BIG FIELD

Bethany Women's Missionary society held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Marian Miller, president, presiding. Owing to unpleasant weather there was a small attendance. Mrs. Benjamin A. Willmott, who attended the annual conference of the women's board of foreign missions at Andover, gave an interesting report of the work. The outlook in this field is most encouraging. Graduates from our schools and colleges who go as teachers to foreign posts, are giving splendid accounts, their work being appreciated. The influence and inspiration of their lives radiate peace and love and their highest desire is to serve humanity.

Mrs. Marian Miller, who attended the annual meeting of the association of home missions held in Boston, gave a concise report. Home missions consist of The frontier, the city, the imigrant and the country churches in older states.

The Congregational Home Missionary society is endeavoring to meet their responsibilities in these different types of work. Each branch is important, and calls for efficient and consecrated workers.

Refreshments were served at the social which followed.

BAY VIEW LODGE DANCE.

A social dance was given by Bay View L. O. L. at Alpha hall Friday evening and the attendance was good. Dancing was enjoyed from 8 to 12 o'clock with music by Provost's orchestra.

The floor was in charge of John J. McLennan, assisted by Hugh J. McLeod. The aids were M. Stewart, M. McLeod, Alex Ross, Oscar Swanson, Duncan Finlayson, Daniel Nicholson and Alex C. McLeod.

Guests were present from Braintree, Dorchester, Boston, Weymouth, Milton and Braintree.

The Store "Just Around the Corner"

Quincy's Best Store of

Gifts for Men

By far the greater number of gifts for men are bought by women.

No other store in Quincy has made such efforts to help them get the right things or is so busy doing it for them.

Women have learned that the style, correctness and quality of our goods are equal to any in Boston at higher prices. Our variety is great and our service is competent and courteous.

Don't shop in Boston these hurried days — come where you can get personal attention and fresh goods that have not been handled by all classes of people.

SHIRTS

E & W Shirts of fine percale and soft madras, plaited and plain. Also E & W dress shirts **$1.50**

Stag Brand Shirts of fine materials, plain colors, plaited and plain bosoms **$1.00**

HOSIERY

Interwoven Socks make a very desirable gift. Sheer, soft texture, they'll wear longer than any other hose. Made without darning.
Lisle **25c** Silk **50c**

AUTO GLOVES

Long Gauntlet Auto Gloves, fleece lined at **$1.00** and **$1.75**

Auto Mitts — one-fingered — fleece lined **$1.75**

SLIPPERS

For men, women and children, in felt and leather, **50c** to **$2.00**

GLOVES

Fowne's Cape Gloves in tan, at **$1.50** and **$2.00**

Mocha Gloves, silk lined, very warm and stylish **$1.50**

Mocha Gloves, wool lined, at **$1.00** and **$1.50**

Suede Gloves, unlined, **$1.50**

Mocha Gloves, lined with rabbit or squirrel, **$3.50** to **$5.00**

ELASTIC GOODS

Arm Elastics, with pretty buckles, and ribbon trimmed, in hand painted baskets, **50c**

Garters and Armlets, with gilt buckles, all colors, in box, **50c**

Garters---Brighton, Boston or Paris Garters, **25c**

The Boston Pad Garter, in silk, in pretty box, **50c**

Suspenders for men and boys, boxed at **25c** to **75c**

Combination Suspender and Garter Sets, **65c** to **$1.00**

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We carry without doubt the largest line of neckties of any store in Quincy.

Cheney's Knitted Silk Ties, in a handsome assortment of shades at **$1.00**

2000 Ties in the handsomest color combination from **25c** to **$1.00**

MISCELLANEOUS

Hocky and Skating Caps, in good colors, **50c** and **$1.00**

Sweaters for men, **$2** to **$8**

Sweaters for boys, **$1** to **$3**

Phoenix Mufflers, in Xmas boxes, all colors, **50c**

Dress Mufflers of black silk, white silk lined, **$1.25**

Cheney Silk Handkerchiefs, very finest quality, **25c, 50c**

Cuff Buttons and Stick Pins, **25c** to **$1.00**

Tiffany Cuff and Pin Sets, **$2**

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The gifts we give, the gifts that come to us,
Should count but little 'mong our Christmas joys.
The spirit and the thought of those we love,
Who love us, make the gladness—not the toys.
For love may send a kingdom or a rose,
And true hearts find true joy in either gift.
Turn not a time of blessing into drudge,
Lest in our giving joy to burden drift.

—Isabel H. Jones.

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Miss Ruth W. Parker has come on from Dayton, Ohio to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Parker of Russell street. Miss Russell is assistant intructor in the gymnasium work at the Young Women's Christian Association in that city.

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Miss Isabelle Lovell of Station street, East Weymouth, gave a piano recital at her home, Saturday afternoon in which three of her West Quincy pupils, Miss Marion Ames, Miss Anna Lamb and Master Leslie McCormick, took part. Refreshments were served and a pleasant time was spent. Miss Lovell has a large class of pupils.

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Miss Alice S. Hatch is spending the Christmas holidays at her home in North Marshfield.

Pratt's Vienna Bread

Baked by fixed formula, hence has uniformity.

GET IT AT YOUR GROCERS

Mrs. Alexander N. Morrisey and son Andrew of Taylor street are leaving today for a ten days' visit to her mother, Mrs. Mellen of Norwich, Connecticut.

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Mrs. Edward F. Parlee of Division street is entertaining a house party of relatives over Christmas, her guests are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harmon and children Lucile and John, Mrs Clarinda Spear of Nashua, New Hampshire and Mrs. Harry H. Spear of Roxbury.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Cushing Lane, nee Susan Godfrey Morse, of Goffe street, Presidents hill, are receiving congratulations on the birth on Saturday of a son, who has been named Seth Cushing for his grandfather, the late Seth Cushing Lane.

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Miss Clare L. Jones arrived from Washington, D. C. today to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jones of Elmwood avenue.

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Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Mrs. E. E ameson and Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann are to give a dancing party for the younger set at Alpha hall, Monday ight, Dec. 23. The matrons will be Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur, Mrs. William Doble, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Russell A. Sears.

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Mr. and Mrs. George F. Thomas of Portland, Maine are with their daughter Mrs. Sarah Orr of Sagamore avenue for the winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Haskins of Presidents hill have gone to New York for the holidays.

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Friends of Charles H. Kendall will be pleased to learn that he has been elected a member of Kappa Gamma Chi Fraternity at Harvard, the only freshman to be "bidden" at this election.

Miss Alta B. Grant came Thursday from Northfield, where she is a pupil at Northfield seminary to spend the Christmas vacation with her mother Mrs. Lizzie W. Grant of Arlington street.

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Miss Marie Bass who is teaching this year in Malden is at her home on Edison street for the Christmas holidays.

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Miss Hazel Bowman, B. U. '14 of Whitman was the week end guest of Miss Edith B. Armstrong of Warren avenue.

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Miss Patrice Finlay, daughter of Albert W. Finlay of Germantown is home for the Christmas recess, from the MacDuffie school for Girls in Springfield.

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The Twelfth Night revels by the Quincy Women's club is an event looked forward to after the holidays and this year's programs promises many novelties.

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Kendall Doble is home from the St. Manilus school in New York state for the Christmas holidays and is with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble of South street.

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Miss Abbie Wilde is home from Dobbs Ferry, New York to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Wilde of Prospect avenue, Miss Wilde is teaching in a private school.

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Mrs. Stanley H. Packard of Division street is entertaining her mother Mrs. Smith of Raymond, New Hampshire.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Branch of Putnam street left Friday for Port Orange, Florida, where they will spend the midwinter months at the "Wilbur-by-the-Sea."

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Mrs. Edwin E. Davis of Chestnut street, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Anna F. Hobart are to be matrons at Tennis club dance next Friday evening at Music hall, and a long list of patronesses assures it social success.

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Miss Catherine Litchfield of the Quincy Mansion school is spending three weeks at her home in New York.

Carl Doble arrived in Quincy, Thursday from St. Louis to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. William H. Doble of South street and with financee Miss Grace Fredericks Spear of Marshfield and Quincy.

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Miss Grace C. Parker is home from Lincoln, New Hampshire to be with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Parker of Russell street over the holidays.

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The seventh annual ball of the Quincy Tennis club to be held in Music hall, Dec. 27, promises to be a fitting climax to a most successful year on the courts. The matrons will be Mrs. Edwin E. Davis, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Anna F. Hobart.

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Mr. and Mrs. William T. Gumming of 33 Totman street, Quincy announce the engagement of their daughter Helen to Warren L. Bates of Braintree.

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Mrs. and Mrs. Alvah H. Pierce with their little daughter, will arrive from Germany on the steamer George Washington, Sunday, to spend the Chrstmas holidays in Quincy, with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Claflin of Greenleaf street. They have been absent more than a year, Mr. Pierce's business requiring his residence in Germany during that time.

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The third annual twelfth night revels, under the auspices of the Art committee of the Quincy Women's club, Mrs. Henry H. Kitson, chairman, is announced for Friday evening, January seventeenth, at Alpha hall. Plans are already under way, and it is sure to be a gala occasion. This year no one will be allowed on the floor at any time except in costume, therefore it is expected the gallery will be filled with onlookers.

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Mrs. William J. Tilley has gone to Orange City, Florida, for the winter. Quincy friends are being remembered with pretty post cards.

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Mrs. John Foster of Winthrop, Maine, is a guest over the holidays of her sister, Mrs. Mabel Keene, of Washington street.

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Mrs. Victor E. Miller of Russell park, has returned from a visit to New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Foster of Ottumwa, Iowa, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Edith Marguerite, to Rev. Henry S. Huntington, Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. Henry S. Huntington of Highland street, Milton. The wedding will take place at Ottumwa, December 26. The bridegroom is a Milton High school boy and a graduate of Yale, '04. He was ordained in Milton and is now pastor of the Presbyterian church in Watertown, N. Y. Rev. and Mrs. Henry S. Huntington of Milton are to attend the wedding.

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John Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bennett of Germantown and Dorchester, is home from Amherst college for the Christmas holidays.

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Mrs. George Gauthier of Franklin street leaves for St. Johns, N. B., on Monday, to spend a few weeks with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Mitton.

BRAINTREE W. R. C.

An entertainment and sale under the auspices of Gen. Sylvanus Thayer Relief Corps, No. 94, was held Thursday evening in G. A. R. hall. The evening being a very pleasant one, a large number turned out to purchase articles suitable for Christmas gifts. At eight o'clock Mrs. Jennie Loring extended to all present a cordial welcome. The piano solos by Master William Macy were very nicely rendered and enjoyed by all.

The violin solos by Master Edward Finnegan with Miss Finnegan as accompanist brought forth hearty applause.

Several readings by Miss Ida Horton of Cambello, who has entertained in town before, were highly amusing to one and all, and each of her many selections brought forth peals of laughter.

The vocal selections by Miss Lillian Devine with Mrs. C. A. Sullivan as accompanist were most enjoyable. It is needless to say these were finely rendered, as both are so well-known in this community. The piano solos by Mrs. Sullivan were excellent and numerous expressions of pleasure were heard from those present at having the privilege of listening to such music. All who took part in the entertainment were heartily applauded and called for several repetitions which were kindly given.

The tables were in charge of the following ladies, the name of the chairman of each heading the list:

Fancy articles and aprons—Mrs. Carrie Allen, Mrs. Alice S. Kane, Mrs. E. M. Sanborn.

Cake—Mrs. Margaret Pierson, Mrs. I. R. Coy.

Ice cream—Mrs. Carrie Downey, Mrs. Hannah Tenney, Mrs. Mary Thayer.

Candy—Mrs. Sarah Carmichael, Mrs Sarah R. Mellen.

The affair was a success in every way and we trust all returned to their homes satisfied with the evening's enjoyment.

☞Get busy now and shop at home. Look over the stock of local merchants. They need the trade and you need their stores. Be one to show your civic pride by shopping at home.

FORGOT ABOUT WOOD IN OVEN

Usual Result, House Filled and Occupants Smoked Out

ONE BOX REFUSED DUTY

One round from Box 171 was snapped in from the Central Fire station at 9.41 this morning for a slight fire in the oven of a stove in the house of John J. Craig, at 240 Washington street. It appears that last night the family put some wood in the kitchen stove to dry out, and then forgot all about it. This morning when a fire was built in the stove the wood got thoroughly dry and a little later began to smoke. The kitchen became filled with smoke and poured out of the open door into the street.

The two women in the house became badly frightened and ran into the street wringing their hands. Up on top of Edwards hill a quarter of a mile away a Mrs. Williams saw the smoke pouring from the house and the two women wringing their hands. Getting the idea that they had tried to sound an alarm and the box would not work she telephoned the fire station of the fire stating that the box was not working. One round of Box 171 was snapped in from the station. The cause of the excitement was learned when the department arrived. The recall sounded promptly. No damage was done the property.

OPPOSED TO ANNEXATION

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CLING TO TOWN MEETING

The afternoon of December 17 was marked by an unusually fine program It was a home talent day—a debate on "The Annexation of Braintree to Boston." The question was splendidly argued by both sides—the ladies waxed eloquent when they warmed to their subject, and became enthusiastic. The principal on the affirmative, was Mrs. Harry W. Hall, supported by Mrs. Walter A. Poore, Mrs. Lily B. Porter, and Mrs. George G. Ellsworth. The principal on the negative was Mrs. Henry F. Knight, supported by Miss Jane F. Edgcomb, Mrs. Nathaniel S. Gould and Mrs. George W. Stevens. Mrs. Harold M. Gage served as time keeper. The judges, Mrs. Arthur W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Edith F. Morrison, and Mrs. Otis B. Oakman, reported their decision through Mrs. Kirkpatrick, in favor of the negative.

Miss Florence Bent and Miss Sylvia Storrs contributed piano duets, which added to the afternoon's pleasures. They played "Lustspiel," overture by Bela, and "Danse Ecossaise" by Baker. Those who presided at the tea tables were Mrs. F. Eugene Dyer, Mrs. Harrison H. Rountree and Miss Helen Arnold.

FUNERAL SUNDAY.

Mrs. Mary E. Black died this morning at the home of her son, Harvey B. Black of 71 North Central avenue in her 69th year. The deceased was the widow of Hollis C. Black. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair Sunday and probably Monday. Not much change in temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.11
Sun sets	4.15
Length of day	9.04
Moon sets	5.42
High water, A. M.	9.15
High water, P. M.	9.45

Days decrease 0 hours 0 minutes.

MONDAY'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.11
Sun sets	4.15
Length of day	9.04
Moon rises	11.45
High Water, A. M.	10.15
High Water, P. M.	10.45

Days increase 0 hours and 0 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	45 degrees
Dec. 21, 1911,	38 degrees
Dec. 21, 1910,	35 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

At the Sunday morning service at the Hall Place M. E. church, the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon, and there will be special Christmas anthems by the choir and solos by Miss Helen Martin. At 7 P. M. the Sunday school will give their annual Christmas concert which has been well planned. A cordial invitation is given all to be present. Tuesday evening the Christmas tree celebration will be held at which time a visit from Santa Claus is expected.

The Walther Men's Class will meet Sunday at 12.15 in the Wollaston Baptist church, Rev. Joseph Walther will lead the discussion, subject, "Christmas and its relation to the world." All men not in other similar classes invited.

Louis S. Cleaves of 152 Beach street has been appointed a justice of the peace by Governor Foss.

The public schools closed on Wednesday for the holidays. They will reopen Monday, Dec. 30.

William H. Mears of Chelsea, well known in Quincy is gaining slowly and hopes to be about with the help of a crutch and cane by next summer. He says he doesn't expect to kick football, but will be more than pleased to get out of doors after being confined to the house nearly two years.

Mrs. Margaret Landers is making her home with Mrs. George Fox of Becket street.

The annual meeting of the Hospital Aid Association for election of officers and any other business which may legally come up for consideration which was announced to be held, Thursday, Dec. 26, has been postponed to the last Thursday in January at the home of Mrs. William B. Rice, Adams street.

At the concert to be given by the Quincy Choral society in Music hall on the evening of Tuesday, January 28th, Mrs. Marie Sonberg Sundelius of the Commonwealth Avenue Baptist church, Boston, has been engaged to take the soprano role. Although Mrs. Sundelius is not a stranger to Quincy music lovers, this will be her first appearance with the Choral society and with the attractive program being prepared a splendid concert is promised.

Rev. Theodore I. Reice, formerly of the Church of Our Saviour at East Milton and founder of St. Michaels of Milton is to be bishop coadjutor of the Dayton and Columbus convocations in Ohio. He has been rector of Trinity church, Columbus, Ohio, since leaving Milton.

THE WOLLASTON FORUM.

The regular session of the Wollaston Good Citizenship Forum, which meets in the Wollaston Unitarian church after the Sunday morning service of worship, will be omitted tomorrow. But the following Sunday (Dec. 29) Levi H. Turner, a great student of social problems, will address the meeting on "Proportional Representation."

HOLIDAY TRAINS.

Following the usual custom the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad has posted notices discontinuing on Dec. 25 a number of local trains into Boston in the morning and return trains in the afternoon. In order to provide sufficient service some of the express trains will make local stops and those contemplating a rail trip should consult these notices or make inquiries of ticket agents.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS

(Continued from Page One.)

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

Christmas is one of the great church festivals in the Unitarian church. The church this year will be as usual decorated by the Flower Committee and the music, services, prayers and sermon will be appropriate to Christmas. There will be a morning and afternoon service, to both of which the public is cordially invited. The following is the order of worship at the 10.45 A. M. service:

Organ Prelude.
Doxology
Scripture Sentences
Exhortation
Responsive Reading
Prayer
The Lord's Prayer
Gloria Patri
Christmas Poem
Anthem, "There were Shepherds" Frank Lynes
Psalms for the day
Chant, "Now unto the King Eternal"
Congregational Hymn.
Scripture Reading
Solo—Mrs. Royal L. Turner
Prayer
Response
Sermon
Trio—"When the Christmas Bells are ringing" Franz Abt
Mrs. Frank L. Page, Mrs. R. L. Turner
Miss Ernestine Litchfield
The communion service
Congregational hymn
Benediction
Chant—"Let the words of my mouth"
Organ Postlude.

At the Sunday school service at 4 o'clock the program will be as follows:

"Hark the Herald Angels sing" (children marching in) Congregation and School
"In the lonely midnight" School
Reading Superintendent
"The Prince of Peace" School
Reading Superintendent
"Calm on the listening ear of night" School
Responsive Reading Superintendent and School
"The First Christmas" The Primary Department
Reading Superintendent
"Mary's Cradle Song" Girls Choir
Prayer
"Oh little town of Bethlehem" Congregation and School
Christmas Story—Miss Margaret E. Sayward of Dorchester
"It came upon the Midnight Clear" Congregation and School.

Monday at 6 P. M. there will be singing of Christmas carols in the church auditorium by the Sunday school and congregation and an entertainment in the vestry by the Sunday school. No admission fee is charged, but every one is invited to bring one or more presents to be distributed among poor children.

FIRST M. E. WOLLASTON.

The following program will be rendered at the 10.45 A. M. service:

Organ and cornet prelude, Benedictus Farmer's Mass
Hymn—"Joy to the world the Lord is Come" Lutkin
The Apostles' Creed
Solo, "Praise to the New Born King" Perry
Miss Holbrook
Prayer
Anthem, "Hark, What Mean These Holy Voices" Stair
Responsive Reading
The Glori Patri
Scripture Lesson
Solo, "Night of Nights" Van der Water
Miss Holbrook
Offertory, (organ and cornet,) "Barcarollo" Longey
Hymn, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" Mendelssohn
Sermon, by the pastor, subject, "Tidings of Joy."
Prayer
Anthem, "Sing O Heavens" Tours
Benediction
Organ and Cornet Postlude

At 6.00 P. M. the Sunday school concert will be held when the following music will be rendered.

Anthem—Choir
Solo, "The Prince of Peace" Miss Holbrook Hanscom

Mrs. F. B. Bennett will be the organist for the day asisted by George H. Critchley, cornetist and Miss Marguerite Louise Holbrook, soloist.

On account of the concert in the evening there will be no Junior League or Epworth League service.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST.

There will be Christmas services at the Universalist church Sunday with Christmas sermon by the pastor at the morning service, subject, "God With Us." In the evening at half past seven a concert will be given by members of the Young People's Christian Union and there will be Christmas readings by the pastor, Rev. Fannie E. Austin. The order of services for the evening is as follows:

Organ voluntary.
Opening Sentences
Hymn, "Hark, What mean those holy voices."
Reading, "The First Christmas Story"
Song, "It came upon the midnight clear."
Trio, "We Three Kings of Orient Are"
Prayer
Duet, "Silent Night."
Reading—"The Little Town"
Song, "A star is burning"
Song, Luther's Cradle Hymn.
Hymn—"Hark the Herald Angels sing"
Reading, "Santa Claus' Baby" a Christmas story.
Song, "Christmas Morning."
Reading—"The Shepherd's Watch."
Offering.
Hymn, "Joy to the world"

ATLANTIC M. E.

The Christmas concert of the Atlantic M. E. church will be held Sunday evening at 6.30 o'clock, program being in charge of the Sunday school.

The Sunday school Christmas tree festival will be on Wednesday evening at 5.30 o'clock.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST.

The program for the Christmas concert at the Wollaston Baptist church Sunday at 10.45 A. M. will be as follows:

Organ Prelude
Hymn
Scripture Reading
Prayer
Anthem, "Nazeret" Chorus
Recitation, "Where is He"
Recitation, "A Christmas Song"
Exercises of Primary Department.
Duet, "A Manger Song"
Recitation, "Swinging Holly"
Song, "Stars of the Holy Night"
Recitation, "The Land of Jesus' birth"
Christmas Carols, "Today the joy bells of the world" Chorus
Offering
Hymn
Benediction
Organ Postlude

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Christmas music for First Presbyterian church, by the choir will be as follows:

"Glory to God in the Highest" L. O. Emerson
"Arise shine for thy light is come" C. F. Lloyd
"Exulting Angels" W. O. Perkins

The male quartet will sing:

"Hallelujah to our Lord and King" Lorenz
"Follow the Star" Ira Wilson
Soprano solo—Hosanna in the Highest" Brown

There will be an organ prelude with cornet at both services.

Mrs. James Marr, Organist.
A. Wendell Clark, Cornetist.

POINT CONGREGATIONAL.

There will be a Christmas service Sunday morning at the Point church, with appropriate anthems by the choir.

The Sunday school concert will be at 4 o'clock.

Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock there will be a Christmas tree for children and a pleasing entertainment.

ATLANTIC MEMORIAL.

The special musical program for Sunday morning at Memorial church, under the direction of John C. Ward, will be as follows:

Organ Prelude Miss Davison
Anthem—"And the Angel said unto Them" W. R. Spence
Soloist—Hargrave Heap
Anthem—"While Shepherds watch their flocks by night" Smart
Soloist—Walter Wight
Quartet—"The Blessed Lullaby" Nevin
Organ Postlude

The quartet is composed of Miss Lora Churchill, soprano; Miss Maud Read, aito; William N. Stetson tenor and Hargrave Heap, bass.

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR.

The Church of Our Saviour, (Episcopal) East Milton is to observe the Christmastide as follows: Sunday Dec. 22, morning prayer and sermon at 10.30, Rev. Ernest Mariett; subject will be "Preparation for Death" and in the evening at 7 "The Great Gulf."

Christmas day there will be holy communion and sermon at 8, subject "Good news from Bethlehem," and Adlam's service in F will be sung and for the offertory anthem, "Carol, carol, Christmas, carol joyfully" by M. Lindsay.

The offering will be for missions.

Friday, Dec. 27 there will be a carol service for the school at 7 P. M. with tree and entertainment 7.30 P. M. Members of the Sunday school, friends and relatives are cordially invited.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL SOCIETY, City Square—Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, 111 Griffe street, Quincy. Telephone, Quincy 411 M. At Church study 9 A. M to 1 P. M. except Saturday. Telephone 190 Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon: "The Significance of Forefather's Day." Sunday School at 12.00. Special service appropriate to "Forefather's Day." Henry W. Porter, Supt.

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL—Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Rev Richard E. Armstrong, rector. Holy Communion at 8. Morning Prayer, and sermon at 10.30. 12.05 Sunday school. 7.30 Evening Prayer and Address.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, Pastor. 10.30. Christmas Message. "God with Us." Bible school at 12 noon. 6.15 Y. P. S. C. E. 7.30, Pleasant Sunday Evening Service. Subject: "The Joy Bells."

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington Street. Rev. Fannie F. Austin, pastor. Morning worship 10.30. Sermon by the pastor. Subject "God With Us." 11.45 Sunday school. 7.30 P. M. Christmas Concert. Everyone cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cobasset ave. Morning service and Sunday school at 10.45. Subject: "Is the Universe including Man evolved by atomic Force?" Golden Text: "I have made the earth, and created man upon it: I, even my hands, have stretched out the heavens, and all their hosts have I commanded." Isaiah 45:12. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M., week days, holidays excepted All are welcome.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION, (Undenominational) New Colonial Hall, Hancock Building Quincy Center Lectures every Sunday at 3 P. M. on Bible topics. Speaker, J. T. Boulcott. Subject: "Good News to All People." Luke 2:10. All are welcome. No collection. Seats free.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Quincy Point—Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Christmas Sunday School concert at 4 P. M. Men's class at 6.30. Subject: "Erroneous habits of thought from different viewpoints." No evening service. Rev. Sampson Nicholls will preach at the morning service. Special Christmas music.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. C. C. Tilley, Pastor. Morning Service at 10.30. Subject: What the Shepherds Found." Sunday school 11.45. Davis class for men at same hour. Evening Service at 7. Subject: "White gifts for the King." Come and worship the King with us

FIRST U. P. CHURCH—Fort Square, Rev. A. M. Thompson, pastor. Residence, 198 Whitwell Street. Morning service 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Topic: "What the Coming of Christ has done and will do for the world." Luke 1:67 79. Christmas meeting. Evening service at 7. Christmas Sermon. Seats free. Everybody welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner Quincy and Water streets. Rev. James A Matheson, minister. Telephone 1524-M Christmas sermon at 10.30. Bible School and Men's Class at 11.45. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. At 7 there will be an Evening of Christmas song. Young People's meeting Thursday at 7.00 Congregational prayer and praise service at 7.30.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH—West Quincy Rev. T. C. Martin, pastor Residence, 12 Hall place. Morning worship at 10.30. Christmas sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 12.00. Annual Christmas Concert by the Sunday School at 7. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M.

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR—East Milton, Rev. Ernest Mariett, A. B. B. D., minister. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Subject: "Preparation for Death." Sunday school at 11.45 A. M. Classes for all ages, Rev. Mariett, Supt. Evening prayer and sermon at 7, subject: "The Great Gulf." Christmas day holy communion and sermon at 8 A. M. subject: "Good news from Bethlehem."

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner Lincoln and Winthrop avenues. Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., Pastor. Residence, 20 Marion Street. Telephone, Quincy 1349 M. Morning Worship at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. "Good Tidings of Great Joy." Sunday School at 12.15. C. A. Randall, Supt. Men's Class led by the pastor. Special Christmas Vesper Service at 4 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Christmas Festival of Sunday School in vestry Christmas day at 5 P. M. Midweek service Thursday at 7.45 p. m. in the vestry, led by Dr. Sneath.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Corner Beale and Farrington Streets. Rev. Carl G. Horst, minister. Residence 67 Winthrop avenue. Telephone: Quincy 317-1. Kindergarten for children of three years and over at 10.45 in the vestry in charge of trained Kindergartener. Service of worship with sermon at 10.45. Sunday School at 12.10. Good Citizenship Forum will be omitted. Sunday School Christmas Service at 4 o'clock.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Joseph Walther, pastor. Residence 81 Prospect avenue. Tel. 341-4 Christmas Concert at 10.45 in place of the usual preaching service. Sunday School at 12.15. Junior Endeavor at 5.30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Rev. Randall F. Capen, Missionary in China will speak. Evening service at 7.00. The Pastor will preach a Christmas sermon and the Chorus Choir will sing Christmas selections.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Hancock street, Wollaston—Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector, residence, the rectory, 523 Hancock street. Holy Communion 8.00 Morning prayer, Ante Communion and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening prayer and address at 7.30.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH—WOLLASTON, Corner Beale and Safford streets. Rev Wesley Wiggin, pastor. Residence 52 Brook street, Telephone, Quincy 378-2. 10.4, Morning worship sermon by the pastor. 12, Sunday School. 3.30 P. M Junior League meeting. 6 P. M Epworth League devotional service 7.00 p. m. sermon by pastor.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Atlantic. Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. 10.45 morning worship "Sermon by the pastor. Theme, "The Coming of New Life." Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Junior Endeavor at 4. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Christmas Concert by the Sunday School at 7 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

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TIME TABLE

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Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.56 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (Wednesdays and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 8.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 9.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John C. Randall and Henrietta L. Randall, his wife, in her right, to the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, as it is Trustee under the will of Sylvanus A. Denio, said mortgage deed being dated October 13, 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds Book 702, Page 93, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday, the thirty-first day of December, 1912, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, all and singular the premises conveyed by said Mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows:—

A certain parcel of land conveyed to said Henrietta by deed of John Quincy Adams and others, trustees, dated Aug. 29, 1891 and recorded with the Norfolk Deeds, lib. 661, fol. 224, and therein described as follows:— "A lot of land in Quincy in said County of Norfolk numbered 1 on a plan by H. T. Whitman to be recorded herewith and bounded and described as follows: Northerly on Adams street, there measuring two hundred (200) feet, Easterly on land of the Adams Real Estate Trust there measuring four hundred and nine and 27-100 (409 27-100) feet, Southerly on land now or late of Eaton as the stone wall stands there measuring one hundred and forty-four and 3-10 (144 3-10) feet; and Westerly on land of Whicher as the stone wall now stands a distance of three hundred and fifty and 2-100 (350 2-100) feet, and containing 63,760 square feet of land," with all buildings situated thereon. Also a certain other parcel of land conveyed to said Henrietta by deed of John Quincy Adams and others trustees dated Sept. 10, 1892 and recorded with the Norfolk Deeds lib. 680, fol. 520, and therein described as follows:—"a triangular shaped parcel of land in Quincy in said County of Norfolk bounded and described as follows:—Beginning on Adams Street at the Northeast corner of said Randall's land and running southerly and bounding westerly on said grantee four hundred and nine and twenty seven hundredths (409 27-100) feet, thence running northeasterly one hundred and six (106) feet to a point that is fifty-six (56) feet distant from the first described line, thence in a straight line to the point of beginning three hundred and twenty-four and two tenths (324 2-10) feet. Containing 11,460 square feet as shown on plan by H. T. Whitman recorded herewith, with all buildings situated thereon." Each of the said parcels of land is to be conveyed subject to the restrictions and incumbrances expressed in the deed by which it was conveyed to said Henrietta C. Randall, which deed is in each case referred to above, so far as said restrictions and incumbrances are now in force and applicable.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all tax titles, unpaid taxes and assessments.

$200 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Further terms at sale.

Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.
Trustee under the will of Sylvanus A. Denio, present owner and holder of said mortgage by Charles E. Rogerson President.

Boston, Dec. 4, 1912.
3t Dec. 7-14-21

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William H. Glover late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by William S. Glover and Walter S. Glover both of said Quincy who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

J. R. McCoole, Asst. Register.
7-3t 7-14-21

REVICTUALLING OF ADRIANOPLE

To Be Asked by Turkey, Whose Position Is Strengthened

WILL NOW TREAT WITH GREECE

Question of Armistice Is Thus Disposed Of—Different Parties Feeling Ground Before Striking Decisive Blow—Asquith Feels Sure of Negotiations Arriving at Peace

London, Dec. 21.—The instructions forwarded by the Ottoman government to Rechad Pasha, the leader of the Turkish peace delegation here, authorize him to treat with the Greek delegates without their previous signature of the armistice protocol.

The Turkish delegation is ordered to apply for permission for the revictualling of the fortress of Adrianople during today's meeting. The plenipotentiaries have been instructed to break off negotiations if Bulgaria insists on the surrender of Adrianople, according to the Paris Temps correspondent at Constantinople, who says he has his information from an official source.

In official circles in Constantinople it is explained the change of the Turkish attitude toward Greece is the result of the fact that the situation in regard to Greece has now turned so much to the advantage of Turkey that the Turkish government would demand exceptional conditions before signing an armistice with Greece.

The decision tends toward peace, as there has been a suspicion that the Turks were maneuvering for time, so they might strengthen their army. The Greek proposals will be more complicated than those of the other allies, because they include the question of capitulations, which Greece alone among the Balkan states enjoys in Turkey with the great powers.

The capitulations, originally imposed on Turkey by the republic of Genoa in 1553, include exemption from taxation for foreign subjects, special courts and other privileges. Greece is ready to accept a clause in the treaty with Turkey promising to renounce the right to capitulations when the other powers do the same.

The conference is now exactly in the same position as the Portsmouth conference after the first week's work. The different parties are daily feeling the ground before striking a decisive blow. Rechad Pasha strongly recalls Count Witte's shrewdness, while Greek Premier Venizelos can be compared with Komura on account of his cool attitude and unshakable calmness. There are other very interesting personalities. Dr. Daneff, chief of the Bulgarians, is like an American politician; Novakovitch, the ex-premier of Servia, is an experienced statesman, the Montenegrin, Miyuskovitch, a keen diplomatist.

The peace plenipotentiaries of Turkey and of the Balkan allies were the guests of honor at a luncheon given by the Lord Mayor of London at the Mansion House yesterday afternoon. The distinguished gathering included Premier Asquith, Foreign Secretary Grey and other prominent personages. The lord mayor extended a hearty welcome to the peace plenipotentiaries, speaking of the enduring satisfaction which would be felt if they should achieve a happy issue and a lasting peace.

Rechad Pasha, for Turkey, Premier Venizelos, for Greece, and Dr. Daneff, for Bulgaria, replied.

Premier Asquith said he was not ashamed to declare himself optimistic of the negotiations arriving at an equitable and enduring peace and that the peace of London would be regarded by history as the proudest leaf in London's crown of laurel.

DAVENNY NOT TO BLAME

Policeman Exonerated by Coroner and Man Who Was Fatally Shot

Providence, Dec. 21.—Patrolman John F. Davenny of Central Falls was exonerated from all blame for the fatal shooting of John T. Bradley in that city on Dec. 7 in the report of Coroner Vance.

Bradley, who formerly lived in Boston, was shot by the patrolman while resisting arrest for an attempted burglary. The report says Bradley, just before he died, said no blame should be attached to Davenny because he "put up a game fight and I would have got him if he hadn't got me."

Woman Suffrage Favored

Portland, Me., Dec. 21.—A resolution endorsing woman suffrage and recommending that the legislature submit to the people a constitutional amendment providing for it was adopted by the Maine State Grange annual session.

Maggie Adams Dies at 113

Bay City, Ore., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Maggie Adams, widow of the famous Indian chief, Adams, is dead at Garibaldi. She was reputed to be 113 years of age.

A BOSTON GIRL'S BUDGET.

Pleasant Housework of Future Will Make Happy Housewives and Husbands, so Simmons College Girls are Shown—Electric Cookers and Automatic Appliances will Save Labor and Leave the Little Lady Agreeable instead of Cross when Hubby Comes Home—Boston Has Unique "Acquaintance Club"—It Brings Nice Young People together, Object not Necessarily Matrimony—Patriotism Taught to Foreigners by "Movies" is Late Hubbite Educational scheme.

The first trial in this part of the country of the method of teaching by educational motion pictures is to be made, if plans are carried through, at one of the Cambridge schools which has a large attendance of foreigners. It is hoped that the pictures will attract the foreign illiterates into the school and hold their interest, thus inspiring them to study. The first lessons include such historical subjects as Washington crossing the Delaware, the battle of Bunker Hill, and other important events. If these prove successful, the scope will be enlarged to include studies by motion picture of zoology, botany, travel, manufacturing and preparation of commercial staples. The new plan is to be put into operation shortly after Christmas and if it proves to be a success will undoubtedly be made a permanent feature of this and other schools.

A unique social organization has recently been formed among the young people of the Back Bay. One young woman who has been interested in the problem of the thousands of students and others, strangers in the city, occupying hall bedrooms in which they are obliged to stay or else take lonely walks or recreation without congenial companionship, devised the scheme of forming an Acquaintonceship Club, the purpose of which should be to bring young people together under proper auspices and through formal introduction. Twelve young men and twelve young women recently met at the first social of the club, all strangers, both to each other and in Boston, and all engaged in some sort of occupation in schools or stores. It is predicted that a number of romances may spring from this club, although the founder distinctly denies that it has anything of the nature of a marriage bureau. There is plenty of room for many organizations of the same character in this city of students, and the outcome of the experiment will be watched with interest.

The Englishman is not always so impervious to humor, after all. A Boston newspaper quotes the following incident, which seems good enough to pass along. The story was told originally by Professor William Lyon Phelps of Yale at a recent banquet in this city. Prof. Phelps and a friend, travelling in the West, had been discussing the time-honored subject of the Briton and his sense of humor. "We'll try one on this man," said Prof. Phelps's friend, pointing to an Englishman who sat nearby. Whereupon he accosted the Englishman and told him a truly side-splitting yarn. But the subject of their discussion never moved a muscle.

"Come," said the American, somewhat testily, "you'll laugh at that next summer."

The Englishman removed his monocle gently. "I think not," he said.

"Why not?"

"I laughed at that last summer."

A pretty picture of a domestic millenium was painted by Mrs. Olaf Guldin, formerly chairman of the home economics committee of the National Federation of Women's clubs, in an address before the students at Simmons College. The housewife of the near future, whose main object in life is to make her husband happy, will have learned just how to do her work so as not to be all worn out and cross at night when he comes home and have solved the problems of the cost of living and domestic service. She will have an ideal kitchen so compact that stove, sink, cupboard and work table are all within reach of a revolving stool. Her dinner will be served in part on glazed paper plates which may be thrown away after using. It will be cooked in an electric fireless cooker and eaten on a table with a revolving centre piece which carries the condiments to each member of the family without bother to each other. A little three decked affair at the left of the hostess will hold fresh dishes and receive the soiled ones after each course, doing away with the necessity of a waitress. Other incidentals of this ideal existence are an electric washing and ironing machine, a vacuum cleaner, automatic brush and waxer for her hard wood floors, which she has in the kitchen as well as the drawing room. She will wear dainty crepe underwear which needs no ironing; will clean her silver by placing it in a pan and boiling it with a chemical, will cleanse her clothes by soaking them in gasolene and having a woman come in to finish the operation—and will do all the other things which go to make scientific management in the home. Thus she will be able to devote herself to her husband and children and still have leisure for profitable recreation and all without worry and expense of a maid. At least, so says Mrs. Guldin. May she not prove to have been Mrs. Culldem.

Ethel Angier.

Boston, Dec. 20, 1912.

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THREE IDENTIFIED AS STORE BANDITS

Held For Grand Jury After Being Faced by a Victim

Boston, Dec. 21.—Three of the six young men charged with having participated in one of the three daring hold-ups in Boston Thursday, were held for the grand jury by Judge Sullivan in the Charlestown police court. Sullivan found probable cause after Jacob Golden, proprietor of a provision store in Charlestown, swore that the three men in question were the ones who held him up and robbed him.

The men are William Murray, 22; Michael J. Donovan, 28, and George S. Locke, 25. The first two were each held in $3000 bail, while Locke was held in $500. All were committed to jail in default of bail.

TO LIVE IN NEW HAVEN

Taft Asks a Friend to Find Him a House In University City

New Haven, Dec. 21.—President Taft will make his permanent residence in this city when he takes up the duties of the Kent professorship at Yale college next spring.

He has requested a friend to find him a house. In connection with the professorship, it is understood that at the next meeting of the corporation the tender of the professorship will be formally made and will be accepted by President Taft.

PASSERBY KNOCKED OUT

But Man Who Fell From Window Rushes Back to His Work

New York, Dec. 21.—As Charles J. S. Garrott, a salesman, was passing 649 Broadway, James Smith, a window cleaner, fell from the second story where he was at work, landing on Garrott's head.

Garrott was removed to St. Vincent's hospital with a fractured skull, while Smith dashed back up the stairs unhurt, to continue his work, wondering whether he would be docked for lost time.

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To all persons interested in the estate of Joseph F. Berry late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, George H. Brown the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the thirteenth account of his trust under said will: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County, on the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
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KINCAIDE'S ANNEX

Where Your Money Goes Farthest and Gets Most

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CENSUS TAKER DIED TODAY

William Briggs, Former Boston Drawing Teacher

William Briggs, 75 years of age, died at his home on the Atlantic Boulevard this morning after a few days illness. He leaves a wife, two sons, one of whom is Archie Briggs, a well known athlete and civil engineer, and two daughters, Miss Beatrice M., teacher of sloyd at the Milton schools and Mrs. Fredrick A. Emery.

Mr. Briggs was formerly teacher of drawing in the Boston night schools and of late years has taken the birth census of ward six for the city.

The funeral will be held from the home of Mrs. Frederick A. Emery, 131 Billings street, Monday afternoon.

SPECTACULAR INSTALLATION

Planned by Scandia Lodeg at Meeting, January 2

Preparations are afoot for a spectacular installation of the officers of the Lodge Scandia who were chosen at Protection hall on Thursday evening. The date of the ceremony is Jan. 2. Mrs. Hilma O'Brien becomes Past President after that date. The new officers are:

President—Carl Bastin.
Vice President—Emily Boyson.
Secretary—Bernard Ericson.
Vice Secretary—William Ericson.
Financial Secretary—William Anderson.
Treasurer—Bernard Johnson.
Chaplain—Miss Hilma Johnson.
Ceremonial Mistress—Miss Freda Carlson.
Inside Guard—Albin Olon.
Outside Guard—John Hagberg.
Physician—Dr. Hjalmar Ahlstron.

☞White wrapping paper at 2 cents a sheet at the Ledger Office. Come early and avoid the rush. tf

LOST THUMB AND FINGERS

Employee of Fore River Had Hand Caught in Machine

DIGITS LACERATED

Fred A. Broks, 45 Edison Park, one of the workmen employed in the wood working department at the Fore River ship yard got his hand caught in one of the planers this noon and before the machines could be stopped the thumb of his left hand was practically severed. Three of his fingers were also badly lacerated. He was removed to the Red Cross hospital in the yard where his injuries were dressed by Dr. Blanchard. Dr. Hunting and Dr. S. C. Hardwick were also called.

Brooks is a musician by profession being a clever clarinet performer. If he loses any other of his fingers it will seriously interfere with his playing.

FRISCO SYSTEM HAS OLD AGE PENSION

Christmas Gift to Twenty-Five Thousand Employes

St. Louis, Dec. 21.—Twenty-five thousand employes of the Frisco railway system are granted old age and disability pensions as a Christmas gift, according to a brief announcement made from the headquarters of the system here. The plan for granting pensions will be effective July 1, 1913. Details will be announced later.

The announcement was signed by B. L. Winchell, president of the Frisco system, and "heartily approved" by B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the board of directors. Employes of the following roads are to be benefited:

St. Louis and San Francisco, Fort Worth and Rio Grande, St. Louis, San Francisco and Texas, Paris and Great Northern.

NO WORD FROM SICKLES

Fails to Make Accounting of Funds Amounting to $28,000

Albany, Dec. 21.—Although General Daniel E. Sickles of New York was given until yesterday to make an accounting to the state for funds amounting to about $28,000 paid him as chairman of the New York State Monument commission, no word has been received from him by Attorney General Carmody or State Comptroller Sohmer.

No vouchers for the money have been filed and Carmody says he will now look to the members of the commission to restore the amount to the state treasury. He has so informed the commissioners.

HAS DESIRED EFFECT

Arrival of Battleship New Hampshire Quells Belligerent Dominicans

Washington, Dec. 21.—Minister Russell at Santo Domingo informed the state department that conditions in the island republic have improved since the arrival of the battleship New Hampshire.

Two days after the appearance of the ship, Horacio Vasquez, one of the rebel leaders, withdrew his forces and declared he had retired from politics for good.

In some cases advertising pays in two ways. It tends towards publicity in one direction and closes the same avenue in other directions.

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Best Goods --- Low Prices

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18-5t

Currier's Market

CITY SQUARE

Wishes Every One a Merry Christmas

As this is the first **Christmas** that this now popular market is to have the pleasure of catering to your wants, we have made special efforts in selecting only the very **BEST** of everything that goes to make up the **Christmas** feast.

We shall have as fine a lot of **Poultry** as has ever been shown in Quincy, **all fresh killed** — no iced or cold storage goods.

If you will favor us with your order, we will positively guarantee that your **Xmas** dinner will be a success.

Be sure and send your order to

Turkeys Geese

THE SQUARE DEAL STORE

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Xmas Candy
Xmas Trees and Wreaths
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A SQUARE DEAL TO ALL

LEGAL STAMPS 21-23 24

BRAINTREE

The public schools and the Thayer Academy closed yesterday for the Christmas recess.

Letters remain in the post office for Herbert Bopkins Barbour, Miss Ethel B. Kirkton, O. Nelsen and Mrs. C. A. Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickey of Boston are spending the winter with Mr. Dickey's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Dickey of Liberty street,

Elvinson Gibson is here from San Francisco, Cal., on a visit to his father Stephen W. Gibson of Brookside road. He has just completed a six years' service in the U. S. Coast Artillery.

The South Shore Co-operative bank is moving its quarters from Arcanum hall to the store formerly occupied by John S. Williams. Charles G. Sheppard, is president and Charles G. Jordan is secretary-treasurer of the bank.

Mrs. Thomas Sims of Gorham, Me., formerly of Braintree was the guest Monday and Tuesday of Mrs. Will W. Mayhew of Myrtle street. She called on many friends and also attended the meeting of the Philergians, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Arnold, attended a meeting and banquet of the Market Gardeners' Association at Young's hotel, Boston, Tuesday evening. Rev. Daniel Roy Freeman of Braintree was a guest.

Mrs. Martha Fearing, widow of the late Abel Fearing, died Monday at her home on Quincy avenue. Mrs. Fearing was 72 years of age and has enjoyed good health up to a few weeks ago. She was a former resident of Hingham, where her husband was a well known musician. Her body was taken to Hingham for burial.

Another victim of the "did not know the gun was loaded" has not come forth, but been sent hence.

BRAINTREE

S. V. A. No. 16 and Camp 32 S. of V. will hold their next meetings on the same evening, Monday at G. A. R. hall After their business meetings they will unite in enjoying the mysteries of the Christmas box to which each one is expected to contribute some article to increase the jollity of the evening. Refreshments will be served by the ways and means committee of the Auxiliary.

Second to none of the coming Christmas joys is that of the advent of the dainty little visitant to the home and hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Philip F. Sullivan of Washington street. The love and joy, that has so often in the past greeted the coming of the Christ child, this year, purified and intensified greets the little daughter, who with its tiny fingers groping and clasping draws and holds entwined the heartstrings of all those, whose homes are blessed in its coming.

Mrs. Helen Van Vloten, wife of Jacob Van Vloten died at her home on Quincy avenue after a long illness. Mrs. Van Vloten moved to this town from Quincy about three years ago. She has been prominent in social affairs and was liked by all who knew her. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, at her home. The burial was in the Mt. Wollaston cemetery, Quincy. She is survived by a husband two daughters and a son, who have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

—In these gusty days the man who throws loose paper into the streets to blow around in front of nervous horses, eager to run anyway in cold weather, deserves six months. He's no better than the prize idiot who throws a burning cigarette into a mass of inflammable stuff in a factory or loft room.

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of Charles H. Porter late of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address) Hannah A. Porter, Edgemere Rd., Quincy, Mass.

HANNAH A. PORTER, Admx.

Dec. 19, 1912. 21-3t

DEATHS

BLACK—In Wollaston, Dec. 20, Mrs. Mary E., widow of Hollis C. Black, in her 69th year.

BRIGGS—In Atlantic, Dec. 20, William Briggs, in his 75th year.

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AMENDMENTS TO CHARTER

Committee Will Present Them to the Legislature

TWO YEARS FOR THE MAYOR

A most interesting meeting was held in the Mayor's office at City hall Saturday evening by some of these interested in certain amendments to the City Charter, and as a result it was arranged that the petition to the legislature to amend the charter should be filed direct by the Mayor and not go through the Council, as it was feared that there would be a wrangle and that other amendments, than those decided upon might be added and thus kill the whole matter.

The movement to amend the charter is the direct outcome of a Charter Amendment club that had its inspiration among several Wollaston citizens some months ago. Meetings for a time were held at a private residence and later they were held on Sunday afternoons at the Wollaston Unitarian church.

After considerable discussion these gentlemen came to the conclusion that it would be better to be conservative

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COMMITTEE NOT DECIDED

Upon Their Course in Matter of Public Dock

ANOTHER MEETING PLANNED

A meeting of the special committee of the City Council and citizens who have been considering the question of a site for a public dock was held Saturday afternoon at City Hall. It was the intention of the committee to report to the City Council tonight but but in view of the fact that there is to be another meeting of the council the committee will not make its report until that time. The sentiment at Saturday's meeting seemed to be in favor of recommending to the Council that the Directors of the Port of Boston be petitioned to have a portion of $9,000,000 appropriated for a dock in Quincy. There was also quite a sentiment expressed that the committee should report recommending that the entire matter be referred to the next City Council for action.

No definite action was taken however but will be at another meeting of the committee to be held sometime this week.

READ LEDGER ADVS.

LAST APPEAL FOR CHRISTMAS

Salvation Army Needs Funds to Carry Out its Plans

MONEY COMING SLOWLY

The Salvation Army plans to give out 50 baskets of food to poor people, tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock at the corps headquarters, 150 Granite street.

Up to the present time however the returns do not warrant, more than 30 baskets. The responses to the appeal of the good people of the army have not been as generous or spontaneous as desired. The local work is in charge of Capt. Selma Johnson, assisted by Adjutant A. Salvesen.

Over 500 copies of the following letter have been left at houses in Quincy:

Quincy, Mass., December 1912

Dear Friend:—The Christmas holidays are near at hand, and the question is as in previous years, what can we do to make the needy happy?

The Salvation Army is again preparing to distribute a large number of baskets of food, to the most needy families in THIS CITY, each of said baskets to contain sufficient food for

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NICHOLSON SURPRISED

Presented With Suit Case on Eve of Departure

One of the most delightful parties of the season was held last Friday evening in honor of Louis Norman Nicholson, a popular young man of South Quincy. About 35 of his friends gathered at his home while he was out and on his return he was told to step into the parlor. No sooner had he done so when all his friends let out one big yell which nearly took him off his feet.

Berger Ellisen then presented him in behalf of the gathering with a fine suit case. He was so overcome with surprise that he hardly knew what to say but he soon pulled himself together and thanked his friends in a very pleasing manner. Everybody then adjourned to the dining room where refreshments were served by the committee after which came the playing of various games and dancing. Musical selections were rendered by Miss Ruth Gulliksen and Miss Marion Cummings. Friends were present from Quincy, Weymouth, Boston and Somerville. It was after midnight before the party broke up.

Mr. Nicholson left Quincy on Sunday to accept a position with the Bath Iron Works at Bath, Maine as a structural draughtsman. He has worked for a number of years in the hull draughting room of the local shipyard having received the greater part of his experience there. He carries with him the well wishes of a host of friends.

CELEBRATED ANNIVERSARY.

The fourth anniversary of Finland Lodge, International Order of Good Templars, was observed at Electa hall Saturday evening by a dancing party. An impromptu entertainment was given by the members, following which dancing was enjoyed until midnight. Music was furnished by the Colonial orchestra.

Refreshments were served and the committee in charge was John Haggblom, Victor Anderson and L. Nelson.

☞Every boy wants a watch and Williams, the jeweler, has them at all prices.

Carload of

BALDWIN APPLES

grown on my farm in Canton, Maine. Orchards have been sprayed and kept in a sanitary condition.

Apples are Solid

and will keep all winter. Drop me a card and I will show them.

H. A. WENTWORTH

770 Washington Street

Tel. Quincy 53. Dec. 19-6t

MRS. RYDER HAS A BIRTHDAY

Seventy-Five Years Old and Enjoys Fairly Good Health

Hale and hearty on her 75th birthday, Mrs. Elizabeth J. Ryder, observed her anniversary Sunday at her home, "Ingeside" Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Mrs. Ryder is the widow of T. P. Ryder who was one of Boston's foremost organists and musical composers.

Mrs. Ryder is one of the earliest residents of the beach and during the day received the best wishes of a host of old time friends. Excepting an occasional slight attack of rheumatism, Mrs. Ryder enjoys excellent health.

PRESBYTERIANS SCORE VICTORY

Defeat Christ Church in Basket Ball League

The Presbyterian five defeated the Christ church team at the Y. M. C. A. gym, Saturday afternoon in a basket ball game of the Sunday School League. The score was 16 to 10. Owing to the sickness of three of the Wollaston Baptist players they did not play the Union Chapel. The summary:

Presbyterian	Christ Church
Marini rf	lb Driscoll
Summers lf	rb McMillan
Matheson c	c Williams
Cummings rb	lf Cleveland
Falconer lb	rf Bills

Score, Presbyterian 16. Christ Church 10. Goals from floor, Marini 3, Falconer 3, Matheson, Driscoll, 2, Cleveland 2. Goals from fouls, Matheson, Falconer, Williams, Bills. Referee, LaRose. Umpire, Bates. Scorer, Prout. Timer, Blanchard. Time, 20m halves.

ANOTHER SESSION.

Owing to the fact that it will be impossible for the City Council to complete its business tonight, on account of loan orders one more meeting will be necessary.

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POLICE DID NOT FIND INTRUDER

Man Who Tried to Get Into Wollaston House Escaped

WOMAN CALLED FOR HELP

A telephone message was received by the police Saturday night from Mrs. Charles B. Harrington at 51 Berlin street, stating that she was alone in the house and that she heard a man trying to open the front door with a key. On account of the numerous burglar scares at Wollaston within a few days she was somewhat nervous and rather than take any chances she telphoned for help. The police auto with several officers were sent down but although a search was made about the premises no trace of the intruder was found.

☞PRATT'S BREAD never varies. It is made and baked by a fixed rule. Ask your grocer.

ELECTRIC CAR HIT MILK TEAM

Driver Thrown Out But Escaped Injury

DAMAGE ONLY SLIGHT

One of the milk wagons of James Mattie of Braintree, driven by his son Walter Mattie was struck by the electric car from Brockton due in Quincy at 7.40, on Independence avenue, Saturday evening near the line between Braintree and Quincy. The driver of the wagon was thrown out and the car crew and passengers who rushed to his assistance volunteered to secure a physician, but he declined and said that he was all right. The wagon was but little damaged.

☞If you are not already a candidate for the Free Washington Trip, you may want to be when you read the itinerary in today's Ledger. Many extras are included, and every comfort of the excursionists is anticipated. One subscription certificate will start you with 1000 votes.

Christmas Suggestions

HERE IS A LIST of some Useful Gifts this store has on display—they're gifts that every man and boy would buy for his own use. Another thing: every article is sold at the regular low "just around the corner" price — no extra profits here because it's Christmas — so make this your Christmas store.

GLOVES

Fowne's Cape Gloves in tan, at **$1.50** and **$2.00**

Mocha Gloves, silk lined, very warm and stylish **$1.50**

Mocha Gloves, wool lined, at **$1.00** and **$1.50**

Suede Gloves, unlined, **$1.50**

Mocha Gloves, lined with rabbit or squirrel, **$3.50** to **$5.00**

AUTO GLOVES

Long Gauntlet Auto Gloves, fleece lined at **$1.00** and **$1.75**

Auto Mitts — one-fingered — fleece lined **$1.75**

UMBRELLAS

Many stores would charge 25c to $1.00 more for the same kind of umbrellas I sell. Men's and women's in all kinds of handles and coverings at **$1.00** to **$5.00**

SLIPPERS

For men, women and children, in felt and leather, **50c** to **$2.00**

NECKWEAR

You won't find any 55c or 59c or 65c prices on any ties here, but at **50c** you'll see many that other dealers ask that extra profit on—Thousands of ties to choose from. Other grades **25c** (in boxes) to **$1.00.**

JEWELRY

You can get Links or Scarf Pins, separate or to match, at **25c** to **$2.00.**

STOCKINGS

If you give a fellow a box of Interwoven Sox you'll hit a soft spot. 2 pairs of silk in a box, **$1.00.** 4 pairs of cotton in a box, **$1.00.**

COMBINATION SETS

Arm Elastics, with pretty buckles and ribbon trimmed, in hand painted baskets, **50c**

Garters and Armlets, with gilt buckles, all colors, in box, **50c**

Garters—Brighton, Boston or Paris Garters, **25c**

The Boston Pad Garter, in silk, in pretty box, **50c**

Suspenders for men and boys, boxed at **25c** to **75c**

Combination Suspender and Garter Sets, **65c** to **$1.00**

SWEATERS

This place is called "The Sweater Store of Quincy." It sells sweaters as it buys, without a jobber's profit.

Now, don't "fall" for any of those so-called "marked down sweaters," because every reliable maker has **advanced** the price, so you see it's a cinch the retailer won't **lower** the price. Don't you think I'm right?

RALSTON SHOES for Men **AMERICAN LADY SHOES for Women**

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Dec, 23-2t

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Christmas is Nearly Here

While the minds of the small members of the family are eagerly turning towards Santa Claus and toys, the older people are thinking about that Christmas dinner.

We have several tons of extra fine TURKEYS coming in tonight and more shipments will arrive Tuesday.

These Christmas Turkeys are the best we have seen for years and the price will be reasonable.

If you are not planning on Turkey, and feel that Christmas will be just as complete without it, we will have a full line of other poultry in abundance.

REMEMBER—We are the largest purchasers of all kinds of food products in Norfolk County, and can make you better prices, quality considered than you can obtain elsewhere.

TURKEYS **DUCKS**

GEESE **CHICKENS**

FOWL **Fresh Pork**

Here Are Things You'll Need

Baldwin Apples 29c pk

Fancy Table Apples 20c doz

Imported Turkey Figs 20c lb

Malaga Table Raisins 30c pkg

Jersey Sweet Potatoes 6 lbs 25c

Fine Hubbard Squash 3c lb

Hot House Lettuce 5c head

R & R Plum Pudding 25c can

Sweet Florida Oranges 26c doz

Fancy Grape Fruit Large 3 for 25c Medium 5c each

California Layer Raisins 15c lb

Boston Market Celery 15c bunch

White Cape Turnips 2c lb

Best Native Onions 4 qts 15c

Cape Cranberries 10c qt

L. & J. Mince Meat 25c Mason Jar

Xmas Candy 2 lb box 25c

Xmas Trees Xmas Wreaths

R. E. FOY & CO.

Dec. 23-2t

A STITCH IN TIME

Quincy People Should not Neglect Their Kidneys.

No kidney ailment is unimportant. Don't overlook the slightest backache or urinary irregularity. Nature may be warning you of approaching dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease. Kidney disease is seldom fatal if treated in time, but neglect may pave the way. Don't neglect a lame or aching back another day. Don't ignore dizzy spells, irregular or discolored urine, headaches, weariness or depression. If you feel you need kidney help begin using the reliable, time-tried remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills. For 50 years, Doan's have been found effective. Endorsed by Quincy people.

W. Charlesworth, 33 Cranch St., Quincy, Mass., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are certainly an effective kidney medicine. They fixed me up in good shape some years ago and since then, I have had no kidney trouble."

"When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name." Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Charlesworth had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.



$15.00

Christmas Specials

Fifteen dollars buys a 14k Solid Gold Ladies Waltham Watch, or The Best "Crescent" 14k Gold Filled Cases warranted 25 years with 15 Jewell Waltham movements.

These Christmas specials are put up in a fine Black Case with Chateline Pin "Free."

We have a Complete Line of Toilet and Manicure sets in Silver and Parisian Ivory, also Bracelets, Lockets, Neck Chains and Pendants in a great variety.

Get one of our Catalogues.

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Quincy, Mass.

HUB OVERRUN WITH CROOKS

Reaping a Harvest From Holiday Crowds of Shoppers

Boston, Dec. 23.—This city is overrun with thieves of the most desperate and dangerous type. The yeggmen are in bands of from three to five, and have not hesitated to menace the lives of their victims with loaded revolvers, in some instances firing shots and beating them.

Many arrests have been made, but few of the prisoners have been positively identified by the victims.

Burglars have made raids on the dormitories at Harvard, private residences and shops all over the city and in the suburbs, express thieves and sneak thieves are doing a thriving business, and the pickpockets and shoplifters are reaping a harvest among the holiday crowds of shoppers.

In the determined effort to apprehend the thieves every detective, plain clothes man and all the uniformed police of the city are working day and night. The city appears to be overrun with swindlers, confidence men and thieves of every known character, and women highwaymen, even, are reported to be operating in the vicinity of Boston.

DESIGNATED TO KILL KING

Young Italian Anarchist Preferred to End His Own Career

Rome, Dec. 23.—The Giornale d'Italia publishes a sensational story to the effect that a young anarchist, Henry Del Ferrol of San Giovanni, near Bologna, who was designated by lot to assassinate King Victor Emmanuel, attempted to commit suicide rather than carry out his mission.

Ferrol, says the paper, is now in a hospital in a serious condition.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists Price, 75c. per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

MILLIONS LOST BY INVESTORS

Stock Frauds Are Said to Have Reached $150,000,000

DOINGS OF STERLING COMPANY

Said to Have Netted Over $10,000,000 to Those Interested In Alleged Sale of Fake Stock—Fully Twelve Hundred Individuals Indicted, One a Former Mill President

Boston, Dec. 23.—In branding the Sterling Debenture company as "one of the worst frauds ever perpetrated on the American people," Postmaster General Hitchcock said that "during the last two years fully 1200 individuals have been indicted, and it is estimated that approximately $150,000,000 has been filched from the American people by fraudulent operators." He referred to the department's crusade against fraudulent stock-selling firms.

"The operations of these concerns, though large, are not to be compared with those of the Sterling Debenture company," Hitchcock said. "It has taken the department two years to bring this case to a conclusion."

The postmaster general's statement declared the Sterling company had probably sold $33,000,000 worth of stock, "and an enormous amount of this was of fake concerns." The Debenture company had been in existence for six years, and over $10,000,000 is said to have been "cleaned up" by sale of fake stock.

Every indication of a hard fight on the part of the defense was apparent when Frank E. Winchell, former president of the Oxford Linen mills at North Brookfield, was arraigned in this city before United States Commissioner Hayes, charged with being a fugitive from justice in connection with the government's raid on the Sterling company's offices in New York.

Winchell, through his attorney, Mr. Rubenstein, entered a plea of not guilty and was bailed in $2000, which was furnished by a local surety company. Incidentally Rubenstein notified Hayes that he was not ready to admit the identity of the prisoner as the man named in the indictment, even though Winchell himself already had admitted to the commissioner that he was Frank E. Winchell.

The prisoner was arrested at North Brookfield. Named in the same complaint was Benjamin C. Mudge, now president of the Oxford mills. Deputy United States Marshal Bancroft, who arrested Winchell, was unable to get Mudge. The latter left West Brookfield for New York before the marshal reached his home.

BUYS HOME FOR WIFE

Jack Johnson Invades Exclusive Summer Colony of Chicagoans

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Lake Geneva, Wis., Chicago society's exclusive summer colony, has been invaded by John A. Johnson, negro champion pugilist of the heavyweight variety, who has purchased the magnificent bungalow that was the home of the late Helen M. Sherman. The sale was made by the estate and the deal was closed without the identity of the purchaser being known.

Johnson paid $35,000 for the property for a Christmas present for his new white wife, Lucille Cameron, and with her will spend the holidays there, beginning Tuesday.

ESCAPES WITH BURNS

Lineman Receives 2300 Volts While Hanging on to Live Wire

Revere, Mass., Dec. 23.—While working on a pole at Revere Beach Andrew Melanson, a lineman, grasped a live wire with both hands. He was unable to let go, nor could he be released until the current had been turned off at the central station.

In spite of the fact that there were 2300 volts of electricity in the wire Melanson escaped with nothing worse than serious and painful burns upon his hands.

The electricity did not pass through his body at all. He was hurried to a hospital and his burns received medical attention.

Fire Chief Drops Dead

Boston, Dec. 23.—District Chief Robert Ritchie of the Boston fire department dropped dead last night in his quarters on Fireboat Engine 47. He was stricken with hemorrhage of the brain and died before he could be given medical assistance.

Strike In Krupp Shipyards

Kiel, Dec. 23.—A great strike has broken out at Krupp's Shipbuilding yards. More than half of the men left their employment, tying up the work of construction of three German battleships.

Former School Head a Suicide

Skowhegan, Me., Dec. 23.—Charles Tilton, aged 50, superintendent of the Bangor schools until last spring, committed suicide at his home here by shooting through the head.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

5 VOTES 5

NAME

STREET

PLACE

PRIZE GOES TO WILLIAMS

Wins Vote Certificate in the Washington Contest

OTHERS DOING GREAT WORK

Several large gains were made in the Washington contest today but Fred D. Williams has increased his lead; he put in 3,250 today, wholly by coupons and his grand total is 20,940.

Sturgis Hunt is doing good work, and his gain of 2,040 today makes his grand total 13,120.

Third in gain today was A. R. MacKay with 1,375 and his friends say he is sure to win one of the prizes.

Mrs. Marnock is fourth in gain today with 385, while Miss Morrissett added 260 and Mrs. Lamont 240.

Ted Keohane more than double his total of Saturday, and has passed two rivals, Richard Larkin of the High school has also moved up two numbers and Harry Burr six numbers.

Gains were also made by H. S. Pelton, L. Lindville, L. D. Duncan, Jr., R. M. Harmon, Michael P. Barry and George A. McDonnell.

PRIZE AWARDED.

The prize certificate, good for 300 votes, offered for the biggest gain during the week ending at 9 A. M. Dec. 23, is awarded to Fred D. Williams, the gains being as follows:

Williams	4100
Hunt	3060
MacKay	2475
Kessler	775
Morrissett	640
Marnock	615

ANOTHER PRIZE

A larger vote certificate is offered as a prize this week—one good for 500 votes—for the "biggest gain" during the week ending at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 30. Any candidate has as good a chance as another to win this prize.

A certificate good for 1000 votes is given for each year's subscription to the Daily Ledger. Old or new subscribers may pay for one year, two years or five years and thus help their friends in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	20940
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	13120
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	4270
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2790
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	2300
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	1810
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1305
Galen Bowditch, messenger	540
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	495
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kelvin court	360
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Sam Shellman, Granite street	290
Richard Larkin, High school	185
Ethel Randall, stenographer	165
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	130
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	120
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	125
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	95
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	90
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Michael P. Barry Fire dept.	85
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	85
Williaim Erickson, F. of A.	85
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	85
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	80
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod.	80
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
John H. Hart, timekeeper	75
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	70
William Kelley, conductor	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	65
William Allen, Eagles	65
B. L. Smith, Fore River ,	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
George Powers, Fore River	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	50
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	50
John Evans, Progressive	50
Walter Mead, High school	50
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	45
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	45
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Clara Stoddard, S. of V. Aux.	40
J. McCullough, shipyard	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
Richard H. Joyce, West Quincy	25
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	20
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Robert Brown, "Wet wash"	10
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	5
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Lester Sprague, 410 Washington St.	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5
A. I. Dixon, Fat Men's Club	5
Belle A. Laing, Bedford St.	5

"Vote early and often."

DROP IN SHOE SHIPMENTS

Brockton Shows Loss of 110,000 Cases as Compared With Last Year

Brockton, Mass., Dec. 23.—The shoe shipments from Brockton for 1912 will amount to about 676,000 cases, a loss of 110,000 cases compared with 1911. This is the biggest drop in a year's shipments in the history of the city.

For several years the shipments have been falling off, and the total shipment this year is the smallest since 1904, when the shoe business of Brockton was in the midst of a slump.

Killed by Shifting Engine

Providence, Dec. 23.—William Mohan, aged 20, employed at the Nicholson File company's works, was killed when a New Haven switching locomotive ran over his breast.

☞Get busy now and shop at home. Look over the stock of local merchants. They need the trade and you need their stores. Be one to show your civic pride by shopping at home.

Christmas

Plants and Flowers

Azaleas, Poinsettias, Begonias
Syclamens, Primroses, Hyacinths
Pinks, Roses, Violets

EVERGREENS OF ALL KINDS

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Dec. 14-9t

Christmas Suggestions

Greet your eye when you enter our store, which is the most important Jewelry Store between Boston and Brockton. No Fake Bargain Counters.

JUST HONEST GOODS AT HONEST PRICES

HUNDREDS OF WATCHES FOR BOYS
$1.00, $1.50, $2.00
FOR LARGER BOYS
$3.00, $4.50, $5.00, $7.00, $9.00, $10
FOR MEN AND WOMEN
$5.00 to $50.00
CLOCKS, All Kinds, All Prices

SILVER-WARE
A Wonderful Display
BRILLIANT CUT GLASS.
Hundreds of NEW and Beautiful
RINGS. SCARF PINS.
CUFF LINKS
CHAINS, LOCKETS, CHARMS.

RICH MANICURE SETS
JEWEL CASES, ALBUMS
CARVING SETS
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With Detachable Handles

WILLIAMS, Your Jeweler

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A BOSTON STORE RIGHT AT YOUR DOOR

Inquire by Telephone, Quincy, 987-W

OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL CHRISTMAS.



HUB'S LIQUOR BUSINESS

Conclusions and Recommendations of the Excise Board

Boston, Dec. 23.—The Boston licensing board, in whose department $146,000,000 is involved in fees, real estate, and other investments, in its yearly report reaches the following conclusions:

Sunday drinking places of some kind are necessary to supply the demand in Boston; drug license a gross injustice both to city and to holders of liquor licenses; fee of $1 for drug license absurd; recent laws of little value applied to conditions in Boston; twelve druggists in one section of the city sell as much liquor as one wholesaler would; increased sale of liquor as result of bar and bottle bill.

The board recommends:

Sale of liquor by druggists limited to doctors' prescriptions; 12 o'clock privilege to restaurants which serve same kind of food found at best hotels but at cheaper prices; restaurants licensed to sell liquors on Sunday under second class licenses as substitutes for "5-cent salted sandwich" cheap hotels and kitchen barrooms.

FISKS ARE REMARRIED

Bride of a Week Not Satisfied With the Civil Ceremony

New York, Dec. 23.—Augustus R. Fisk of Woodstock, Vt., son of Charles J. Fisk, the New York banker, accompanied by his bride of a week, who was Mrs. Barbara K. Cobb of Boston, drove to Jersey City and obtained from Joseph Carlin, register of the board of health, a license to marry.

Fisk's first wife divorced him in Windsor, Vt., last June, and when Rev. Howard N. Brown, pastor of King's Chapel of Boston, was asked to marry him to Mrs. Cobb, the minister refused.

The ceremony then was performed by Frederick C. Ingalls, justice of the peace, of Boston, and Mr. and Mrs. Fisk came to New York.

Mrs. Fisk was not content with a civil ceremony and insisted that she be remarried by a minister. To simplify matters, the couple decided on a Jersey license. The ceremony was performed in Jersey City today by a regularly ordained minister.

Her Last Card.

"I want a new bonnet, but my husband says he can't afford it."

"Is that final, do you suppose?"

"He says it is, but I won't know until tonight."

"Going to get a definite answer then?"

"Yes. I'm going to settle it one way or the other. I'm going to start to cry when he gets home, and if that doesn't work there'll be no new bonnet."—Detroit Free Press.

IN CHOOSING

GIFTS FOR MEN

ABOVE ALL ELSE YOU SHOULD KEEP IN MIND

SOMETHING USEFUL

Then You Will Be Sure of Highest Appreciation

¶ Because it is man's nature to be practical; to value any article in proportion to the SERVICE it gives him.

¶ And where else can you find so many things of this character as in

Ames' Hardware Store?

POCKET CUTLERY

Our complete stock represents the best lines possible to secure: the quality which gets good service, complete satisfaction.

25c to $2.00

SHAVING HELPS

A full stock of the best OLD STYLE and SAFETY RAZORS

RAZOR STROPS - 25c to $2.50
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FINE CARVERS

Always sharp and ready for use. $2.00 to $5.00

Carpenter's and Mechanic's Tools

You really will find it difficult to select anything that will better meet the wishes of the average man than something of this character. And we know there is NO BETTER PLACE in this section so good as this store to secure high-class goods at moderate cost.

Scissors, Thermometers, Food Choppers, Sad Irons
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5 GRANITE STREET, CITY SQUARE

Merry Christmas at Fowle & Co.

We have prepared our stock with care and invite your inspection of our

CHRISTMAS NECKWEAR CHRISTMAS APRONS
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We have a host of other things suitable for gifts for all members of the family.

1363 Hancock Street Quincy Square

GET THE HELP QUINCY GROW HABIT

Executor's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a license granted by the Probate Court for the County of Norfolk, dated November 27, 1912, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Monday, December 30th, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described parcel of real estate of Lodoiski H. Jocelyn Winne, deceased, to wit:—a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on a private way now known as Hersey Place, in Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded as follows: beginning at the corner of land now or late of Newcomb, thence running a little east of north along land now or late of Bennett, 59.4 feet to a stone bound; thence running a little south of east 83.2 feet to a stone bound; thence running a little west of south along land now or late of Bushnell, 49.33 feet; thence running northwesterly along land now or late of Newcomb, 82.3 feet to point of beginning, containing 4480 square feet, more or less being lot No. 1 on plan of land of Thaddeus H. Newcomb by H. T. Whitman, C. E., dated August 8, 1903, duly recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 954, page 472; and being subject to and with the benefit of a right of way to Washington Street.

$300. will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, and the balance in ten days from date of sale on delivery of the deed.

LINCOLN A. COOK, Executor of the will of Lodoiski H. Jocelyn Winne.

Charles H. Wilson, Attorney, Savings Bank Bldg. Quincy, Mass.

3t 9-16-23

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Annie P. L. Backman late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Edward S. Robenolt special administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County, on the twenty-sixth day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
3t 13-16-23

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lemuel Phillips late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Florina M. Collamore the administratrix of the estate not already administered of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the final account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the first day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Dec. 16-3t 16, 23, 30

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lemuel Phillips late of Quincy in said County deceased:

Whereas Francis Collamore the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented for allowance the final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased said account being rendered by Florina M. Collamore Administratrix of the Estate of Francis Collamore deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Jedham in said County, on the first day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

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JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Dec. 16-3t 16, 23, 30

☞After you have done your Christmas shopping it is good policy to do up your gifts. White wrapping paper at the Ledger Office at 2 cents a sheet. tf

LITTLE FOLKS MADE HAPPY

Montclair Youngsters Had a Great Party Saturday

Mrs. William Burns of Montclair entertained about sixty young people of that section Saturday afternoon from three until five o'clock in Association hall. The hall was tastefully decorated with red and green streamers and the beautiful Christmas tree laden with good things was one of the features of the afternoon. Candy, nuts, bananas, oranges, fancy crackers, cake and ice cream were served and each little heart was delighted with a stocking full of candy and a gift, the girls receiving hair ribbons and the boys fancy handkerchiefs. The matrons were Mrs. Arthur, Mrs. Grass, Mrs. Fred Kessler and Mrs. Hayden.

BRIEFS

City Solicitor J. W. McAnarney returned Sunday night from a business trip to Chicago.

The annual charity dancing party of the Quincy Catholic club will be held in Alpha hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Edric F. Young are entertaining Mr. Young's brother, Silas Young of Orleans, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Call of Holbrook road, Wollaston, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Miss Ruth Gifford of the Quincy Mansion school is spending the Christmas vacation with relatives in New York.

Miss May L. Gavin and Miss Helen Gavin of Irving place left today for New York for the Christmas and New Years' holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. French have moved from 31 to 21 Clay street into the house recently occupied by the Edward S. Wales.

Miss Louise E. Lummis of the Quincy Mansion school has gone to Baltimore and New York for the Christmas vacation.

Miss Marguerite Louise Holbrook of Bellevue Park is entertaining her vocal and piano pupils at a Christmas party on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Phelan are now occupying their new home on Standish avenue, corner of Warren avenue, built by George E. Thomas.

The Edward S. Wales of Clay street have moved into the house on Warren avenue which they purchased recently of Mrs. Wales' father, David Phelan.

William Westland who underwent a serious surgical operation at the City Hospital a few days ago is reported as doing nicely and on the road to recovery.

The regular stated conclave of Quincy Commandery K. T. will be held in Masonic appartments tonight. The business of the evening will be the Order of the Temple and Order of Malta.

DISTRICT COURT.

Leo J. Ownes, Harry Thompson, William F. Ross, Elmer Frishee, James Richie, Alfred O. Ford, Alexander Ducher, William Butler and Arthur McLeod were fined $5 each, Thomas C. Lynn $10 and George Whealan $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

DETAILED TO THE ARCTIC

Ensign Green Will Accompany the Crocker Land Exposition

Washington, Dec. 23.—Ensign Fitz-Hugh Green, U. S. N., has been detailed to accompany to the Arctic the "Crocker land exposition," which sets out next July. He will act as topographer and physiographer.

This latest Arctic enterprise purposes to establish the existence of and to survey a body of land commonly called Crocker island, which Explorer Peary reported he had seen in 1906 from Cape Thomas Hubbard at a distance of about 196 miles across the ice. Adjoining territory also will be explored and mapped.

Destroyer Balch Launched

Philadelphia, Dec. 23.—The torpedo boat destroyer Balch was launched from the Cramp shipyard. Miss Grace Balch, a descendant of Commodore Balch, christened the vessel. The destroyer is 300 feet long, thirty-one feet beam, and the contract calls for a speed of thirty knots an hour.

MY WIFE'S BIRTHDAY

By CARL SARGENT CHASE

"My dear," I said to my wife, "next Thursday will be your birthday. You know how busy I am and how the furnishing of gifts for members of the family distresses me. Bobby must have a birthday gift for you as well as me, and I must provide his as well as mine. Will you please relieve me of the responsibility by buying something for me to give you and something for Bobby to give you?"

This was not displeasing to my wife, for she is a frugal woman and would rather buy gifts for herself than that I should buy them for her, fearing that I would be too extravagant in the matter. Besides, she has for some time provided the family gifts for birthdays and Christmas. However, there is one feature of the matter that needs careful attention. Our boy, Bobby, aged ten, is not taken into the secret. He is supposed to assume that I buy his and my own gifts for his mother.

On this anniversary, being very much engaged, after throwing the burden on my wife's shoulders I did not even take the precaution to have the usual consultation with Bob as to what I should procure for him for his mother's birthday. The day before the anniversary came round I suddenly remembered the matter, reminded him of it and asked him what he would like to give. He prefers to pay for his gifts out of his own money and, having an eye to business, suggested candy, well knowing that nine-tenths of it would go into his own stomach. He gave me the money for the purchase, and I straightway informed his mother of his choice, telling her just what kind of sweets he preferred for her, or, rather, for himself.

My wife left a box containing my gift for her in my closet, and so busy was I that I never thought to look at it. The afternoon before her birthday we walked out together, and during the walk she dropped in at a candy store and, finding a better article than Bob had suggested for less money, bought it, carefully instructing me as to the reasons I should give Bob for the change from his order.

That evening I took Bob into my study, shut the door so that his mother could not overhear our conversation and showed him the candy, explaining at the same time why the change had been made. Unfortunately I told him double the price paid. He heard me through then said:

"Papa, I didn't suppose you would allow any one to make such a guy of you."

"What do you mean?" I asked, quite taken aback.

"To charge you 50 cents for half a pound of candy."

Not being able to explain the matter, I tried to get out of it by directing his attention elsewhere, so I took the box containing my own present for his mother from the closet and began to open it.

Now, it suddenly occurred to me that I was ignorant of the contents of that box. While unwrapping it Bob asked me several times what it was.

"You shall see," I said. But the impatient Bob did not see, for there was a knot in the string that bound it which I found it difficult to untie, so I kept repeating, "You shall see, my boy, what it is if you will only be patient."

When I got the cover off I discovered that the gift had been packed in excelsior, and I was obliged to hunt for it. This caused more delay, during which Bob continued to ask "What is it?" and I to reply "You shall see." But I was cornered after all, for when I produced a little round glass receptacle profusely gilded, with a hole in the cover, I didn't know what it was.

"What is it, papa?" again Bob queried, this time with a new meaning, for he had never seen one of the kind before any more than I had.

Here was a pretty predicament. I had bought a present for mother without knowing to what use it was to be put. That was a dead giveaway. I looked it over, turned it upside down and took off the lid, but for the life of me I could not make out for what it was intended. Finally I hazarded:

"Why, don't you know what that is, Bob? Why, it's a—a thing a lady puts on her bureau to hold powder, and that hole in the top is for the handle of the thing she puts the stuff on her face with. The handle sticks out through the hole."

Having said this I directed Bob's attention again to his own present, and he asked me if it would be allowable for him to take just one.

Having staggered through the matter with Bob and come out whole by the skin of my teeth, I went to his mother and said:

"For heaven's sake! Why didn't you tell me what was the gift you had bought for me to give you and what it was for?"

"I did, but you forgot."

"What is the thing anyway? I told Bob it was for face powder."

"It's a hair receiver."

"What's a hair receiver?"

"It's to put the hairs in that come out of a woman's head when she combs her hair."

"Do they go in at the hole in the top?"

"Of course."

"Well, we've escaped this time, but don't you ever buy any more presents for yourself or any one else without telling the giver beforehand what they are and what for."

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

LEMON CAKES.

LEMON cakes are simple pastries that have the advantage of being suitable to serve with almost any winter dessert, whether it be an ice, a fresh or a preserved fruit.

The lemon cake may be a plain or elaborate one or may be in the form of small cakes that may be given to the kiddies freely without fear of disastrous after effects.

A Nice Layer Cake.

Lemon Layer Cake.—Take the yolks of five eggs and the whites of four, two cupfuls each of flour and powdered sugar, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar and a half teaspoonful of baking soda. Beat the yolks of eggs until they are thick and light colored and stir in the sugar gradually. Then add the whites of eggs and the flour with which the cream of tartar and soda have been sifted. Bake in oblong pans.

A filling for the cake is made thus: Beat the whites of two eggs to a froth, add powdered sugar sufficient to neutralize the acidity of the lemons. Then stir in the grated rind of a lemon and the juice of two.

Cookies and Batter Cakes.

Lemon Cookies.—Take one pound of flour or enough for stiff dough, one-quarter pound of butter, one pound of powdered sugar, juice of two lemons, grated peel of one, three eggs, whipped very light. Stir butter, sugar, lemon juice and peel to a light cream. Beat at least five minutes before adding the yolks of the eggs. Whip them in thoroughly, put in the whites, lastly the flour. Roll out about an eighth of an inch in thickness and cut into round cakes. Bake quickly.

Lemon Batter Cake.—Take a cupful of butter, two cupfuls of sugar, six eggs, a pint and a quarter of flour, a teaspoonful of baking powder, a tablespoonful of lemon juice or extract of lemon. Rub the butter and sugar to a cream, add the eggs two at a time, beating in five minutes between each addition; add the flour sifted with the baking powder and then stir in the lemon. Mix to a medium batter and bake in paper lined tins in a moderate oven for about forty minutes.

A Splendid Sponge Cake.

Lemon Sponge Cake.—Take five eggs, one and one-quarter cupfuls of sugar, one and one-half cupfuls of sifted flour, the juice and grated rind of half a lemon and a pinch of salt. Beat yolks and sugar together until very light and lemon colored. Add lemon juice, grated rind and salt. Beat the whites to a stiff froth and add them alternately, with the flour, to the other materials. Stir and fold in gently from the sides of the bowl so as not to break the froth. Fill your cake tin about half full and place in an oven not quite hot enough to bake, leaving the door ajar until it rises almost to the top of the pan. Then close the door and bake about three-quarters of an hour.

COOKING SWEET POTATOES.

SWEET potatoes when cooked right are exceedingly palatable. They are best baked. If boiled the skins should remain on until they are cooked. Then they should be pared and allowed to dry in a moderate oven before serving. If desired they may be riced. It always cooked in these few simple ways, however, the potatoes become monotonous. Some unusual recipes for cooking this vegetable are given here.

Potatoes and Nuts.

Sweet Potato Molds.—Take six medium sized sweet potatoes and boil until tender. Then peel and mash, adding one teaspoonful of powdered sugar, two tablespoonfuls melted butter, one saltspoonful salt, a pinch of paprika and one-half cupful chopped nut meats. Beat with a fork until very light and then fold in quickly the stiffly whipped whites of two eggs. Pour into molds or individual baking dishes and set in a pan of hot water for twenty minutes.

Scalloped Sweet Potatoes.—Take cold sweet potatoes, slice these and arrange them in a baking dish, buttering each layer well and sprinkling with light brown sugar. Pour in about half a cupful of hot water, cover and bake half an hour, uncover and crisp on top.

Fancy Fried Sweet Potatoes.

Spiced Fried Sweet Potatoes.—Take three or four medium sized sweet potatoes, boil these; then pare and cut in pieces the size of a nutmeg. Place in a frying pan one-half cupful of brown sugar and one-quarter cupful butter. Cook the potatoes in this mixture till the whole is soft. Cook slowly, shaking the pan occasionally to keep them from burning.

Sweet Potato Croquettes.—Take six medium sized sweet potatoes, boil and peel and when perfectly cold mash them fine and mix with one tablespoonful butter and two eggs. Season with a half teaspoonful salt and a quarter teaspoonful white pepper. Mixing all together, form the potatoes into cork shaped croquettes or into small balls the size of a walnut. Dip them into beaten egg and roll in breadcrumbs. Fry in hot fat to fine golden color.

Anna Thompson

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Mr. Mellen has made an explanation and there have been numerous contradictions, which leaves the situation much the same as it was before.

A house divided against itself cannot expect to make much headway. Houghs Neck residents should get together and agree on a common plan and they will get something.

The dock committee will submit its report tonight. It is rather a matter of doubt if the Council will take action on it at this late day.

The thugs are getting quite lively in Boston, a reminder of their successful activities a few years ago.

The Harvard employees would welcome a Christmas holiday every week judging from the Harvest it produces.

The Ledger wishes its many readers a Merry Christmas and happy New Year.

The Wilson cabinet makers are still on the job.

The train chance companion who is ever ready to start up a conversation and air his views is somewhat in the nature of a bore after a time.

If there is any danger of that building in Boston collapsing, the best thing to do is to haul it down before some one is hurt.

It is easier to pay land damages than to repair broken bones or bring one back to life.

A war correspondent anxious to cover the entire field is naturally annoyed by the long jump from the Balkans to Mexico.

There is reason to believe that San Francisco is to have a perfectly normal exposition. Anyway, its managers are already indulging in clashes.

To elect Mr. Wilson required $1,000,000 and a divided opposition.

The gentlemen who are now learnedly suggesting plans for disposing of Bryan are the same who sat meekly by last summer and watched him boss the Baltimore convention.

Fifty red-haired girls acted as sponsors at the launching of a steamboat at Philadelphia. This demonstration of its fire-proof qualities should reassure the traveling public.

J. P. Morgan, it is announced owns the original manuscript of Dickens' "A Christmas Carol." Shades of the late Mr. Scrooge.

Seventeen names have been given to a royal Austrian infant. It is expected that he will use them in installments.

In London it is now possible to insure against twins. Don't all apply at once.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., gives $20,000 to the investigation of the New York police force. The general public could give twice that sum for an investigation of the oil conditions and if it was properly conducted the results would more than justify the expenditure.

The egg trust beating effort in Boston did not proceed with perfect harmony. Maybe if beat up there would be something revealed besides a harmonic omelet.

Every one with a penny to spend was out on the streets in Quincy Saturday night. The scene will no doubt be duplicated Tuesday night.

The offer of $50,000 a year for 20 years for a dry dock in Boston looks big at first glance, but it only means a $1,000,000 and when this is compared with the cost of the dock what does Boston gain?

The Hickey verdict is the worst blow at the jury system that has ever been offered in this country.

The difference between three eggs is two (too) bad, but the split in the ranks of the low price egg movement in Boston is worse.

And with all the space accorded there has been a collision in the air. Which means that the flyers should observe the rules of water navigation and have side lights. Red to red, green to green and the rest of it.

Morgan's testimony is discussed. Can any sane person agree that it was worth the price?

THE CHRISTMAS SEASON.

The Christmas season is with us. "Peace on earth Good Will to men. May that sentiment prevail and flourish everywhere. It is the key note of universal happiness. So long as it it observed and practiced, naval and land preparations such as the world witnesses daily would not be necessary.

A world wide movement towards the practice of the golden rule and the desire for peace would be one that should call for hearty co-operation.

With the heartiest good will towards all, the Ledger takes this occasion to extend to the people of Quincy, a wish for a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year to all.

A CHRISTMAS PERIL.

It is now timely for the Ledger to again call attention to the acute fire danger that comes with the commonest form of Christmas observances—the Christmas tree. Every year the newspapers tell of horrible burning accidents that resulted from carelessness about the inflammable Christmas tree and its accessories. The paper, cotton or other inflammable material with which these trees are so often decorated make the very best opportunities for accidentally starting a fire. If you care to imitate snow in your Christmas decorations, use asbestos instead of cotton. The substitution may save the lives of one or more of your family. The use of candles, too, is a dangerous thing, if they are used, certainly the children should not be permitted to light or relight them. After a day or two the remaining Christmas tree itself becomes dry and quick food for fire, so that matches should always be kept from reach of the children during the entire holiday season. Beware the fire peril of the Christmas holidays!

THE DOCK PROBLEM.

According to the last returns, the dock committee had not come to any agreement. They will meet again to consider the proposition and the members hope that they will be able to come to some definite conclusion which they will report to the city council. Whatever course the committee may determine upon, either for or against the dock, it is rather a late time in the year for the City Council to act upon a proposition, involving and in sight expenditure of $100,000 with no particular knowledge of how much more may be needed. The regular sessions of the City Council close this evening. Any other sessions would have to be special and this board, has only two weeks more to operate when its existence will cease automatically. The demand is not so tremendous but what the entire matter can be held over for the consideration of the next City Council and in doing so it is not believed that the interests of either side will be jeopardized.

THE HICKEY VERDICT.

The Hickey verdict as it will go down into history is one of the most remarkable in the annals of crime in the history of this country. Far be it from any one to in an off hand way portray the workings of the mind that sent to death the innocent child of seven years. The father of the victim with commendable patience when confronted with the slayer of his boy, his joy, his treasure, without a scintilla of the vengenance which would have been justifiable in the mind of one so bereft, calmly exclaimed "I leave him in your hands satisfied that justice will be done." These are his words or words to that effect. The result.

Does any one imagine that justice has been done?

It is far more trying to discuss it without entering into a criticism of the jury which would render such a verdict. Time and again within the past few months attention has been called to the demand for a recall of the judges.

People of more or less importance in the world have openly pronounced against the jury system.

On the other hand there have been certain elements who have contended that the jury system should exist in every case. With this latter class it is needless to take issue. A jury system and a jury that stands for justice to all with favor to none, is commendable.

In the case at issue it is somewhat different.

With malice towards none and justice as the high key note of our claim to consideration we simply put this question to the average parent, was the verdict in accordance with your sense of right and justice?

There can be but one answer. Why enlarge upon it. The verdict is nation wide. Judges, jurists, people in every walk of life can have only one answer to the query which is propounded by the action of the Buffalo jury.

A body of twelve men, sitting upon this or any other case which rendered a verdict such as they rendered is not fit for the smallest consideration of humanity.

We say this without the slightest prejudice towards the unfortunate defendant. His case is one that should call for the consideration of humane treatment. With the jury it is different. Either the man was guilty of a heinous crime or else he was mentally incapable of practical organization or realization of his offense. If the latter deduction is reached then he should have been adjudged mentally unbalanced and placed beyond the scope of ever enforcing his homicidal mania. If on the other hand he was guilty with a full knowledge of his crime, the decision of the jury has no place in the criminal annals of the country. A jury that would render such a verdict in the face of the evidence adduced is a poor representation of the jury system of the country.

CHARTER AMENDMENTS.

The gentlemen who desire a change or amendment to the city charter, have arrived at a conclusion and will submit that state of mind to the legislature for consideration. The legislature will undoubtedly give a hearing on the subject. The committee conducting the hearing will want to know the sentiment of the general public in this matter.

What the public knows about the amendments and the proposed changes is mere conjecture. Yet this is a public measure in which the great mass of the public is decidedly interested. Naturally the public would like to know something of the proposed changes. Elimination of party designation, change of term of office, number of concilmen, and other things of very little consequence are not the vital things which tend for good government. The charter is all right. It is men, conditions, politics and deals, which count most towards poor government. Eliminate politics, deals, and the like and have the city's business conducted along sensible business lines and there would be no occasion for complaint of mismanagement.

MARSHALL ADAMS.

About every one in this office from the devil up or down which ever way one prefers to picture the scene has been queried about Marshall Adams Some times the questioning has been diplomatic and really it has been painful how frightfully near to thin ice some of the office have come but in each case they have skated away with colors flying and—well they have not dropped anything. It is of no particular concern to any one who Marshall Adams is. The Ledger knows him to be a perfectly reasonable and responsible citizen. The Ledger furthermore while opening its pages to a discussion of public questions will see to it that those discussions are conducted in a reasonable way and safe within the bounds of decency. Any correspondent who would reach beyond that limit need not be surprised if he fails to see his communication in print.

MRS. BLACK BURIED.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Black was held Sunday afternoon from the home of her son, Harvey B. Black of 71 North Central avenue. Services were conducted by Rev. Joseph Walther of the Wollaston Baptist church. Burial will be at Ellsworth, Maine.

FORGED CHECK ON A DARE

Woman Who Did It Sent to Penitentiary For Five Years

Kansas City, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Mabel Benson of White Water was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary because she forged a $45 check on a dare offered by her sister-in-law.

"I never refused to take a dare," she told the judge.

"I dare you to serve five years in the penitentiary," said the court. "I'm giving you the limit."

Mrs. Benson's husband is a civil engineer. She has two small children.

AMENDMENTS TO CHARTER

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in what amendments they ask. The charter in the main was considered to be all right, and the trouble was conceded to be with the City Council. It was considered that a council of 23 members was unwieldy, and that the rules under which it was working were too radical to get the best results. It was argued out that the intention of the original framers of the City Charter was for them to gather about a round table and discuss the various matters as a whole, but at the very start this idea was changed and things had been working bad ever since.

This club decided that the only things advisable was to reduce the number of members of the council and to increase the term of the Mayor to two years. This would give a Mayor time to carry out any ideas that he may have formulated when he took office. They also thought it wise that the council in a sense should be a continuous one.

The ideas arrived at by this club were communicated to the several improvement societies throughout the city and up to the present time all of these societies have agreed with the original idea of the club.

The meeting Saturday night therefor was to complete the work and prepare the petition to be presented to the legislature. Several of those expected at this meeting were detained so that only about a dozen were present. These included Mayor Stone, James S. Whiting of Wollaston, one of the instigators of the movement. J. Arthur Sparrow, William Couch, Dr. Charles S. Adams and Herbert T. Whitman of Wollaston, Dr. John F. Welch, Rupert F. Claflin, Henry M. Faxon, Clarence Burgin, Walter E. Piper and Representative William J. Leslie.

Ex-mayor Shea who for several years had preached the elimination of party designations was present at several of the meetings but was unavoidably absent Saturday evening. Mayor Stone presided and James S. Whiting was secretary. After some discussion these amendments were decided upon.

That the City Council shall consist of nine members, of which three shall be at large and one from each ward.

The councilmen at large to be elected for one, two and three year terms, the first year and thereafter one member at large for three years.

The members of the Council to receive a salary of $5 per meeting, but not to exceed $150.

The term of the Mayor to be for two years.

That party designations shall be removed from municipal elections.

These amendments, in the case of a bill being passed by the legislature, to be submitted to the voters for acceptance at the state election in November 1913 and if accepted the election of mayor, and councilmen under the amended charter to take place at the December city election.

It was also decided that these amendments should not be presented to the City Council but that the Mayor should petition the legislature direct.

As party designations are to be removed from municipal elections it is necessary a special caucus act shall be incorporated in the bill, similar to that in use at Salem, and this part of the bill will be drafted by City Solicitor McAnarney.

It is probable that the bill will be ready to be filed with the legislature sometime this week.

While the majority of those present at the meeting were in favor of the amendments it was finally decided to petition the legislature for it was not unanimous. Representative Walter E. Piper who was among those present did not object to the reducing the number of the City Council but he did object to the method by which they should be elected. He favored having all elected at large or all by wards. He also objected to the idea of removing party designations at municipal elections. The one amendment he did favor was the two year term for Mayor.

As chairman, Mayor Stone did not vote on any of the propositions but it was understood that he was not in favor of all the proposed amendments, particularly the removing of party designations, and it is understood that he is not in full accord with some of the other proposed amendments.

TREATED AT THE HOSPITAL.

Raphael Zacadelo of 141 Quincy street is at the Quincy City Hospital where he was taken Saturday evening in the police ambulance at request of Dr. Daniel B. Reardon who was called to the house and found him suffering from alcoholic poisoning. On his arrival at the hospital he was immediately treated and this morning showed signs of complete recovery. He is now under the care of Dr. N. S. Hunting of the hospital staff. The condition of the man is said to be the result of an over indulgence of "bug juice."

CHRISTMAS RUSH AT POST OFFICE

Big Jam Commenced This Morning and Will Continue

EXTRA CLERKS NECESSARY

Business at the Quincy Post office started in with a rush early this morning and if it holds at that pace all day it will keep the clerks and carriers on the jump. Starting in early this morning the main corridor was filled with people buying stamps and two clerks were kept busy passing them out. It seemed as though everybody had improved the opportuity Sunday to write letters or prepare packages for mailing. Inside the office the floor was piled high with packages that had been received for delivery and packages that were to be forwarded. Supt. Hammond had several clerks busy Sunday handling the rush of mail matter, from now until after Christmas several extra carriers will be on duty in order that no one may be disappointed in receiving their Christmas mail.

So heavy was the work at the post office Sunday that Supt. Hammond was obliged to make an extra collection at noon and at 5 o'clock a large number of pouches were sent off in addition to the regular number for warded later in the evening. Today the seven carriers who cover the outside districts have been provided with teams to help them out and in addition to this two extra carriers have been sent out from main Boston office. The use of teams and the extra carriers will also be in service on Tuesday and Wednesday. Christmas day the main office will be open as usual until 10 A. M. There will be a delivery by carrier in the morning and the usual holiday collection in the afternoon.

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HICKEY CONVICTED IN SECOND DEGREE

Court Regrets That Justice Has Not Been Done

Buffalo, Dec. 23.—The jury in the case of J. Frank Hickey, on trial for the murder of Joseph Josephs, the 7-year-old Lackawanna boy, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree. The jury had been deliberating for twenty-four hours. The verdict carries with it a sentence of life imprisonment.

Judge Brown, in discharging the jury, said: "It is extremely to be regretted that justice could not be done the defendant. The public and the court do not feel satisfied with this result. For those of you who have earnestly endeavored to procure a different result the court desires to extend to you its sincere thanks for your efforts to render justice."

GRANITE CLUB THEATRE PARTY

Members to Be Guests of Col. Kincaide Friday Night

Col. Henry L. Kincaide, proprietor of the new theatre, has invited the members of the Granite City club, of which he is a member, to be his guests at the theatre Friday evening. The members will occupy seats in the orchestra circle. Tickets for the evening will be distributed by the entertainment committee Tuesday evening.

☞White wrapping paper at 2 cents a sheet at the Ledger Office. Come early and avoid the rush. tf

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UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Most of the Christmas advertisers of the DAILY LEDGER announce that their stores will be open "EVERY EVENING UNTIL CHRISTMAS." This is for the accommodation of the general public, as some do notfind it convenient to shop during the day.

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SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCHES

Topics and Announcements For Coming Week

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

BETHANY CHURCH.

The evening service drew the usual large attendance. At half past seven all the seats in the auditorium were taken and those arriving after that hour were obliged to go into the gallery. The pastor, Rev. B. A. Willmott, delivered a brief address on the subject of the Christmas spirit. He said in part:

"There are many people who are sorry when Christmas comes around and glad when it goes away. They haven't caught the spirit of the season nor the true significance of the event which is being commemorated.

"The manner of our giving is in a measure responsible for this. Let us eliminate from our giving the calculating spirit and the spirit of commercialism. Let us put ourselves into our gifts and then indeed the joy bells will ring for ourselves and our beneficiaries. I once remarked to a country boy who was supposed to be half witted that I greatly admired the owl because it looked so grave and wise.

"Some time thereafter, as I was about to begin a religious service in a schoolhouse in walked the boy with a dead owl which he laid on the platform at my feet saying, "elder, here's your owl." He had watched and hunted owls for weeks and secured this one for me. I had the bird stuffed and, believe me my friends you haven't enough money to induce me to part with that owl. Why? Because that boy had put his personality into the gift.

"Why should our tokens of parental love—the greatest thing on earth—be given to the children through the agency of the fictitious personage, Santa Claus? Let us deal with them direct. Let the subjects of our giving include this year the poor, the lonely and the sad. Let us bring to them the ministrations of good-will and joy and thereby make it a happy Christmas for them and ourselves."

WOLLASTON M. E.

At the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday the services were well attended and the Christmas music was rendered by a large chorus choir with Mrs. F. G. Bennett as organist. Geo. Critchley, cornetist and Miss Marguerite Louise Holbrook soloist. The music was of a high order and well rendered. Great credit is due to all who took part as well as to the leader who drilled them. Many and well deserved commendations were heard for the musical treat of the day. Rev. Wesley Wiggin, the pastor took for his theme at the morning service "A New Conception of Life." He said in part: There was no one to care for the poor Hebrew mother. There was no place in the inn for the parents of Jesus. It was the time of tax gathering. The city was full of guests. Every available room was occupied. "Foxes have holes and the birds of the air have nests but the Son of man hath not where to lay his head. Think of the result of the birth. The tidings of joy for all humanity. Not for a favored few, a particular class.

There was no place for our Lord. History repeats itself. The world is not much different today. There is no place for the Lord in many hearts today. There is room for business, room for pleasure, room for amusements but no room for Christ.

The announcement of the angels gave a new conception of life because it gave a new conception of God. The Jews expected a revelation of God as a God of war, one who would be strong enough to break the Roman yoke of slavery and set them free, to satisfy their own selfish desires and passions. They had not thought of God as a God of peace and Good Will Men knew that God was holy, and full of power. Now they learn that He is a God of love, self-sacrificing, suffering, kind and considerate to the needs of mankind.

How changed the whole world seems to be. Christ was born, God incarnate in the human flesh. He comes not with the sword but with peace. Christ born in the heart gives new conception of God, new relation to God, and new ideas of God.

This announcement gave promise of a new humanity. Man's moral nature through sin becomes weak. Christ born within turns chaos into order, and brings symetry out of discord and joy out of sorrow. Christ's gift to the world makes possible a humanity redeemed. Humanity without God is lost but with Christ it becomes humanity regained.

The announcement of the angels gave new inspiration of life. It awakens new possibilities in the heart of man. Possibilities of enlightenment, freedom, progress and a world wide peace. A new force has come into our lives.

The Sunday school was in charge of F. G. Bennett, assistant superintendent who summed up the lesson with appropriate illustrations for the day. Miss Holbrook sang "The Peace of God's Love." All the classes were well represented with the Royal Daughters and the Wiggin Bible class taking the lead.

At six o'clock a large audience assembled to enjoy the excellent concert which reflected great credit on the committee which consisted of Miss Nettie Crittenden, Miss Myrtle Starbird and Miss Margaret Louise Holbrook. The following is the program which was listened to with marked attention:

Hymn 112 by the audience.
"A Wish," Lucile Belcher.
Chorus by school, No. 11.
"A Present for Mother," Elizabeth Morgan.
Song by Plaides Girls.
Chorus by school No. 5.
"A World of Love," Myron Lane.
"Promises fulfilled," five girls.
Anthem by the choir.
"Slighted," Ruth Cornell.
"Kind Deeds," Stanley Sutermeister.
Hymn 110 by audience.
Chorus by school.
"A Christmas Gift," Clement Ewertz.
Song by Primary Department.
Offering,—solo, "The Prince of Peace" Miss Margaret Louise Hilbrook.
Address, Rev. Fred B. Morgan.
Chorus by school, No. 15.
"Five Little Candles," Miss Crittenden's class.
"Merry Christmas," Ethel Crosby.
"What I'd Do," Frank Penor.
"The Story I Love Best," Louis Parlee.
Chorus by school No. 24.
"Christmas Star" by twelve girls.

Mr. Morgan's remarks were greatly enjoyed by the large audience as he related incidents of his work when a missionary. At the close of his remarks he sang "Jesus loves me this I know" in Malay which was thoroughly enjoyed.

The Sunday school holds its Christmas tree exercises in the vestry this evening at 7.30 o'clock. Santa Claus will be present and distribute the presents to all present.

Thursday evening at 7.45 o'clock the regular prayer meeting will be held. These meetings have been largely attended and full of interest during the past few months. The subject for this week will be Christmas, what should it mean to each of us.?

Rev. Wentworth F. Stewart, D. D. of Boston will preach morning and evening. Mr. Stewart is one of the most popular preachers of today with a national reputation. He is preacher, lecturer and author. Says Bishop Theo. S. Henderson, of Chatamooga, Wentworth Stewart is a princely preacher. The Houlton Pioneer says, in speaking of Mr. Stewart's address, "It was a masterpiece from this silver tongue orator."

Kirk Waldo Robbins, Prof. Philosophy and Biblical Literature, Cornell College, says "Wentworth F. Stewart is one of the greatest preachers I have ever heard, and I have listened to him preach about eighty times." Be sure to hear him. He will preach next Sunday also Tuesday evening Dec. 31, Wednesday evening Jan. 1, Thursday evening Jan. 2, and Friday evening Jan. 3. This will be Mr. Stewart's first appearance in Wollaston.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

Christmas Sunday was beautifully observed at the morning service by a large congregation. The church was elaborately decorated with Christmas greens and large bunches of holly. Eighten young misses who constitute the hymn choir, occupied the front seats. Rev. Carl G. Horst conducted an impressive service consisting of scripture reading, a Christmas poem, responsive readings from the Psalms, prayers, and an appropriate sermon. The choir rendered "There were Shepherds" by Frank Lynes, Mrs. R. L. Turner sang a beautiful solo and a trio (Mrs. Frank A. Page, Mrs. R. L. Turner and Miss Ernestine Litchfield) sang "When the Christmas Bells are ringing" by Franz Abt. The pastor's theme was "The Persistence of Jesus" based upon the text "For they are dead that sought the young child's life," Matthew 2, 20. The sermon was a swift survey of the history of the growth of Christianity and the obstacles it had to overcome. It showed that they that sought the young child's life and opposed Christ's teaching are dead, but that Jesus persisted and that his words were never repeated with more reverence or by greater multitudes than today. The secret of Christ's power is well expressed in the words of the gospel "in him was life and the life was the light of men." He not only taught us the value of love and good will but actually lived them out himself. It is that divine life that brings us together here this morning. They that sought his life and opposed his teachings are dead, but Jesus abides and his religion abides and continues to be a power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth. God grant that the spirit which was in Jesus—the spirit of divine sonship and human brotherhood—be in us and hallow our daily lives. Amen.

The Symbolic Communion service followed the sermon, the bread being broken and the wine poured by the minister in remembrance of the life and teachings of the Christ, whose birth Christendom celebrates at this season.

In the afternoon at 4 o'clock the Sunday school held a Christmas service, consisting of the singing of Christmas carols, responsive readings, scripture reading by the superintendent, prayer by the minister and a beautiful Christmas story told by Miss Margaret E. Sayward of Dorchester.

The Sunday school holds its Christmas entertainment this evening at 6 o'clock. The entertainment will be preceded by carol singing in the church auditorium. According to our usual custom we shall make this a time the giving rather than for receiving and every member is invited to bring some gift or gifts to go to needy homes in and around Boston.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of our church will be celebrated Friday evening, Jan. 31, Saturday evening, Feb. 1, and Sunday morning, Feb. 2. It is hoped that a large number of memorial gifts may be announced at the Saturday evening service, Feb. 1.

The committee in charge meets at the minister's home on Thursday evening.

At the Good Citizenship meeting next Sunday morning at 12 o'clock. Levi Turner, a close student of sociology, will speak on "Proportional Representation."

Mrs. Garlin Spencer, a well known lecturer, as well as the director of the Summer School of Ethics in Madison, Wisconsin, and associate director of the New York school of Philanthropy, has been secured by our Social Service committee to speak in the church, Tuesday evening, Jan. 7 at 7.45 o'clock upon "The Social Function of the Churches." The public is cordially invited.

The Wollaston Ladies Aid Alliance at its meeting last week voted to present a gift in memory of its departed members to the church upon its 25th anniversary on January 31.

The quarter of a century anniversary of our church is a good time to present memorial funds, of which the income only is spent as the donor designates. Large and small contributions to our Parish House and Church Endowment funds are also solicited as anniversary gifts.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The Christmas festival of Christ church in observance of the Nativity of our Lord will begin Tuesday evening at seven o'clock with a carol service and Christmas tree. Parents and friends are especially invited.

Two services will be held Christmas day, the first at 8 o'clock, Holy Communion; and the second at 10.30, Holy Communion with sermon and special music. Whatever else Christmas may be, it is above all things a church day. It is one of the great festivals of the church year. Special hymns, the preface in the communion office, the decorations in the church, mark the day as distinct from all others. The religious significance of the day is forgotten by many at least in its observance, but churchmen will maintain its meaning as first of all a day of worship. No good and loyal churchman will allow the day to pass without receiving communion.

ST. CHRYSOSTOMS.

The Christmas tree and service for the Sunday school will take place on Christmas eve at 6.00 o'clock. Parents are cordially invited to come with their children to this service.

Members of the school are requested to bring with them their Advent mite boxes which will be collected at this time. The contents of the boxes is the School's Christmas gift to the parish, and is designed for the parish house fund. It is requested that the name of the scholar, or class, be written upon every box, so that the credit for the stars upon the chart may be duly recorded.

After the tree the upper classes are invited to a Christmas party to be given for them in the parish rooms. Mr. Briggs and Mrs. Parlee are seeing to it that this party will be a merry one with a good time for everyone.

At 7.00 o'clock on Christmas day there will be an early celebration of the Holy Communion. Again at 10.00 o'clock the Holy Communion will be celebrated in connection with shortened morning prayer and address. It is hoped that every communicant will be able to attend one of these services.

The regular monthly missionary meeting of the Guild will be held in parish rooms on Thursday of this week instead of Wednesday, which is Christmas, at half past two.

FIRST CHURCH.

It was a most unique and interesting service which was held yesterday morning by the First Congregational Society in the old "Stone Temple" in City Square.

On account of Sunday falling this year on Dec. 22nd, the day of the landing of the Pilgrims in 1620, the services in the old church were in special commemoration of "Forefather's Day." It was especially appropriate in this ancient church which is nearing its 275th anniversary, and among the large congregation present were a considerable number whose families have been worshippers there for nine generations.

The minister, Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, took for his text the first verse of the 44th chapter of the Apocryphal book of Ecclesiasticus, "Let us now praise famous men, and the fathers who begat us!"

He touched briefly upon the well known historic incidents connected with the voyage and landing of the Pilgrims, and read from Gov. Bradford's diary portions of the compact signed by them in the cabin of the Mayflower, which he characterized as not merely the forerunner, but also the model of our state and federal constitutions.

He called attention especially to the fact that this document, providing for the enactment and enforcement of laws in the new colony was signed by all the adult males, and, in the words "by virtue hereof" was the first assertion of that pure democracy—a "government deriving its just powers from the consent of the governed," which afterward found its full expression in the American Declaration of Independence.

At the time, he said, the world didn't understand what was happening. It didn't know that a new nation was being born. But he traced the gradual development of power in this new expression of liberty until 150 years later its drum beat was heard at Lexington, its opening shots were fired on Concordbridge and BunkerHill, its inspiration created armies and called forth a leader, who finally at Yorktown, struck the final blow which made the signers of the compact in the cabin of the Mayflower, the founders of an empire. And then the world began to understand. Following the American Revolution he passed in quick review the successive steps in the growth of liberty in Europe and the far East, which he thought it not fanciful to regard as coming in line of direct succession to the struggle for freedom in the western world.

Mr. Hudson then called attention to the frightful sufferings and difficulties which had to be endured by the Pilgrims and asked whence came the undaunted courage and the resolute purpose which sustained them through every trial. He found the answer in the religious covenant adopted by them before leaving England, which he read to the congregation. Two great principles, he said, appeared in this covenant which in all ages had been the source of human greatness: "Faith in God as their refuge and support, and the recognition of their own moral obligation "to walk in all his ways, known or to be made known unto them according to their best endeavor." Faith and Duty! These, he said, were the two great guiding stars in the destiny of the nation; and woe would betide our civilization if we suffer them to be lost out of the firmament of modern life.

In the same connection he read the ancient covenant of the First Congregational Society and made an earnest appeal to those of the present generation to maintain the noble traditions of the past.

On next Sunday the regular Christmas service will be held, which was postponed for the service of Forefathers Day.

This afternoon Quincy Alliance held a Christmas party in the chapel of First church for children who would not otherwise participate in Christmas festivities.

Tomorrow the Sunday school of the church holds its annual carol service and Christmas tree exercises in the chapel at half past six.

Christmas Sunday will be observed on Dec. 29, with special music and a sermon appropriate to the season.

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PRESENTED GOLD PENDANT

Miss Grossman Remembered by Young Friends

The younger Jewish residents of the city tendered Miss Ettta Grossman of the class of 1915 a surprise party Sunday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grossman of 22 Federal avenue. To the number of 30 they invaded the home and until a late hour spent many pleasurable moments.

A gold pendant, the Christmas gift of the party to Miss Grossman, was presented by Sydney Litchman. All united in extending their best wishes after she made a pretty speech of acceptance.

Refreshments were served and a general entertainment was participated in by all. The committee was Miss Marion Litchman, Leo Cutler and Sydney Grossman.

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QUINCY MERCHANTS ARE INVITED

To view exhibits in the show window of the Quincy Daily Ledger—one by the Merchant's Association of Salem, and one by the Merchant's Association of Lynn. Just note how the Business Men in these cities are pulling together.

IT IS THE SEASON FOR BROTHERLY LOVE



BOILING AN EGG.

If It Gives You Trouble You Might Try John Randolph's Way.

The boiling of an egg seems a simple matter, but many a breakfast has been spoiled and many a temper rasped by the cook's failing to observe the precise number of minutes the process should occupy.

That very original man, John Randolph, is said to have invented a method of getting his eggs cooked exactly to his taste that worked perfectly. As is the case in many country homes in the south, the kitchen was in a separate building at some distance from the house, and servants were plenty.

When the "sage of Roanoke" took his seat at the breakfast table there was a line of servants from the dining room to the kitchen. Mrs. Randolph, the mother of the statesman, held an open watch in her hand.

"In!" exclaimed Mr. Randolph, and the word "in" was passed from mouth to mouth until it reached the waiting cook, who dropped the eggs into the water. After the requisite number of seconds the holder of the timepiece signified that the cooking was done. "Out!" went forth the command in like manner, and the eggs were quickly removed.

The system required six or seven servants to cook one egg, but Randolph was accustomed to declare that this was the only way that he could get it cooked to suit him.—Youth's Companion.

Ancient Tipping.

Tipping is an exaction of no recent growth. Describing life at the court of King Henry II. of England, Peter of Blois complains of the importunity of the medieval marshals, whose annoyances continue "until they get something from you and are most ungrateful when they have—nay, open enemies unless your hand is continuously in your pocket," while the "outer porters will tell you the most unblushing falsehoods, and if you are an honest and religious man, but have given them nothing the day before, they will keep you an unreasonable time standing in the rain and mire."

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Tuesday unsettled followed by rain or snow during the night or Wednesday. Moderate winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.12
Sun sets	4.16
Length of day	9.04
Moon sets	12.00
High water, A. M.	11.00
High water, P. M.	11.30

Days decrease 0 hours 0 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	37 degrees
Dec. 23, 1911,	51 degrees
Dec. 23, 1910,	35 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

SANTY REMEMBERS.

It was a very small girl in the post-office, and she was about to post a letter. The little tot was with her nurse, and the latter was instructing her what to do. She was shown how to buy and affix the stamp, and was about to post her letter, when she paused as if she had just remembered something. "Why, said the little one, "Dey ain't any Wed Cwoss Seal on dis one, an' I pyomised Uncle Billy to send him one." The nurse handed her



a nickel and showed her where to get Red Cross Seals in the post-office corridor. The little one made a purchase of five seals, carefully fastened them on the back of her letter, and, regarding her work with much satisfaction, dropped the letter into the slot while the nurse held her up. "There," she said, as her little face lit up with a smile, "I fink Uncle Billy will know Santy wemembered him." The letter was to one of the patients at the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

INFANT MORTALITY.

(Special to the Ledger)

State House, Boston, Dec. 21—Startling facts concerning the number of young children dying in Massachusetts have been discovered by the investigators for the special commission,created by the legislature of 1911. The commission has been making a particular study of infant mortality in its relation to housing conditions, and in its report to the incoming legislature will declare it will be a disgrace if the commonwealth allows present conditions to continue longer.

The report says:—"The more crowded a community is the greater is the amount of abject want, drunkenness, and other excesses; competition is more keen, and the struggle for existence is more feverish and exhaustive. In the North End of Boston, out of every one hundred deaths, fifty are of children under five years of age; in the Back Bay, only fifteen out of every hundred deaths are of such children. The contrast is shocking."

The rates for Quincy in 1900 were 35.44, 1905-30.43, 1910-30.05. The commission deducts that children under five years furnish one half the total deaths in certain cities.

SOCCER TEAM IN TOP PLACE

Trimmed American Team Saturday Quite Easily

BOYD SCORED TWICE

The Quincy soccer football team added another game to its list of victories Saturday afternoon by defeating the Boston Americans 4 to 1. The visitors put up a good exhibition but two scores by Boyd and one apiece by McDonald and Anderson was more than they could overcome. Quincy is in line for the top place in the Greater Boston League. The summary:

QUINCY		BOSTON AMERICAN
Haldane	g	Neil
Harkness	rb	lg Lewis
Wilson	lb	rb T. Robertson
Meldrum	rh	lh McClerie
R. Robertson	ch	ch Melrose
McLean	lh	rh Marshall
Rennie	rof	lof Diamond
P. Robertson,	rif	lif M. McCullough
Boyd	cf	cf Clarke
McDonald	lif	rif S. McCullough
Anderson	lof	rof McDonald

Score, Quincy 4, Boston American 1 Goals, Boyd 2, McDonald, Anderson, Clarke. Referee, McClearie. Linesmen, Drysdale and Brown. Time, 30m halves.

LAST APPEAL

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a family of four, five or ten persons according to the number in the family.

To accomplish this undertaking we kindly ask you to assist us all you can with cash donations, and we earnestly hope you will do so.

WILL YOU PLEASE HELP US with this Xmas cheer. Contributions large or small will be thankfully received.

Please make all checks payable to the Salvation Army, Quincy.

Sincerely yours in the Master's work,
A. Salvesen, Adjutant.

The responses have not been very encouraging. The army members have called at houses where letters were left, they have stood out in the cold and storm on the streets, but withal that the returns have been meagre and not in keeping with the large work planned.

Adjutant Salvesen said they must do their buying today or early tomorrow. They will give to each family, a turkey, goose or chicken, according to the size of the family. Potatoes, apples and cranberries will also be put in the basket. If there is enough money, turnips, candy, butter and coffee will be added. The children of course look for a little candy Christmas time and the members of the army will make an effort to secure this delicacy for them.

Adjutant Salvesen presents her last appeal to the public in this good work as follows:

"A last appeal this season, from the Salvation Army, 150 Granite street, on behalf of the poor of our city. Quite a number of letter appeals have been left at the houses and a couple of kettles has been placed on Hancock street but only a little has come in so far.

The letters have been called for once, some twice, but it is difficult to find people at home. Kindly send in your donation, large or small, by mail, or drop it in the kettles as you pass them by.

Please help us fill up the baskets, quite a few things are yet needed and funds are lacking."

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters addressed to the following persons remained unclaimed at the Quincy Post Office for the week, ending, Dec. 21:

J. C. Cabbett, Capt. P. H. Clinton, Miss Aolace Ham, Joshua Holden, Hugh Jackson, Mrs. Mik Kineey, J. C. Littlefield, Earl C. Mandsley, Scott Mason, Fred Mayers, Donald McDonald, Earl C. Mundesley, Mrs. W. Reardon, James Remy, Arthur Rigby, John H. Russell, Charles W. Snyder, Patrick Sullivan, Eugenie Terminazi.

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THE CROSS AND THE CRESCENT

A Story of the Balkan War

By F. A. MITCHEL

When the war between the Balkan states and the Turks broke out it placed Arthur Andrews, an American living in Servia, in a condition calculated to drive him mad. A few years before, having come of age and inheriting a fortune, he went abroad to travel for pleasure. The Balkan peninsula attracted him owing to its rugged scenery, the gay costumes of its people and its general oriental appearance.

The inhabitants of Turkey in Europe are a mixture of the white and Turkish races, Christians and Mohammedans. Andrews was at an impressible, reckless age, an age to fall violently in love and, being in love, not to consider the consequences of an ill assorted marriage. A young Turkish girl to whom he was introduced carried him clean off his feet, and he became so violently in love with her that, throwing caution to the winds, he begged her to marry him.

The lady, Zaide, the daughter of a pasha, born in the highest Turkish circles, did not consider Andrews her social equal, but her heart was enlisted as well as his own, and she consented that he should ask her father for her hand. The pasha, being an admirer of western civilization, looked favorably on his suit and at last consented, provided he would embrace the faith of Islam. The young man declared that he would embrace any faith on the face of the globe if he might be permitted to embrace the pasha's daughter. The marriage was celebrated, and the groom, realizing that his and his wife's religion would be out of place in America, remained in Turkey.

Andrews' Mohammedism, being skin deep, wore off with the first freshness of love. Indeed, the more he saw of the Turks the deeper he sympathized with those who would be glad to see the crescent driven back into Asia, from which it had emerged many centuries before to make its European conquests. Born a Christian, it galled him that the Turks should occupy Christian ground, that their capital should have been founded by the first Christian Roman emperor or that the church of St. Sophia should be a mosque.

When the Montenegrins, in order to forestall an order from the powers, broke, sword in hand, into Turkish territory and Servia was preparing to do her part in the war, a crisis came in the affairs of Andrews and his wife. Her father was not only devoted to the cause of Islam, but was an officer high in the service of the sultan. The young wife declared that she would stand by her father, her countrymen and her religion. Andrews asserted that he would join the Servian forces and aid in banishing the crescent to Asia, where it belonged. They parted, though their hearts were welded, agreeing that after the struggle they would fly again to each other.

During those first few weeks when the allied forces were winning victory after victory and driving their enemy before them there were some temporary setbacks to the allies. In one of these Andrews, who commanded a squadron of cavalry in the Servian army, was wounded and captured. He and those taken with him were hurried to the rear to a reserve corps, which it happened was under the command of Rustom Pasha, his father-in-law.

Zaide, who was a woman of strong character, had while living with her husband become much interested in many European institutions, among others the Red Cross. She had no sooner joined her father than she proceeded to organize a similar corps as an auxiliary to her father's command. One day upon passing hurriedly down between two rows of cots in a hospital her eye fell upon a face which notwithstanding its pallor she recognized at once as her husband. She was about to fly to his embrace when the horror of the situation rushed upon her. Andrews had professed to be a disciple of Mohammed and had drawn his sword against the prophet. So long as he was unrecognized as a Mohammedan he would be treated as a prisoner of war, but if he were known to be or have been of the faith nothing could save him.

The glances of the two met, and this same thought occurred to both. There was a momentary lighting of each pair of eyes. Then the wife withdrew hers, and she passed on down the aisle and left the room.

The hospital, though in the Turkish rear, was not considered permanent, for the allies were pressing forward, fighting like tigers. But for one day and night the sick were undisturbed. During the evening Mrs. Andrews, though worn out with the distressing work of the day, went in among the sick, ostensibly to cheer them, but really to steal a brief interview with her husband. Taking the precaution to stop and speak with a number of sufferers before reaching the bed he occupied, she at last came to his and said in the Turkish tongue and a voice loud enough to be heard:

"Are you badly wounded, sir?"

"Only slightly," was the reassuring reply.

"Is there anything I can do for you?"

"Yes. During the night I am feverish and troubled with a burning thirst. If you can send about midnight some water I shall be grateful."

"I will send it tonight."

She passed on, but both understood that an excuse had been given her to communicate with him at an hour when few were about and possibly to have an interview with him unnoticed.

At midnight she brought the water herself. Only one nurse was on duty, and she sat at a far end of the room half asleep. Unobserved, the wife knelt to give her husband a cup of water, and their lips met.

"You will be discovered surely," she whispered. "Indeed, you have been suspected already. One of the nurses has asked me if you were not a Mohammedan, saying that she has seen you at your devotions in a mosque. I told her that I would look into the matter at once. You must leave here at any cost."

"Not if my escape shall compromise you."

"I have thought of a plan. As soon as it is day begin to groan as if in great pain and keep it up until I appear. I shall then direct your removal to a place where you will not disturb your fellow prisoners. Once there, we may carry out my intentions as to your escape."

Without waiting for a reply she hurried away, leaving her husband fearful of the consequences that would accrue to her in case she were caught assisting in the escape of a renegade Mohammedan.

However, he could see no risk in carrying out so much of her plan as she had given him, and with the first sign of dawn he began a groaning so loud that the nurse in charge reported the fact that it was having a bad effect on the other patients. Zaide at once ordered him taken to a room by himself and remained to look after his necessities after those who had removed him had left and told him the balance of her plan for him. It was that he should put on her clothes and since Turkish ladies do not expose the face there would be little difficulty in his walking out past the guards without being detected.

"And you?" exclaimed the husband. "How will you protect yourself against the terrible fate that will come to you when it is discovered that you are here and I have walked out in your clothes? Though your father commands, he will not be able to save you from the fury of your people."

"I have a chance of deceiving them; you have none."

At that moment there came the distant boom of a gun. It was followed by another and another till the whole became like low muttering thunder.

"The allies are pressing forward," exclaimed Andrews. "Quite likely before long they will have driven their enemy from this position."

"In that case," was the reply, "there will be great confusion among us, and it will not be so difficult to carry out my plan."

During the morning the booming grew more distinct, and added volleys of musketry at last turned the whole into one incessant roar. Zaide was occupied every moment in providing for the wounded that were constantly being brought in and could not steal a moment to visit her husband. Then came an order to abandon the hospital, while the thunder of war without turned comparative order into panic.

What became of the prisoners, excepting Andrews, forms no part of this story, but in the midst of the turmoil Zaide hurried into her husband's room with a nurse's apparel—there were no uniforms—with spots of blood on it. She had removed it from its wearer, who had been killed by a bursting shell. Giving it to her husband, he put it on, and the two sallied forth.

The Turkish line in front was breaking before the impetuous charge of the allies, and panic stricken men were running past, while random shots were whistling by Andrews and his wife. He begged Zaide to make toward the enemy's lines, but she refused.

"Go," she said, "to your people. You are saved, and I will not be suspected of having aided you. I must stand by my father and my faith, else I can no longer live in the home of my ancestors."

They were standing, loath to let go each other's hands, Andrews pulling one way, Zaide the other, when she was struck by a spent ball and stunned, falling into her husband's arms. He, thinking that she was dead, with a cry of anguish, laid her on the ground. She had scarcely recovered consciousness when with a shout a regiment of Servians came bounding past them and they were inclosed within the allied lines.

The transposition from being under the cross instead of the crescent put an entirely new phase in the situation for this loving couple. Both were safe for the present, and should Zaide return to her own people there was no reason to suppose that her having favored a renegade to the cause of Islam would be known. She very soon recovered from the blow she had received and asked to be permitted to return to her work. Andrews made a confidant of his commander and asked him to delay the permission.

While waiting the husband made a strong effort to persuade his wife to adopt the Christian injunction to leave her people and cleave unto her husband. He offered to withdraw from the cause of the allies if she would do the same with that of the Turks. They would go to his own home in America, where Zaide would become one of his own people. After all, the part of a wife, common in most countries, to enter upon her husband's condition prevailed, and Zaide finally agreed to his terms. The allies were besieging Constantinople, and there was little of Islam in Europe left to detain her. Together the two set sail for the land of all religions.

DEADLOCK IN PEACE MEETING

Turkish Government Playing Old Game of Delay

REVICTUALING OF FORTRESSES

Demand Is Promptly Refused by Envoys of Allies In London—Balkan States Prepared to Resume War at Once, but Powers Will Not Permit New Outbreak of Hostilities

London, Dec. 23.—While rumors of renewed war came thick and fast from Constantinople, where the grand vizier, firmly standing for peace, is bitterly opposed by the hotheaded members of the so-called committee of union and progress, who are all for a resumption of hostilities, the peace delegates are deadlocked again.

Turkey, following her traditional policy of delay, asked an agreement to revictual Adrianople, Janina and Scutari, as a condition of negotiating peace with Greece.

This demand was emphatically denied by the allies, upon which Rechad Pasha announced he would have to consult his government again. The conference was then adjourned until today.

Feeling among the allies is such that they are ready to resume the war at once, but it has been announced that the powers will not permit a new outbreak of hostilities. If the porte goes too far, the powers will step in, make reasonable concessions to the Balkan states and settle the destiny of Turkey, once for all.

Rechad Pasha's statement caused a great sensation, and the Balkan delegates exchanged impressions in whispers among themselves.

The head of the Turkish delegation continued to illustrate the Ottoman viewpoint, which aimed to limit as much as possible the disasters and sufferings from the war by supplying to Adrianople what was strictly necessary to sustain life. The conference would then be able to proceed with its work in the knowledge that the town was not starving while the delegates were negotiating.

Dr. Daneff, the chief Bulgarian plenipotentiary, countered with arguments against Turkey's proposal. He recalled that the armistice was an accomplished fact, and was so well defined that the delegates lacked the power to change it, their mission being limited to the conclusion of peace. With reference to peace, he said, there was no limit to their powers, but their credentials did not authorize them to deal with incidents either already solved or outside the mission which brought them to London.

Osman Nazimi Pasha continued the argument for Turkey, citing numerous historical occasions when similar concessions were made.

The Greek premier, Mr. Venizelos, said serious damage would result to the allies if the towns were revictualled. The balance of forces on the opposite sides would be changed in favor of the besieged, besides giving the opponents of the allies an opportunity to procrastinate as long as there was no fear of the capitulation of the besieged towns.

The Servian delegate, Mr. Novakovics, said the Turkish request was quite unacceptable, as it entirely modified the base on which the armistice was founded.

FIVE IN THE RANKS

"Army" of Suffragists Has Plodded Along to Rhinebeck

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Dec. 23.—With the marching forces augmented by another private, General Rosalie Jones' little army of suffragists continued the march Albany-ward yesterday and reached Rhinebeck shortly before 6 o'clock last night after a sixteen-mile hike.

The suffragists, now numbering five, left Poughkeepsie escorted by a number of local suffragists until the pedestrians were well out of the city.

At Rhinebeck the suffragists made several addresses and attended church in the evening.

CHILD HELD FOR MURDER

Doctors to Look Into Mental State of a Seven-Year-Old

Atlanta, Dec. 23.—Frank Wilson, 7 years old, an habitual user of tobacco in all forms, according to testimony, was arraigned here on the charge of killing his 7-year-old playmate, Elmonte Herndef.

Witnesses testified the boys quarrelled, after which the Wilson child ran into his home, got a rifle, and shot his playmate when he passed. Decision was reserved until an examination of the child's mental state can be made.

Typhoid In German Garrison

Hanau, Ger., Dec. 23.—An epidemic of typhoid fever has broken out among the troops of the garrison here. No fewer than 211 soldiers are lying in hospitals suffering from the disease.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5.

On Wednesday a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ Church, where Washington worshipped, and the Marshall House where Ellsworth was killed.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6.

Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9.00 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included and New York is reached at 2.00 P. M. Leave New York at 5.00 P. M., on Fall River Line steamer. Staterooms assigned and evening dinner served.

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Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.35 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M **Sundays,** 7.23 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.35 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.25 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.10 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

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FIVE LEFT OF STEAMER'S CREW

Twenty-Two Lives Lost as Steamer Florence Goes Down

STRIKES LEDGE IN SNOWSTORM

Mate and Four Seamen, Saved by Seeming Miracle, Helplesssly Watch Captain and Twenty-One Men Perish After Attempt to Reach Shore—Desperate Effort to Save Comrades

St. John's, Dec. 23.—The Furness line freight steamship Florence, bound to this port from Halifax, was wrecked and the lives of twenty-two men, including that of Captain Barr, were lost under the beetling cliffs of St. Shotts, on the west side of Trepassey bay.

The steamer left Halifax Tuesday and was driven into Trepassey bay by a fierce southwesterly gale Friday morning. She struck on the rocks under the 500-foot ledge in the midst of a blinding snowstorm, just before daylight.

Mate Hedley and four seamen were all that survived. They reached Trepassey Sunday in a state of exhaustion and told the story of the wreck.

At one time, during the early hours of the storm after the vessel had struck, the captain and the entire crew gained the shelving ledge under the towering cliffs, only to be forced back to the battered craft because of the inaccessible heights and the rapid rise of the great tide.

The ship foundered within a few hundred feet of shore and went to pieces with the captain and his twenty-one men clinging to the rigging.

Hedley and the four others gained the shore at an open beach in a small boat by a seeming miracle, riding in on the crest of a great wave after the captain had given up his position as commander of the crew and gave each man the right to make the best escape he could.

When the men were compelled again to seek the steamer after they had once gained the foot of the ledge, Barr was of the opinion that the Florence would live through the gale, and although he did not order any man to stand by the craft, he counselled remaining aboard her.

Mate Hedley, with Seamen Wight, Malmquist, Taylor and Smeding, believed that the shore might be gained at a point where the cliffs were not too steep to be mounted.

They succeeded in launching a boat and by the merest chance gained the shore at a shelving beach without being capsized. The small boat rode to the beach borne on the crest of a giant comber and was tossed high upon the shingle. The five men tumbled out and dragged the boat out of the grasp of the receding waves.

Led by the mate the five men hastened to one of the small fishermen's settlement to get aid. They reached a settlement only to find it deserted. Retracing their steps they mounted the cliffs at a point off which the Florence lay, and were able to gaze down upon their comrades on the tossing steamship.

The gale steadily increased and while Hedley and his four companions looked on, powerless to aid, they saw the other boats on the steamer swept away one by one. They saw Barr and his twenty-one men lash themselves in the rigging. Finally, made desperate by the sight, the mate and the other four went to the beach, where they launched their small boat in a hopeless effort to regain the steamer that all might escape in the one boat.

The seas caught the small boat at the first attempt and threw it back upon the beach. Again they made the attempt and again they were tossed back, barely escaping with their lives. Their small boat was battered almost to pieces in the second attempt and they gave over all hope of rescue.

For hours then they stood helplessly on the storm swept beach gazing through the sleet at the doomed craft grinding to pieces on the rocks. The waves were then breaking over the hull of the steamer. Deck houses, rails and bridge were gone, and to the little that remained of the rigging clung Barr and his men.

All day the craft pounded on the rocks and at dusk, half frozen, wholly exhausted and with hardly strength enough to walk, Hedley and the four seamen left the beach and took refuge in one of the deserted fishermen's huts.

Before morning Hedley left the hut and went several miles farther along the cliffs seeking aid. He returned, unsuccessful.

The gale held through the night. How long the Florence withstood the gnawing rocks and the beating of the waves is not known.

With the dawn of Saturday Hedley and two of the men who were strong enough again sought the cliff with the hope that the Florence had lived out the night.

She had disappeared and no vessel stood out of the waves. All that they saw of the Florence were fragments of the deck beating against the ledge.

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Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)—6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.47, 6.18, 7.26, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.57, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

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Rockefeller, Jr., Will Contribute $10,000 More If Necessary

New York, Dec. 23.—With John D. Rockefeller, Jr., having supplied a fund of $20,000 for a searching investigation of the police department, renewed interest is taken in the conditions which promise a revolution in police administration.

Another development in the graft investigation is the arrest of two men charged with bribing Charles Muller, a janitor in an apartment house which figured in the testimony given by Mrs. Mary Goode, to induce him not to testify before the grand jury in such a way as to corroborate Mrs. Goode.

Mysterious threats have been made against Nicholas J. Hayes, who appeared as a witness before the aldermanic investigation committee to deny charges against him by George A. Sipp, formerly proprietor of a Harlem hotel.

Mr. Rockefeller, in supplying the $20,000 fund for investigation, has given assurances that $10,000 more will be furnished, if necessary, for the purpose of the inquiry.

EGG WAR TO CONTINUE

Boston Women Aim to Make 24 Cents the Permanent Price

Boston, Dec. 23.—"The high cost of eggs is never to 'come back.' And until 24-cent eggs appear to be established as a permanent Boston institution the high cost of other edibles will be left more or less to take care of itself."

This was the effect of the announcement made on behalf of the Housekeepers' league by Mrs. Ida M. Hebbard.

The problem of extending the low cost of living campaign to other things besides eggs is said to have injected some discord into the ranks of the women who are in line for the big egg war, but the controversy, if any, has been laid aside for the present.

JOHN M'WEENY

He Is the Superintendent of the Police Force of Chicago



Photo by American Press Association.

MINISTERS AROUSED

Criticise Chicago Chief of Police For His New Year's Order

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Protest from almost every pulpit in this city yesterday was made as a result of Chief of Police McWeeny's order that on New Year's eve cafes might sell liquor until 3 a. m., two hours after the usual closing time.

A weekly ball introduced by a hotel in the theatre district also came in for ministerial criticism. Champagne is the only drink sold at the ball, evening dress is required and the gaiety is said to be hilarious. Mayor Harrison has announced he will investigate the dances.

DISCONNECTED TUBE CAUSES A TRAGEDY

Father, Daughter and Son Asphyxiated In Their Home

New York, Dec. 23.—Fearing that something was wrong after calling a second time at the home of Martin McGrevey in Brooklyn, the girl chum of McGrevey's daughter, Mary, 21 years old, notified a policeman, who found the entire family, father, daughter and son, Martin McGrevey, Jr., 16 years old, dead, and a disconnected gas tube in the kitchen.

Realizing their danger, apparently, while still partly conscious, all three had left their beds and attempted to escape from the gas, the young woman having reached a window which she opened before death overtook her.

WOULD BE TOO EXPENSIVE

Two Firemen Plan Rejected by Railroads of the East

New York, Dec. 23.—The railroads of the east rejected the demands of the firemen and enginemen that two firemen be constantly employed at full pay on all locomotives of more than a certain weight, declaring it to be too expensive.

The decision was reached at a conference between the conference committee of managers of the roads and representatives of the locomotive employes.

The railroads indicated they would agree to equip locomotives with two firemen in cases where the roads considered it necessary. The conference was adjourned to Jan. 6.

HOOKWORM IN KENTUCKY

More Than Two-Thirds of Those Examined Found to Be Affected

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 23.—The first report of the commission appointed under the terms of the Rockefeller fund to devise means for the eradication of the hookworm in the mountain districts of Kentucky was made here.

The report is for Breathitt county, and shows that out of 1785 persons examined 1263 were affected. If that rate of infection prevails in the other mountain counties Kentucky has 20,000 cases of hookworm, it is estimated. In some of the Breathitt county schools every pupil was found a sufferer.

Suffragettes on the Rampage

London, Dec. 23.—Militant suffragettes made an extensive raid last night on the pillar letter boxes in London. They employed black and red fluids in an endeavor to obliterate the addresses on the heavy Christmas mail.

Earthquake In Cuba

Santiago de Cuba, Dec. 23.—Violent earthquake shocks were felt here. The greatest alarm prevailed among the inhabitants of the city.

THE GILA MONSTER.

Repulsive In Looks, It Is Really a Harmless Creature.

Probably there is no other living creature more feared by the ignorant than the Gila monster, about which all manner of weird tales have been told. It has even been held that the mere breath of this animal is sufficient to cause death to the one upon whom it fell. Scientific inquiry, however, fails to disclose a single instance wherein the breath or even the bite of this creature has resulted fatally. The fact that dissection and microscopic examination do not reveal any trace of glands for the secretion of venom is sufficient evidence to indicate that this curious member of the lizard family has been slandered.

Some years ago a civil engineer in the southwest undertook to settle once for all the question whether "the monster" was deadly or not. A fine specimen was captured and confined in a wire inclosure. A chicken was obtained, and its feathers were removed in order that the lizard might have every opportunity to strike at the breast. The chicken was then held quite close to the Gila monster, which soon snapped viciously and secured a firm hold on the fowl's breast, retaining this grip for more than ten minutes. When the victim was released it was found that the chicken's breastbone had been broken. Nevertheless the fowl quickly recovered, the bone knitting and the wound healing with no symptoms of poisoning.

It is very probable that the reputation for evil borne by the Gila monster is due simply and solely to its most repulsive appearance.—Harper's Weekly.

THE UBIQUITOUS SEA LION.

He Strayed a Long Way From Home Before He Was Killed.

The following story is taken from the American Magazine:

"Sunday is a dull day, and the city editors had a habit of detailing men to go to the zoological gardens and get animal stories for Monday morning. The reporters got together one Sunday morning and persuaded the head animal keeper to let them publish a fake story. It was rather commonplace, concerning the alleged escape of a nonexistent sea lion from the pool to open water.

"'Fake,' said the managing editor as he read the story. 'Let's make it a good one.'

"Thereupon he sent telegrams to every country correspondent on that water or its tributaries, merely inquiring if anything had been seen of the escaped sea lion. The response was appalling. The correspondents needed only the hint. That day the sea lion was seen by at least twenty correspondents, and Berghand printed all the reports one after another. Thus spurred, the correspondents went to it in earnest. The following day the sea lion was reported at every point within 200 miles. The story spread like ripples on water. In five days the lion was sighted over half the world, and an enthusiast at Southampton cabled that he was heading toward the north sea. Then a cruel correspondent up on Lake Superior killed him and wired that he was sending the skin as proof. I always suspected that the managing editor did it himself."

A Fine Sense of Feeling.

One of two darkies who run a bootblack "parlor" in partnership was bragging of his well developed sense of touch, particularly in the matter of money. He boasted that he could tell the denomination of any United States coin merely by feeling it. His partner yearied of these boasts and came back with this:

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—Short weights and measures brought 25 fines from Judge Phelan, Nov. 26, following up his campaign of protecting consumers. The penalties were from $1 to $5. James B. Fleming, baker, was charged with a shortage of 15 pounds in 60 loaves of bread, and a number of peddlers were also fined. A severe lecture went with the sentences.—Detroit Free Press.

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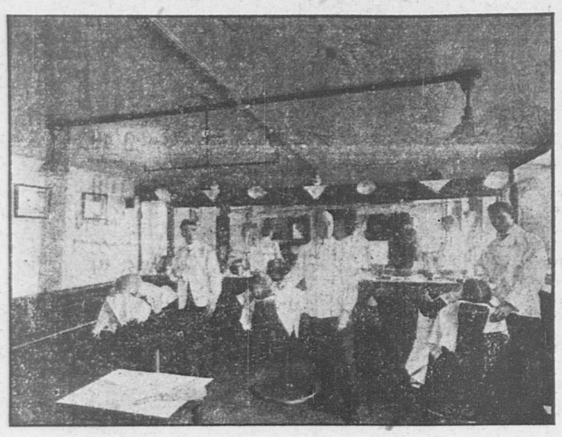
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Richard Burke, 23 years old, died this morning after a long illness at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burke of 40 Madison street. The deceased was well known in South Quincy where his parents have resided for some years.

AN INGENIOUS CLOCK.

Curious Automaton That Was Made In London a Century Ago.

One of the most wonderful time-keepers known to horologists was made in London, England, a hundred years ago and was sent by the president of the East India company as a gift to the emperor of China. The case was made in the form of a chariot, in which was seated the figure of a woman.

This figure was of pure ivory and gold, and the right hand rested upon a tiny clock, fastened to the side of the chariot. Portions of the wheels which kept track of the flight of time were hidden in the body of a tiny bird, which had seemingly just alighted upon the woman's finger.

There was a canopy above, so arranged as to conceal a silver bell. The bell was fitted with a little hammer, also of silver, which, although it did not appear to have any connection with the clock, struck the hours regularly and could be made to repeat by touching a diamond on the woman's bodice.

In the chariot, at the woman's feet, there was a golden figure of a dog, and above were two birds, apparently flying before the chariot. This beautiful ornament was made almost entirely of gold and was elaborately adorned with precious stones.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Curious Coincidence.

The story of a queer coincidence was told by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. While traveling upon the continent he visited a certain mountain inn, which was in winter, he learned, occupied only by two men. These men, prisoned in a waste of snow and ice, had for all that period no communication with the world below. Here was a situation for a novelist! And the novelist accordingly began to let his imagination play about the possibilites of tragedy surrounding the two men on their mountain height. But the story was never written, for, happening to come upon a volume of Guy de Maupassant, which was new to him, he found therein, under the title of "L'Auberge," the very story he had meant to write.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gilson of Brockton are Chritmas guests at the Gilson home on Linden Place.

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Instant Death Was Assured For One of the Contestants.

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The men—who, it is hardly necessary to say, had fallen out over a lady—had left the arrangement of details to their seconds, and until they faced each other they did not know by what method they were to settle their differences.

One of the seconds was a doctor, and he had made up for the occasion four black pellets, all identical in size and shape.

"In one of these," he said, "I have placed a sufficient quantity of prussic acid to cause the almost instantaneous death of any one who swallows it. We will decide by the toss of a coin which of you is to have first choice, and you will alternately draw and swallow a pill until the poison shows its effects."

Two of the pellets were then taken as the toss had decided, but without effect in either case.

"This time," said the doctor, speaking of the two pellets remaining, "you must both swallow the pill at the same instant."

The choice was again made, and in a few seconds one of the men lay dead on the grass.—Pall Mall Gazette.

CANARIES ARE NERVOUS.

And They Dread Mice That Like to Steal Their Bird Seed.

One of the common troubles with canaries and one that few bird owners realize is that of nervousness. The nervous system of a canary is as highly sensitive as that of a delicate woman. Any sudden shock to their senses, whether of sight or sound, is liable to throw them into convulsions, that often result in death. An old bird dealer mentions a frequent but rarely known cause of sickness and even death among the little creatures.

"I had two canaries," he said, "that for some reason I could not discover fell into a frightfully nervous state and started to pine away. I doctored them with all the remedies known to bird lore, but the poor creatures continued to droop in dismal decline. At last I discovered the trouble. It was mice.

"Mice are as fond of bird seeds as canaries themselves. In the darkness of the night the mice would creep through the bars of the cage and devour the seeds, while the poor little canaries sat above shivering themselves into a state of nervous prostration from the very terror of the monsters below. I removed the cage to a position where the mice could not get at it, and my pets rapidly recovered."—New Orleans States.

Never Can Happen Again.

The Montenegrin law which ordains that any found valuable shall be placed where the loser can find it reminds one of an anecdote told of Grimaldi's grandfather in Dickens' life of the famous clown. On one of his visits to Leadenhall market with nearly £400 in gold and silver upon him "he found that his shoe had become unbuckled and, taking from his pocket the bag, he placed it upon a neighboring post and then proceeded to adjust his buckle." Having afterward to pay for a purchase, he missed his bag of gold and hurried back to the post where he had buckled his shoe. "Although more than three-quarters of an hour had elapsed, * * * there it remained, safe and untouched, on the top of a post in the open street!" That was in eighteenth century London. Could it happen now?—London Chronicle.

Flame and Wire Gauze.

To Sir Humphry Davy belongs the credit of discovering that the flame of burning gas will not pass through wire gauze having 784 meshes to the square inch. This contention may be tested by bringing a flame in contact with similar gauze, when it will be found that the flame will not go through the meshes. This is owing to the cooling action of the wire, which tends to reduce the temperature of the flame below the ignition point, the unburned gas passing harmlessly through. Of course if the gauze becomes overheated the flame is able to get through.

The Man That Watched

By HELOISE BRAYTON

After the weddin' Cy Mawkins allowed he'd got to go west to look arter a farm his father had bought some time afore he died. Mabel she didn't want him to go right off, jest bein' married, but Cy he's not one o' them kind to throw things away, and he wanted to lease the farm for the next season. If he didn't do nothin' to oncet it 'ud have to remain vacant, 'cause it was January, and there was somep'n to do afore plowin' time. So Mabel she didn't object.

Cy, havin' got a nice little wife, felt as if he'd bought a thoroughbred colt that mought be mistreated or somebody mought get away with while he wasn't around. He had a special friend, Tom Jinkins, that he knowed he could rely on, and he says to Tom, says he: "Tom, I'm goin' west to see about leasin' my farm. I'm goin' to stay till I find a party to take it, so I may not be back for several weeks. It's kind o' hard on me to leave a new wife right after marryin', and it's hard on Mabel too. I wish you'd go in and see her oncet in awhile, take her to Sunday evenin' meetin' and if a bang up good show comes along take her to see it. That way she won't be so lonesome."

"All right, Cy. Anything else?"

"No," said Cy thoughtfully, "nothin' particeler. You mought keep an eye on Pete Owsley while I'm gone. Pete and Mabel were mighty thick oncet. I didn't know but she'd marry him 'stead o' me. Course I have perfect confidence in Mabel, but I don't see no use leavin' a stable door open without no good reason."

"Reckon I catch on, Cy. I'll jest keep my eye skinned."

"Course it wouldn't do to let Mabe know about it. She might not like it."

"I understand. Mum's the word."

The first Saturday night after Cy went away Tom slicked up and went to see the bride. He thort she'd understand his comin' better if he told her Cy was afeared she'd be lonesome and knowed he was comin'. So he told her so. That was all right. She allowed Cy was mighty thortful. They passed a pleasant evenin' together, and Tom said he'd drop in oncet in awhile agin.

The next time he did who should he find there but Pete Owsley. Pete and Mabel had been jist friendly like, and Cy's thinkin' there was anything more between 'em was nothin' but nateral jealousy. Mabel she done the best she could to entertain two callers to oncet, but Tom he made it kind a hard for her, seein' her husban' had told him he didn't want Pete hangin' around. Fact is Tom tried to set Pete out. Soon as Pete got on to that he jist allowed he'd set there all night afore he'd be driv out that way. The end of it was that Mabel had to give 'em a broad hint to go, and they both went out at the same time.

"You seemed kind o' huffy tonight," said Pete to Tom as they went along the road together under the starlight.

"Waal, Cy Mawkins is a mighty good friend o' mine, and he asked me to keep his wife from bein' lonesome while he was away. I didn't expect to see you there."

"Why not?"

"Waal, I heered you and Mabel was kind o' thick oncet, and I allowed a man that had been thick with another man's wife before she was married and had lost her wouldn't think it jist right as soon as the man that beat him went away to go snoopin' around."

"Oh, ye didn't? Waal, all I got to say is that when I call on anybody I ain't goin' to ask your permission."

Jist then the road forked, and they took different forks. Pete told Mabel all about Tom's interference, and she sent right off for Tom and wanted to know what it meant. Tom tried to take the 'sponsibility on his own shoulders, but it wan't no use. Mabel knowed Cy had allers been jealous o' Pete and that Cy and Tom was close friends. Takin' these two with the fact that Cy had asked Tom to look out for her, she suspected Cy had told Tom to look out for Pete too.

Wimmen is kind o' contrary. Mabel managed the matter in her own way. She played soft to Tom, and Tom knowed that Pete come to see her often. She got Tom all mixed up so he didn't know whether he was on his head or his heels. She was mad at her husban' for settin' a watch on her, as she called it, and mad at Tom for bein' the watch set, but she allowed she'd shove all the punishment onter Tom.

Cy got home in the evenin'. Mabe knowed he was comin' and managed to git Tom and Pete there at the same time. When Cy come up the walk to his home he heered two men a-jawin' at each other. He heered his busum friend Tom Jinkins goin' for Pete, tellin' him that if he ever come there ag'in he'd chaw him up.

Cy went in, and there was his wife settin' by the lamp sewin' as unconcarned as possible. Both the men looked at him, surprised, and Tom, suddenly comin' to himself, looked as if he'd like to git out through a knothole.

"Cy," said his wife, "don't be skeered. You told Tom to take keer of me, and he's been doin' of it. Next time you go 'way you better set Pete to take keer o' Tom."

Waal, Cy, he tuk it good natured like, and his wife, seein' she'd got the best of 'em all, larfed.

HAWAII'S VOLCANIC INFERNO.

A Peep Into Kilauea's Lake of Brimstone and Fire.

Kilauea, in Hawaii, is a round, extinct crater about three miles across and 700 or 800 feet deep. It has been the scene of terrific explosions in past ages, but it has now dwindled to the small active crater of Halemaumau, which is sunk near the middle of it like a huge pot, 200 or more feet deep and 1,000 feet across.

In the midafternoon a party of eight of ten of us on horseback set out to visit the volcano. The trail led down the broken and shelving side of the crater, amid trees and bushes, till it struck the floor of lava at the bottom. Our course took us out over the cracked and contorted lava beds, where no green thing was growing. The forms of the lava flow suggested mailed and writhing dragons, with horrid, gaping mouths and vicious claws. The lava crunched beneath the horses' feet like shelly and brittle ice. At one point we passed over a wide, jagged crack on a bridge. As we neared the crater the rocks grew warm and sulphur and other fumes streaked the air.

When half a mile from the crater we dismounted and, leaving our horses in charge of the guide, proceeded on foot over the cracked and heated lava rocks toward the brink of this veritable devil's caldrom. The sulphur fumes are so suffocating that it can be approached only on the windward side. The first glance into that fearful pit is all that your imagination can picture it. You look upon the traditional lake of brimstone and fire, and if devils were to appear skipping about over the surface with pitchforks, turning their victims as the cook turns her frying crullers in the sputtering fat, it would not much surprise you. This liquid is rather thick and viscid, but it is boiling furiously. Great masses of it are thrown up forty or fifty feet and fall with a crash like that of the surf upon the shore.

The mass of boiling lava is said to be about one and one-half acres in extent. Its surface is covered with large masses of floating crust, black and smooth, like leather or roofing paper, and between these masses, or islands, the molten lava shows in broad, vivid lines. It is never quiet.

Looking upon this scene with the thought of the traditional lake of fire and brimstone of our forefathers in mind, you would say that these black, filthy looking masses floating about on the surface were the accumulation of all the bad stuff that had been fried out of the poor sinners since hell was invented. How much wickedness and uncharity and evil thought it would represent! If the poor victims were clarified and made purer by the process, then it would seem worth while.—John Burroughs in Century.

Helping the Books.

Persons about to install new libraries or those who find their books in bad condition will be glad of the advice offered on this subject by a writer in Les Annales (Paris). Glass cases should always be avoided except for a few precious volumes which are specially looked after and frequently dusted since the confined atmosphere and lack of air circulation in such bookcases are favorable to the development of germs, insects and mold. "Secondly," adds the Scientific American, "the simple precaution should be taken of placing on the shelves behind the books strips of cloth or flannel moistened with benzine, phenol, tobacco juice or turpentine. These strips give excellent results if renewed from time to time."

One of the Stipulations.

A vegetarian engaged a German cook lady not long ago. His wife liked the appearance of the applicant. Her references were good and the wages she demanded not exorbitant.

"I'd like to have you come," said the lady of the house, "but perhaps you won't want to live with us. We are vegetarians and never have any meat in the house. Would you be satisfied with a vegetable diet?"

The fraulein scratched her head.

"Vell," she said dubiously, "iss beer a vegetable?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Word Blindness.

Verbal antipathies are common. Most of us hate the feel, so to speak, of certain words—"victuals," for instance. Is verbal astigmatism prevalent, too, we wonder? We never know the difference between "subjective" and "objective," and we have a high respect for writers who use those words intelligently. "Ingenuous" and "disingenuous" always puzzle us too.—Franklin P. Adams in Metropolitan.

Sharp Tongued Bernhardt.

Sarah Bernhardt is quoted as having paid her respects to Isabella of Bavaria, consort of Charles VI. of France, in this wise: "It is to her that we owe the invention of the corset, but it was she, too, who sold the half of France to England. There was no crime of which that woman was not capable."

Told Her Why.

"I'd like to know why you hired a young woman for a typewriter?" demanded Mrs. Hilow of her husband.

"So I could have some one to dictate to," replied the unhappy man.—New York Sun.

The Way He Put It.

He—I have a compliment for you, dear. She—What is it? He—Mrs. Jones says you have the handsomest husband in town.—Life.

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WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL

The Christmas music was of a very high order, the choir being assisted at both morning and vesper services by Roscoe Ricker, violinist and in the afternoon by a chorus.

The Christmas sermon by Dr. Sneath, while brief was full of cheer and inspiration. A fitting opening of the Christmas week, his text was: "Fear not: for behold I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people." The fulfillment of this prophecy began the day Christ was born and the time will surely come when it will be absolutely fulfilled to all people.

The good tidings give us in Christ an ideal of what human life should be. He compared the depreciation of human life as it existed before Christ's birth with the ever increasing ly high estimate put upon life since. He compared also the religious life of the early centuries marked by human sacrifice to their gods with the conditions since Christ came when man has come to be considered as possessing a soul that would abide.

Dr. Sneath reviewd briefly the present day movement in the direction of higher conditions of human life, such as the cause of universal peace efforts to lessen child labor, to provide better housing for poor, to put down liquor traffic and white slavery and to eradicate tuberculosis. All these and many others of like nature go on in the face of persistent selfishness, but the promise is certainly moving toward fulfillment and we may read in it a wonderful future life for all."

One of the best of the musical numbers was the Christmas Carol composed by the organist, W. C. Rogers, and rendered with fine spirit. It is full of music and was repeated by request at the afternoon vespers. The organ postlude, entitled March Oriental, is another of Mr. Roger's compositions.

The morning music was as follows:

Organ Prelude, Largo—Handel—Mr. Rogers.

Anthem, "First Christmas"—Barnby. a The Annunciation. b The Message to the Shepherds—Choir.

Violin Solo, Romance—Wieniawski Roscoe Ricker.

Soprano Solo, "The Christ Child," violin obligato—Coombs—Miss Hardy.

Offertory, Consolation—Mendelssohn—Mr. Rogers.

Anthem, "First Christmas"—Barnby c Cradle Song of the Blessed Virgin, d Gloria in Excelsis—Choir.

Christmas Carol—Walter C. Rogers. Choir.

The program of the vesper service was as follows:

Organ, Nocturne, Op. No. 2—Chopin Mr. Rogers.

Anthem, "Christians, awake, salute the happy morn"—Maunde—Chorus.

Violin Solo, Adagio—DeBeriot—Mr. Roscoe Ricker.

Duet, "He shall feed His flock like a shepherd"—Handel—From the "The Messiah"—Miss Hardy, Mrs. Long.

Offertory, "Evening Star"—Wagner Mr. Ricker.

Bass Solo, "Night of Nights"—Van de Water—Mr. Everett.

Anthem, "Nazareth" — Gounod Chorus.

Organ, March Oriental—W. C. Rogers.

The Christmas tree and festival of the Sunday School will be held in the vestry on Christmas Day afternoon at 5 o'clock. A jolly good time is anticipated. Santa Claus will be on hand to pass around the gifts. A pleasing entertainment by Mr. S. C. Li an expert entertainer in legerdemain, who has entertained before, so acecptably, a chorus of men's voices in Christmas songs; and other good features will make up the program.

MEMORIAL CHURCH.

The Sunday evening service of the Memorial church, Atlantic, was in charge of the Sunday school. The following program was rendered:

A Christmas of Long Ago—Edith Ilson
A Christmas Wish—Margaret Philips
Peace on Eearth—Hazel Watts and Thelma Keay
Bethlehem Babe—Marion Gurney
A Puzzler—Earl Beeman
Christmas in the Country—Jeannie Brown
A Phylanthropist Christmas—Evelyn Luke
Oh Little Town of Bethlehem—Augusta McMahon and Edith Ilson
Christmas—Edna Hanson
Why she was glad—Ruth Beeman
Song of Christmas—Helen Nye and Eleanor and Anna Olson.
Snowflakes—John Dexter
A Christmas Speech—Clara Aldrich.
Shine on oh star—Eleanor Phillips and Regina LaTour
Ring ye bells—Laura Rogers.
Your Part—Ralph Smith
What can they do?—Primary Dept.
Open thy heart's door—Elizabeth Phillips
A Letter from Santa Claus—Anna Kennedy.
His Favorite—Loring Dexter
Star and Sceptre by Miss Cole's class
Christmas Gifts by Estehr Anderson
Why do bells for Christmas Ring—Bertha Priest.
Song by Sylvia Rudd
Looking for Santa Claus by Barbara Wells
The Angels by five girls
Christmas Eve—Edith Leeco and Gladys Barkley
Song—Rock-a-bye, by Primary Dept.
What Christmas brings by Primary children.
Address by the pastor.

EAST MILTON BAPTIST.

The annual Christmas entertainment for the Sunday school will take place this evening at 7.30. Clarence G. Bartlett will give a humorous and musical entertainment. Tuesday at 2.30 P. M. there will be the annual Christmas tree and party for the primary and cradle roll departments of the Sunday school. Friday at 8 P. M. the Woodsum class will have a Christmas tree in connection with its monthly business meeting and social.

—Well, that $50 as salary for members of the Medford school board having been abolished, the officials may say that the sum is not big enough to set them up in business, while its loss will not invite bankruptcy.—Salem News.

MARRIAGES

KAIPAINEN—SUOKAS—In Quincy, Dec. 21, by City Clerk Emery L. Crane, Mr. August Kaipainen to Miss Brita Suokas, both of Quincy.

DEATHS

BURKE—In Quincy, Dec. 23, Richard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burke of 40 Madison street, aged 23 years.

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37 Corner Franklin and Water Sts.
38 Corner Liberty and Plain Sts.
39 Corner Penn and Liberty Streets.
41 Corner School and Granite Streets.
42 Corner Copeland and Granite Sts.
43 Corner Common and Copeland Sts.
45 Corner Crescent and Willard Sts.
46 Copeland and Furnace avenue.
47 Corner Bates Avenue and Grove
48 Corner Robertson and Willard Sts.
49 Corner Doble and Willard Streets.
51 Tubular Rivet Factory.
52 Elmwood Avenue and Farrington.
53 Winthrop and Warran Avenues.
54 Hancock Street,, near Elm Avenue.
56 Beale, opposite Wollaston Hotel.
57 Corner Beach and Willow Streets.
58 Corner Beale and Adams Streets.
59 Beale Street and Central Avenue.
61 Squantum and Hancock Streets.
62 Corner Atlantic and Hancock Sts.
63 Hancock Street, near Atlantic depot.
64 Billings Street and Newbury Ave.
64 (D) Combination No. 2 House.
65 Faxon Road and Squantum Street.
66 Prospect and Billings.
67 Corner Atlantic and Squantum Sts.
68 Squantum.
69 Montclair.
71 Corner Mill and Washington Sts.
72 Washington Street, corner South.
73 Corner Winter and Howard Sts.
74 Corner River and Washington Sts.
75 Corner Main and Sumner Streets.
76 Washington corner Wharf.
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112 Sea street near Willows.
113 Post Island.
114 Engine House, Hougka Neck.
116 Centre road and Darrow Street.
117 Great Hill, Hough's Neck.
119 Rockland and Rhoda, R. I.
121 President's Hill.
122 Chestnut Street and Revere Road.
123 Hancock Street, near Car Barn.
124 Corner Goffe and Adams Streets.
126 Russell Park.
136 Brook Road and Water Street.
138 Corner Brooks Avenue and Centre
143 Station Street.
147 Granite Railway Yard.
151 Billings Road and Beach Street.
152 Corner Billings and Rawson Roads.
153 Farrington near Wol. Foundry.
154 Wollaston Ave. near Sailors' Home.
155 Warren Avenue, near Newton St.
161 Newport avenue opp. Foundry.
171 Whicher's factory, Union Street.
172 Corner Glencoe place and New Rd.
173 Newcomb Square, Quincy Avenue.
174 North, bet. South and Washington
175 Quincy Avenue, near Mrs. Baxter's.
221 Glendale road and Bedford Street.
223 Washington and Foster.
224 Corner Adams and Whitwell sts.
225 Field and Brackett street.
226 Dimmock and Upland road.
227 Hancock and Chestnut streets.
228 Edgemere Road and Putnam St.
242 (P) City Hospital.
272 Corner Washington and Pray Sts.
273 (P) Baker Basin.
321 Intervale Street and Brook Avenue.
324 Adams St., near Whitwell St.,
331 Franklin and School.
332 Federal and Independence aves.
412 Corner Willard and West Streets.
413 Buckley and Arthur
431 Rogers Street, off Hall place.
432 Willard and Furnace avenue.
435 Reardon and Barry Streets.
441 Smith Street, rear C. H. Hardwick's
442 Quarry Street, near Hitchcock's.
443 Corner Hayden and West Streets.
445 Corner Quarry and Common Streets.
446 Opposite Willard School, Copeland.
512 Grand View and South Central Ave.
513 Foot Beach Street.
515 Quincy Mansion School.
524 Berlin and Woodbine.
552 Brook and Granger.
553 Belmont and Warren avenue.
612 Hancock Street and Billings Road.
613 Hayward opp. Gear Works.
614 Glover avenue and Newbury avenue
615 Oak and Walnut.
617 Squantum and Huckins avenue.
712 Broadway and Commonwealth ave.
718 (P) Johnson's Lumber Yard.
721 South and Chubbuck.
722 Washington and Union.
723 South and Clairmont Avenue.
725 South and Winthrop park.

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4-4-4—Military call.
Seven (7) blows—Electric Light Co. to shut off current.
3-3-3—Police call.
Lost Child call. 5-5-5—then one round of the Box nearest to where the lost child lives.
Six (6) blows—Superintendent Water Works call.
Two (2) blows, 8.55 P. M.—Curfew Law.
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133— " " " Weymouth
158— " " " Milton.
169— " " " Boston.

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

ALL EARTH REJOICES AT THE WELCOME YULETIDE SEASON

Churches and People Who Will Unite in Effort to Be Guided By Christian Duty

Poor Will Feel the Impulse of Benevolence Which Fills the Land

Wednesday will be observed as Christmas day and the celebration will take the usual form of this great holiday. Business in Quincy will be generally suspended. The banks will close, stores, business concerns and all labor as far as possible will be suspended. The post office will be open until 10 o'clock in the forenoon as usual and then will close for the balance of the day.

There will be little in the way of diversion, of a public nature in Quincy. The usual holiday attractions appear to have been eliminated on this particular day. It is more of a home period than any other holiday in the calendar. People living away from Quincy will return to their home for the day and people living in Quincy who have homes elsewhere will go from here on this occasion.

Of course the children will take a very prominent part in the celebration of the day. They will be up at the earliest possible moment tomor-

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SUCCESSFUL DANCE.

The dancing party in aid of the Quincy Day Nursery at Alpha hall, Monday evening proved to be a most delightful affair. About 70 couple of younger people attended and enjoyed dancing until 11 o'clock. Music by Wilson's orchestra.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Russel A. Sears, Mrs. Paul Blackmur and Mrs. William H. Doble.

The following young men were ushers:

Maurice Blackmur, John Pfaffmann. Kenneth Edwards, William Edwards, Kenneth Doble, Winslow Sears, Starr White, Bruce Saville, Albert Parker, Gordon Jameson, Henry Safford, Carlton Smith, Eric Patch, Ryder Gay and Donald Crane.

The success of the party was due to the committee which consisted of John H. Johnson, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann and Mrs. E. E. Jameson.

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CALL MEN HAULED OVER COALS BY THE CITY COUNCIL

Drastic Rules to Prevent Further Laxity and Provide Better Service

Legislature Will Be Requested to Raise Tax Limit to $14

Much important business was transacted at Monday nights meeting of the City Council. Practically all matters before the several committees were cleaned up although another meeting will be necessary in order to pass two orders that were reported which require two readings.

There were several short debates on some of the matters but no display of fireworks. At 7.35 when the meeting was called to order the joint committees on Finance and Ordinances were in session and a recess was taken until 8.15 before the committee adjourned.

A communication was received from the Mayor asking for an appropriation of $31.72 to pay the balance for work on the vaults. Laid on the table until later when Councilman Studley offered an order for that amount which was adopted.

A communication was received from the Commissioner asking for the following transfers: $102.17 from surface drainage of 1911 to street lighting, $995 from water test to water maintenance, $138.37 from sidewalks to street lighting, $184.40 from Birch street to street lighting. These were laid on the table until later when Councilman Studley offered orders making the transfers, which were adopted.

There was some little debate on the transfer of $995 from water test to water maintenance. Councilman Cunningham claimed that this money was appropriated to make tests to find out where leaks were located. According to Commissioner Bainbridge there was still a leakage of 75 per cent and that the money should be used for further tests.

In reply to questions Commissioner Tupper stated that while there might be a leakage of 75 per cent it was not from pipes but that it was mostly from faulty fixtures in houses. That there was 25 miles of pipes that should be replaced and that the money desired to be transferred was to be used to replace pipes.

A communication was received from Chairman Miller of the School department relative to the bill of George H. Brown. Mr. Miller stated in his communication that the school committee requested the Council not to allow the building to be sold. That this communication was sent to the Mayor who sent it back to the council who placed it on the table. That during the summer the buildings were advertised for sale and that he then consulted Mr. Brown about an injunction. The bill was approved by the school committee and Mr. Miller further wrote: "I fail to see how any one who is conversant with city affairs could think the bill would not be presented to the city. It was city business and wholly in the interest of the taxpayers, and as there are four rooms in the building as good as any in the city, and as the school committee serve the city without pay, no fair minded person would expect them to pay the bill out of their own pockets."

The communication was placed on file.

An application for a permit to transport liquor was received from J. G. Miller. Later Councilman J. R. S. Ross offered an order granting the permit which was referred to the License committee.

The special Financial committee reported ought to pass on the resolve for the Mayor to petition the legislature to erect a public bath house on Wollaston beach. The order was adopted. Later on motion of Councilman Bailey the vote was reconsidered and the order laid on the table.

Thes pecial committee on Financial Investigation reported ought to pass on the order amending the Assessors ordinance. The amendment provides that no assessment from taxes levied in December shall be appropriated until all outstanding claims have been paid. Order passed.

The joint Committee on Finance and Ordinances reported "ought not to pass" on the order fixing the salaries of the officers of the police department. Report accepted.

The Committee on Finance reported ought to pass on the order increasing the salary of the City Engineer from $1,500 to $1,800 a year. Read and placed in the calendar.

The Committee on Finance reported ought to pass on the order transferring $2,500 to the Overseer of the Poor appropriation. Order adopted.

The Finance Committee reported reference to the next City Council on the order for $300 to purchase a parcel of land near the poor farm for a public dump. Report accepted.

The Finance Committee reported a loan order for $1,200 for contageous diseases of the Board of Health. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Licenses reported orders granting minor licenses as follows:—Auctioneer Andrew Nelson; employment office, Madame Santas; pool tables, Konstant Hill and W. F. Galvin; job wagon, Rawson Bros. Adopted.

The Finance Committee reported reference to the Executive on the order refunding Ollie F. Bates $33 on account of granolithic sidewalk. Report accepted.

The Finance Committee reported reference to the next city council on the order for a fire alarm box at Montclair. Accepted.

The Finances Committee reported order transferring $175 to the Assessors Miscellaneous account. Adopted.

The Finance Committee reported reference to the Executive on the order for $1,000 for retubing the boilers at the High School with the recommendation that the work be done under the appropriation for Repairs of Public Buildings of 1913. Report accepted.

The Finance Committee reported ought not to pass on the order transferring $500 to the Miscellaneous appropriation of the Board of Health. Report accepted.

The Finance Committee reported an order transferring $399.43 to pay of men of the police department. Ordered to second reading.

The special committee appointed under the ordinances to examine the Woodward Fund and Property report-

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POOR PEOPLE REMEMBERED

Finnish Church People Give Out f Their Abundance

TO LESS FORTUNATE

The members of the Finnish Congregational church enjoyed themselves to the utmost Saturday evening. The pastor of the church, Rev. John E. Lillback and his people gathered at the church and those who were more fortunate than the others in the endowment of this world's goods acted the part of Santa Claus to the poor of the parish. It was a splendid gathering. Every one felt happy. The givers were pleased that they could give. Those who received were grateful for the kindness of their fellow men and women so that all in all it was a most joyous assembly.

Baskets containing the necessary things to make a good Christmas dinner were distributed. Gifts were handed out to the children.

In cases where people from one cause or another were in arrears in their rent, the balance was made good or pledged so that the delinquents were made more comfortable. In other cases, each family received a gift of $5. The movement was started by Rev. Mr. Lillback, and his efforts were ably seconded by his congregation who are more than eager to aid him in any of his many good undertakings.

Miss M. Lizzie Furnald of Washington street is at her home after treatment at the Quincy City Hospital, and her friends will be glad to learn that she is improving rapidly .

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LIVELY MIX-UP FOR COP CURTIN

Sturdily Resisted Release of His Prisoners

ONE SURRENDERED

Officer Curtin arrested two Italians who were in a street fight at Cross and Miller street shortly after 7.15 o'clock Monday evening and had to fight to hold his prisoners from three others who were trying to rescue them. He turned Frank Lo Presto, one of the men he was holding, over to a citizen who became alarmed and released him. LoPresto later gave himself up at the station where he spent the night.

Two of the three men who attempted the rescue were later arrested by Officer Curtin, Dani Roffo of 3 Douglas street being taken at nine o'clock and Antonio Pagnani of 208 West street at 11.45 o'clock. They will be charged with assault on an officer and attempting to rescue a prisoner.

Adisto Pagnani of 208 West street and Frank LoPresto of 143 Cross street are charged with mutual assault. The man at large is known to the officer and will be arrested today.

The fight occurred on Cross street shortly after 7.15. Officer Curtin saw the two men in action and placed them both under arrest. Immediately three others jumped in and the officer turned LoPresto over to a citizen, who released him. The prisoner telephoned the station and after a conversation with Serg. Bishop he gave himself up.

The quartette spent the night at the station and will appear in court this morning.

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Drops Demand For the Reprovisioning of Fortresses

RECOGNIZES GREEK DELEGATES

What Promised to Be Crisis Is Averted—Balkan Allies Present Their Demands and Turks Are Given Until Saturday to Think Them Over—Ready For Conflict If Necessary

London, Dec. 24.—The peace delegates apparently were nearer together at yesterday afternoon's adjournment of the Turkish-Balkan negotiations than at any time since they first met at St. James palace a week ago.

Contrary to expectation, Turkey did not demand the right to reprovision her beleaguered cities and fortresses, and the Turkish delegates, without interposing more objections, received the Greeks as accredited members of the conference, and then the Balkan allies presented their joint demands on Turkey.

The Ottoman plenipotentiaries asked for time to consider, and an adjournment was taken until next Saturday.

The official announcement of the day's proceedings was that the Turkish delegates had expressed their entire willingness to negotiate with the Greek envoys, waiving the matter of Greece's failure to sign the peace protocol at Baghtche. The envoys of the allies, said the announcement, presented their joint proposals to Turkey.

The territorial profits of the war which the allies will divide as the same as those published Dec. 14, with the exception of the arrangement the powers made for Albania. The allies will recognize the autonomy of Albania under the suzerainty of the porte, but not its sovereignty.

Albania will become what Crete was and what Egypt is in its relation to Turkey. The sultan will be the nominal ruler, but without political, administrative or military power. He will have the right to raise his flag in Albania and appoint a resident governor, but only for the purpose of ratifying the decisions of the local government.

Turkey's yielding on the reprovisioning point averted what promised to be a crisis.

The Balkan allies were firm in their stand that to allow Turkey to revictual Adrianople would be folly, and Dr. Daneff, chief of the Bulgarian delegates, before the meeting, was authority for an unofficial statement that unless the Ottoman representatives came to time yesterday afternoon the Balkan delegates might declare the negotiations broken off and recommend to their respective governments that fighting be resumed.

The Balkan representatives admitted they were not seeking a continuation of the war against Turkey, but declared their armies were ready for further conflict if necessary.

OFFICIALS RESPONSIBLE

Coroner's Finding Regarding Wreck In Which Eleven Were Killed

Zanesville, O., Dec. 24.—Coroner Walters held officals of the Pennsylvania railroad responsible for the wreck at Dresden on Dec. 3, when a train on the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus division collided with a Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley division train and eleven persons were killed.

He says the trains were running too closely together, the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus engine carried defective equipment, and the crew of the other train were not able to see the danger signal soon enough.

American Coal For Egypt

Cardiff, Wales, Dec. 24.—The report that 100,000 tons of American coal was being purchased by the Egyptian railroads in place of the customary Welsh supplies caused a sensation here.

Fatal Duel Over Girl

Washington, Pa., Dec. 24.—Following a quarrel over the affections of a girl, Albert Quinn, aged 28, was shot to death by Harry Musconey in a pistol duel at West Sollarsville.

Auto Tires Eat Money

Savannah, Dec. 24.—In a speech here General Leonard Wood said the people of the United States spend more for auto tires than is appropriated for the navy.

LUDWIG REFUSES THRONE

Son of Luitpod Vetoes Proposal to Take Title of King

Munich, Dec. 24.—Prince Ludwig, the new prince regent of Bavaria, sent a letter to the Bavarian premier vetoing the movement to place him on the throne as king, which had already assumed great headway.

He declares he desires loyally to administer the inheritance bequeathed to him by his father, and therefore he expresses categorically his desire that nothing should be done for the present in the matter.

THE WOMAN WITH THE BIRD HAT

By DONALD CHAMBERLAIN

One day when I was conductor on the R. L. and T. railroad I took a ticket from a woman, and the only thing about her I remembered was that she wore a hat with a bird on it.

Not long after I took up her ticket the train shot into a tunnel. Nowadays in all passenger trains on well regulated roads one or more lamps are lighted, but in those times they didn't light up—at any rate, not unless the tunnel was a very long one. I was in the car where the woman with the bird hat was sitting, and when we entered the tunnel I sat down in the rear seat next the door. During the passage in the darkness—when we were about half way through, I reckon—I heard a moan. Of course one can't tell where sound comes from without the aid of his eyes, but it seemed to me in this instance to come from about the center of the car. I remembered that there were two men sitting on the left in different seats and a man and a woman, also in different seats, on the right. The woman was the one with the bird in her hat and was sitting a few seats forward of the center of the car. We were approaching the end of the route, which accounted for there being so few persons in the car.

Naturally, as soon as we shot out of the tunnel, I looked over the passengers to see if anything had happened to any of 'em. I noticed that the woman in the bird hat had sunk down against the window. I ran to her, and the first thing I noticed when I reached her was blood on her dress. Her face, too, was white as a sheet. She looked to me as if she were dead, and it turned out that she was. There was a doctor in the next car in the rear, who, being summoned, examined her and found a wound in her breast, made evidently by a knife.

As soon as I regained my wits I looked over the persons who had gathered around the woman. I didn't see a guilty face among them. I recalled how many passengers were in the car when we entered the tunnel and missed one man, but which one of the men I couldn't tell. Then it occurred to me to go through the train and investigate. I also questioned the brakemen. All the information I gathered was from the brakeman on the car where the murder had been committed, who said that when we entered the tunnel he came into the car and sat down in the forward end seat, as I sat on the rear end. While we were in the tunnel the forward door had opened and closed, it seemed, very carefully so as to make no noise. He felt it press against his foot.

Months passed, and there was no explanation of the mystery. I confess I never entered the tunnel after that, and I passed through it every day, without a bit of a shudder, though after the murder we always had the cars lighted before going into it. But after a year had elapsed I grew used to it and thought no more about it. One day when we were approaching the "hole," as we railroad men called the tunnel, I was passing down the aisle of the second car, which was the one in which the murder had been done, when I noticed a man sitting in one of the seats with a wild eye in his head muttering to himself. He seemed to be one of those persons with abnormal cerebral activity, so I passed on without paying attention to him. I came back into the car immediately after we had passed through the tunnel and saw the same man at a wash basin next to the saloon washing his hands.

Having no duty to perform till we reached the next station, I took a seat in the car and within ten minutes after the man had washed his hands he got up from his seat, went to the basin and washed them again. Though a bit surprised, I thought nothing of the matter, but when, after the next stop, I went through the car to take the tickets I saw the same man washing his hands again I began to notice the fact. Within an hour he washed them five times.

I had long before read in a paper an account of a French murderer who gave himself away by continually trying to wash blood from his hands and probably this suggested the thought that perhaps this man was trying to do the same thing. The next connecting link was remembering that murderers are drawn irresistibly to the scene of their crime, and might not this man have killed the woman in the bird decorated hat?

Taking a seat directly behind him and pointing to where the unfortunate woman had sat, I said to him:

"That woman over there seems to be ill."

There was no woman near where I pointed.

"What woman?" he asked, a frightened look coming over his face.

"The one with the bird on her hat."

He had no power to speak further. I had applied the "third degree," which in his case was a very simple process. I left him, but kept an eye on him to the end of the route, having instructed a brakeman to telegraph for the police to meet us at the station on our arrival.

The man pleaded guilty to the murder and suffered the penalty of his crime. Since those days the happenings in unlighted railroad trains passing through tunnels have ceased. I often wonder that there were not more crimes committed under circumstances so favorable to such acts.

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QUIET DAY AMONG LEADERS

But Other Candidates Improve the Opportunity

MISS RANDALL MOVES UP

None of the first four candidates in the Washington contest made gains today, but six of the next eleven improved the opportunity to close up the gap, about 1500 votes being cast today.

Mrs. Emma Marnock, the Woman's Relief Corps candidate, made the largest gain, and is after that insurance man.

Miss Ethel Randall, a stenographer at the Fore River shipyard, more than doubled her vote of yesterday, and has moved up from No. 15 to No. 12.

Mr. Kessler and Miss Morrisett made good gains and retain their positions of No. 5 and No. 7.

Sam Shellman with a gain of 130 moves up two places and says he is going higher.

Mr. Bowditch is pluging along and expects to have four figures in his total in a few days.

Perhaps the surprise of the day was the jump of Walter Mead, a High school boy who moves up from No. 65 to No. 16, in the same division as Richard Larkin, Joseph Barber and Harry Burr.

The appeal of Richard H. Joyce for votes did not go unheeded, and he also is moving up; gains were made by John H. Hart, Isabella Smollett, Clara Stoddard and J. F. Gallagher.

The joker is busy and is probably responsible for the addition of the names of Capt. Fred Smith, George Westland and J. Nathan to the list.

MASSACHUSETTS MILITIA

It is expected that Massachusetts will be represented in the inaugural parade at Washington on March 4 by at least two thousand members of the militia. Two ergiments of infantry—the Fifth and Eighth— the regiment of Coast Artillery, reserves, the Second Corps of Cadets, and Troop D. of the First Squadron of Cavalry, are making preparations for the trip. The Coast Artillery, under Colonel Lombard, has closed a contract for the Fall River line steamer Plymouth and will sail from Fall River for Jersey City the Saturday night previous to March 4. This corps will arrive in Washington on Sunday afternoon and will quarter—two battalions—in the olr armory of the National Rifles, while one battilion has secured quarters near the ormory. The Fifth and Eighth regiments will go all rail, starting a day after the departure of the artillerymen. The Second Cadets also will go by rail. It is likely that other commands of the militia will attend, and military men would not be surprised to see the Commonwealth represented by enough troops to make two provisional brigades. The expense of moving this large number of men to Washington and return is to be borne by officers and men.

ANOTHER PRIZE

A larger vote certificate is offered as a prize this week—one good for 500 votes—for the "biggest gain" during the week ending at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 30. Any candidate has as good a chance as another to win this prize.

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The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	26940
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	13120
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	4270
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2915
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	2540
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St	1990
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1305
Galen Bowditch, messenger	675
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	495
Sam Shellman, Granite street	420
Ethel Randall, stenographer	375
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kelvin court	360
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Richard Larkin, High school	185
Walter Mead, High school	170
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	130
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	120
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	125
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	95
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
John H. Hart, timekeeper	95
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	90
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Michael P. Barry Fire dept.	85
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	85
Williaim Erickson, F. of A.	85
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	85
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	80
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod.	80
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	80
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	70
William Kelley, conductor	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	65
William Allen, Eagles	65
B. L. Smith, Fore River ,	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Clara Stoddard, S. of V Aux.	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
George Powers, Fore River	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
Richard H. Joyce, West Quincy	55
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	50
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	50
John Evans, Progressive	50
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	45
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	45
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	45
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
J. McCullough, shipyard	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
J. Hynes, shipfitter	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
Robert Brown, "Wet wash"	10
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Capt. Fred Smith, Broadway	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	5
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5
A. I. Dixon, Fat Men's Club	5
Belle A. Laing, Bedford St.	5
George Westland, Quincy	5
J. Nathan, Granite st	5

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FEDERAL GRAND JURY ACTS

Heads of New Haven and Grand Trunk Roads Alleged to Have Conspired to Head Off Grand Trunk Extension, Combining to Kill Competition In an Illegal Manner

New York, Dec. 24.—The United States grand jury returned an indictment charring conspiracy in violation of the Sherman law against Charles S. Mellen, president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad; E. J. Chamberlin, president of the Grand Trunk railroad, and Alfred W. Smithers, chairman of the board of directors of the Grand Trunk.

The indictments are based on traffic agreements entered into between the New Haven and Grand Trunk railroads as a result of which it is alleged the Grand Trunk abandoned its plan to build the Southern New England railroad into Providence and other New England points.

It is charged that this agreement constitutes a conspiracy in restraint of trade and the officials of the road who confessedly made the agreement were indicted after an exhaustive inquiry, during which many witnesses were called.

The indictment first describes the system of the New Haven railroad, and shows its tracks spread over the whole of New England and into New York and Canada, and that it is engaged in interstate and foreign commerce in the transportation of persons and property, and specifically mentions the commerce between the eastern cities of Providence, Pawtucket and Woonsocket in Rhode Island, and Boston, Worcester, Lowell, Blackstone, Uxbridge and other towns of Massachusetts on the line of the extension of the Grand Trunk railway in New England, and Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Milwaukee and Detroit in the west.

The indictment next describes the Grand Trunk railway system and asserts that it controls a line of steamships operating between New York city and New London, Conn., and controls the Central Vermont Railroad company, operating between New London and running through Connecticut, Massachusetts, Vermont and New Hampshire and reaching the Canadian border, where it connects with the Grand Trunk line, and that by means of the control of subsidiary lines the Grand Trunk reaches the eastern cities already mentioned as being reached by connections of the New Haven system.

The indictment then describes the formation of the Southern New England Railway company in Rhode Island and the Southern New England Railway corporation in Massachusetts, and the granting of authority by those states to construct a line of railroad from Palmer, Mass., on the line of the Central Vermont through Uxbridge and Blackstone in Massachusetts, and Woonsocket and Pawtucket to Providience, in Rhode Island, and other lines in Massachusetts from Uxbridge to Worcester and from Blackstone to Boston, and from Boston northeasterly through Massachusetts and New Hampshire to connect with the Central Vermont railway at White River Junction.

The indictment explains that the Grand Trunk and Central Vermont lines proposed to operate the said extension and operate a line of steamships from Providence to New York; that a contract was entered into for the construction of two steamships for this purpose, and that on May 22, 1912, work was begun on the construction of the line from Palmer to Providence and was continued until Nov. 9, 1912, during which time there had been expended on said lines and on the steamships the sum of 2,000,000, and that there had been further incurred obligations to the extent of $2,000,000.

The indictment then sets forth that the New Haven and Grand Trunk railroads have heretofore been in competition with each other. It is then charged that Mellen, Chamberlin and others entered into a combination to kill this competition in an illegal manner.

Seven overt acts are set forth in the indictment.

LITTLE GIRL A HEROINE

Displays Great Fortitude While Doctors Sew Up a Serious Wound

Boston, Dec. 24.—Mary Daley, 8 years old, was seriously injured by a trolley car in Dorchester. She won the admiration of the surgeons and of the Sisters of Charity at Carney hospital by her fortitude when the doctors were giving her treatment.

It was necessary to sew up a gaping scalp wound without a moment's delay. The little girl showed the stoicism of a soldier until the operation had been finished.

BABY WOOD DUCKS.

The Journey to the Water When They Leave Their Lofty Nests.

Somebody, Burroughs, I believe, said "the notion that the mother duck takes the young birds one by one in her beak and carries them to the creek is doubtless erroneous." I could not see how else it could be done, writes a contributor to the Youth's Companion, and I spent several valuable days of several different years in trying to find out how it was done.

The thing that puzzled me was how the mother wood duck (Aix sponsa) managed to get her numerous progeny down from their lofty cradle and upon the water without injuring them. I was not alone in my ignorance; some very eminent ornithologists have wondered about the matter as well.

After a five mile pull one hot June day I let my boat lie in the shade of some lofty cottonwoods that grew on the lake shore, while I lay back and watched the play of shadows on the calm water.

A splash near by attracted my attention, and I looked round to see a mother wood duck just alighting. There was a little one by her side, but I did not see how it got there. In a moment the old duck rose, circled a few times to gain altitude, and made direct for a hole in a large dead tree a few rods away. The hole was at least sixty feet from the ground. The duck squeezed her body through the opening and disappeared. She came back in a few moments with a duckling in her mouth. After resting for a moment she came sailing down and placed this baby beside the first. One after another she carried down the entire brood of eleven little yellow and black fluffy balls. They flapped their tiny wings and fluttered in the water as if that were not the first time they had ever been in swimming.

The mother duck returned once more to the tree to make sure that she had not overlooked one, came back, placed herself at the head of the procession, called softly to her babies and swam away, followed by the entire family in single file.

A QUAINT PHILOSOPHER.

He Deftly Turned His Little Faults Into Real Virtues.

In August Strindberg's "Easter (a play) and Stories," translated from the Swedish by Velma Swanston Howard, is a quaint bit of conscience easing reasoning by a matter of fact philosophical photographer. He had a partner, who posed as a real, a faultless, philosopher. But this matter of fact chap was "full of little eccentricities. For instance, he smoked tobacco all day long; he could never learn to close a door after him; he stuck the knife into his mouth instead of the fork; he went about in the house with his hat on; he manicured his nails in the middle of the atelier, and at night he had to have three mugs of ale. He was full of faults."

To his faultless partner the matter of fact one thus justified his shortcomings: "Just consider! I do not drink to excess, therefore I attend to the business. I don't steal, I never speak ill of you, I never complain, I never turn white into black, I'm never uncivil to customers, I rise early in the morning, I trim my nails to keep the developer clean, I keep my hat on my head so as not to shed hairs on the plate, I smoke tobacco to clear the atmosphere of poisonous fumes, I leave the doors ajar to avoid making a noise in the atelier, I drink ale at night so as not to fall into the whisky habit, and I shove my knife into my mouth to avoid sticking myself with the fork."

"Verily, thou art a great philosopher," said the partner. "Now we shall be friends, and thus we'll make headway."

Bound to Hit Something.

There is a cross eyed man in Cleveland who is an enthusiastic trap shooter; furthermore, he is an expert. His record is a thing to be proud of. One day last autumn a nervy friend ventured to question him thus:

"You are so horribly cross eyed that I don't see how you are able to shoot straight."

"I'll tell you my secret. I squint along the left barrel with my right eye, and I squint along the right barrel with my left eye"—

"Yes?"

"And then I fire both barrels."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Courts of Love.

"Courts of love" were established in the middle ages, when chivalry was at its height and love the serious occupation of life among the higher class of society. The first "court of love" was established in the south of France in the twelfth century and was composed of knights, poets and ladies, and their decisions on subtle questions connected with affairs of the heart were given with great formality.

The German I and You.

It is surprising when any one takes the trouble to notice how many letters begin with the pronoun "I." To Germans this is egotistical, and their etiquette in letter writing forbids it. It is probably on the same principle that they write I (ich) always with a small letter and you (Sie) with a capital, reversing the English custom.

She Agreed.

Will—The sight of an old schoolmate is—er—well, it might be called both meat and drink.

Bertha—Yes; that's what you men usually do in the circumstances.

"Eh?"

"Meet and drink."

THE HOLLOW LOG

By M. QUAD

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The lazy man of the village of Comstock was Tom White. He made no pretensions to lame backs and other pains and aches, but said that the girl he married knew all about his laziness beforehand and must therefore abide the results. As she made no kick about earning with her needle the main support, the public did not feel toward him as it otherwise might.

All lazy men are more or less optimistic. Tom White was wholly so. Any man who lost a cow or horse by death, any one that had a barn burned by lightning, any one that bought a gold brick of a passing stranger, was made to feel that life still held something for him after a talk with Tom.

Tom White was lazy, but he was not a liar. Lying and laziness generally go together. The community took this into account when sizing him up and said of him:

"No matter how lazy he is, you can always believe what he says."

One evening after Tom had been the champion lazy man of the village for fifteen years he had a seat with a half a dozen other men around the redhot stove in Snyder's grocery. He hadn't been doing any talking when all of a sudden he said:

"Boys, I had a singular dream Wednesday night, and it was repeated Thursday and Friday nights."

"Was it hard work?" was laughingly asked by one.

"I thought you looked done up," added a second.

Nearly all had some remark to make, and when they were through Tom continued:

"You have all dreamed all sorts of dreams, but lemme ask if any one here has ever dreamed of a holler log?"

"Beech, oak or maple?"

"I dunno. Jest a holler log."

"In the woods or where?"

"Didn't seem to be in the woods in my case, and yet I can't say where else."

"How long was it?"

"Ten or twelve feet, mebbe."

"Was the hollow large enough for you to crawl into?"

It was some time before they would take the man seriously, but his serious face and sober answers finally prevailed, and he said:

"I didn't dream that I was walking anywhere, but I did dream that I stood beside a holler log with an ax in hand. There was some one else near by, and a voice said:

"'Tom, split it open.'

"Yes, boys, the voice said them words, and I obeyed the command."

"And out jumped a dozen rabbits, and you killed them all and are going to have rabbit potpie for a fortnight to come?"

"No rabbits jumped out."

"What did?"

"The log was punky as well as holler. Two or three blows split it wide open, and there in the middle of the holler was an old tomato can. It looked as if it had been there for forty years."

"But you are not going to tell us that the tomatoes were spoiled?"

"Boys, the contents of that can could not spile in a thousand years. The can was sealed up, and when I broke it open it was full of twenty dollar gold pieces."

"By George!"

"You don't say!"

"But it was only a dream!"

"Jest a dream," replied Tom, "but I dreamed it three nights running, you must remember."

"Shucks!" exclaimed one of the listeners after a moment of silence. "We all know what dreams are. There isn't a man in the state that ever dreamed anything that came to pass."

"Reckon not," was Tom's comment.

"But you think this will?"

"Of course."

"Then you haven't got the sense of a chickadee!"

"I know it, but it will come to pass. I'm going to look for that holler log and find it. There's a can of gold in it."

In a day or two the whole town was discussing the dream, and the people were pretty evenly divided. No matter how vigorously the opposition denied the dream business, they were among those that shouldered axes and went hunting through field and forest in search of hollow logs. This search continued for a week and then was given up. Tom White himself did not participate. It was cold weather, and he said he would wait for spring. If the others found the log and the gold it would be their good luck.

One hot day in July he sat down under a cherry tree in his back yard, and with his back braced against the trunk he fell asleep. By and by his wife came to the door and called:

"Tom, I want to bake some pies, and you must split some wood."

The wood pile consisted of two or three old logs and chunks left over from the winter. Slowly the sleeper rubbed his eyes and got to his feet, and after a bit he lifted the ax and began on one of the logs. The third blow split it in half.

"Was the can there?"

"It sure was."

"And full of gold?"

"The same."

Who put that can there and when didn't count. Tom got it and used it and is using it still, and the most he has had to say when questioned about dreams was:

"You see, it was a holler log I dreamed of."

GORDON'S BLUNDER.

Grave Tactical Mistake of a Budding English General.

When General Gordon was a lad at school he was as mischievous as most boys. When the boys had done anything wrong they were shut up in a large, barely furnished room and set to write lines from a Latin author.

Gordon was one of the most frequent prisoners in this room, and he used to be annoyed by the boys who were free coming to the door and jeering at him through the keyhole. Resolving to get even, he procured a large syringe, and, taking it with him the next time he went to write lines, he went round to the various desks and sucked up the ink into the syringe.

By and by he heard stealthy footsteps coming down the passage. Nearer and nearer they came and at last halted outside the door. "They are peeping through the keyhole," whispered the future general, and, placing the syringe to the keyhole, he squirted the contents through with all the energy he could muster.

There was a smothered exclamation of disgust, and then some one fumbled with the handle of the door. It opened, and in stalked the head master, his face black with wrath and his once snowy shirt front black with ink. We must draw a veil over the painful scene which followed.—London Globe.

HART'S EASY JOB.

Slept For a Week and Made Enough to Live on For a Year.

To sleep for one's living, says the London Chronicle, may appeal to some as a more attractive alternative than to work for one's living. But the feat has been achieved. In the Daily Courant of Aug. 9, 1711, the following advertisement appears: "Nicholas Hart, who slept last year in St. Bartholomew's hospital, intends to sleep this year at the Cock and Bottle in Little Britain." Some further particulars of this professional somnolist are to be found in the Spectator for Oct. 1 of that year. It appears that Hart was every year seized with a periodical fit of sleeping, which began on Aug. 5 and ended on the 11th. Its various stages are thus described:

"On the 1st of that month he grew dull; on the 2d, appeared drowsy; on the 3d, fell a-yawning; on the 4th, began to nod; on the 5th, dropped asleep; on the 6th, was heard to snore; on the 7th, turned himself in his bed; on the 8th, recovered his former posture; on the 9th, fell a-stretching; on the 10th, about midnight, awaked; on the 11th, in the morning, called for a little small beer." This performance, it is asserted, gained for Hart "enough to support himself for a twelvemonth."

Polished and Vigorous.

Observing a passenger with the unlighted butt of a cigar in his fingers, the street car conductor requested him to put it out.

"It is out, you chump," responded the passenger.

"Pardon me," resumed the conductor, "if I have failed to make myself clear. The condition to which I had reference was not one of mere temporary noncombustion, but of elimination, the eradication, I might say, of the physical presence of your nicotine laden remnant, this process followed necessarily by cessation of the odor now permeating an atmosphere already somewhat deficient, I fear, in the essential element of ozone. I'm a humble conductor, and my aim is to please; but, you big porcine stiff, you throw that cigar through the door or I'll throw you and it both. See?"

"Excuse me, professor," replied the passenger meekly, and the incident was closed.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Running as Exercise.

The fact that a person is capable of doing the best running and speed walking before the thirtieth year need not lead those who have passed the third decade to think that they are on the down grade of life, says an authority. These exercises call for elasticity of the arteries, and that lessens soon after the thirtieth year, but powers of endurance increase in the well preserved man or woman up to fifty or fifty-five or even later. Soldiers of fifty are like leather and can perform feats of endurance that would kill the stripling, and the same is true of women.

Dame Fortune.

"Pa, why do they call it 'Dame' Fortune?"

"Because Dame is feminine. Fortune is symbolized as a woman."

"Why do they symbolize Fortune as a woman?"

"Because she's nearly always late when you have an engagement with her."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Took Wind Out of Their Sails.

Addressing one of his southern audiences, Sam Jones once requested all the husbands present who had not spoken a harsh word to their wives for a month to stand up. He shook hands with those who arose and then introduced them to the rest of the audience as the "twenty-seven biggest liars in Tennessee."

Realistic.

"How did the moving pictures of the wedding turn out?"

"Oh, splendidly. They caught the bride when she was knocked senseless by being hit with an old shoe, so that it is just as natural as life."—Chicago Record-Herald.

All who have meant good work with their whole heart have done good work, although they may die before they have signed it.—R. L. Stevenson.

One Sin of Housekeeping.

The ultimate sin of the housekeeping code is straightening things out in a desk or on a table. When I depart from my quarters in the morning my sitting room table looks self possessed and homelike, bearing three ash trays, four or five books, matches, a pipe, a can of tobacco, papers, magazines, pencils, pens, a letter or two, a bottle of ink and maybe a necktie or so. A place for everything and everything just where it ought to be easy to reach or thereabouts. But, alas, on return what a state that table is in. The books have been put back on the shelves, the ash trays mobilized, pen and pencils arranged in orderly lines, neckties stuck away in a dresser and the letters planted in the most conspicuous place with those containing bills uppermost. —Toledo Blade.

Pliny's Jewel Stories.

Pliny declared that a diamond was so hard that if placed on an anvil and struck with a sledge hammer it would give back a blow of such force as to shiver both anvil and hammer to pieces. Another of his wonderful tales states that "on the shore of the island of Cyprus there was a stone lion having eyes formed of emeralds, which shone so brightly that all the fishes were ingloriously frightened away. The fishermen accordingly pulled the emeralds out and put in glass eyes instead, whereupon the wise fishes became bolder and returned to their accustomed nets."

His Income.

"They say you get 250 marks a month. I can't believe it. Tell me how."

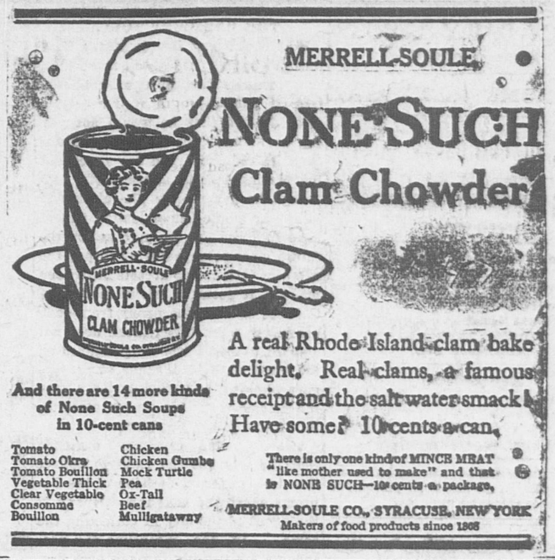
"I get 110 marks salary; then I don't pay my rent, 40 marks; that's 150 marks; I owe the milkman 30 marks, that's 180 marks; my butcher 40 marks, 220 marks, and every month I raise 30 marks out of my friends, making an income of 250 marks a month!"—Fliegende Blatter.

Sorrows of Authorship.

"Paradise Lost" brought Milton only a paltry £5—about $25 of our money.

Hawthorne for twenty years continued to be, to use his own words, "the obscurest man of letters in America." "There is not much market for my wares," he said at another time.

Thoreau is an interesting example. A thousand copies of his "A Week on the Concord and Merrimac Rivers" were printed, but very few of these were sold, and a considerable number were given away by the author. The remainder were returned to him and were stored in his attic. He grimly observed, "I have now a library of 900 volumes, the greater portion of which I myself have written."—New York Press.



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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Last call for Santa Claus.

A merry Christmas to one and all.

Will the dock get docked or docketed?

The battle for cheap eggs in Boston developed a little internal warfare.

Only a few more days girls for that Leap year privilege.

Don't forget the poor Coal trust in the distribution of Christmas favors.

Mr. Sulzer says the New York state budget is too big. He will have ample time to revise that opinion.

The young men will have their weather eye peeled for the mistletoe bough tomorrow.

And now some of the wise ones say Mr. Wilson will start out wrong. They will not even give the poor man a chance to start right.

Despite much vaunted common sense the average person usually nibbles at the bait to get something for nothing.

An actress advises against the mixture of perfumes. There are other mixtures which advice could be given which would produce good results if followed.

Street gangs in any city should not be tolerated. They do not benefit themselves and are a nuisance to the average person.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon is not going to mope about Washington. Unless he was active in congressional work he he would feel lost in Washington.

The little girl who asked Gov. Wilson to adopt her should remember that he has three grown ups on his hands at the present time.

The government plans to reopen the Shoe Machinery Company case. Nothing is said as to the publicity of the hearing.

The Spugs are gaining new recruits every day. Some people have been charter and life members of the organization before it was formally organized.

The Boston license board contends that many of the liquor law provisions are useless as they cannot be enforced. A good way to have them eliminated would be a practical operation of the measures.

The Eugenic or any other baby will be liable to cry about as much as he pleases whether the parents or others like it or not.

Young Mr. Astor is a member of the Rhinebeck fire department. He will turn out with the gang in red shirt and cap and take his place on the brakes of the "Old Masheen."

The Salvation Army will help out many a deserving family tomorrow. The Elks will also arrange something in the same line and churches and individuals will add their quota to lift the burdens of the afflicted. All of which is accepted as part of the day and season.

THE ONE CENT TOLL.

Within the past few days, the East Boston tunnel has been more than conspicuously thrown upon the curtain of publicity. A representative elect decided that he would not pay the usual one cent toll and the authorities could not find any precedent for placing him in durance vile although he has martyr like attempted to appear at the bar of justice. Others have followed the example set by the future state solon, refusing to pay the one cent toll, but no arrests have been made. It seems a trivial matter on the face of it. The penny from each passenger when taken alone does not amount to much, but when figured on the basis of the thousands of passengers who use the tunnel during a year the income from this source must total up to a pretty tidy sum.

The Elevated Company contends that the city has the right to collect the toll under a decision of the Supreme court and that the company is the agent of the city in collecting the same. In the meantime the passengers are passing through each day, paying the regular toll. If every passenger should take the stand which the representative elect did there would be a pretty condition of affairs at the tunnel collection points. Traffic would be held up and the offenders would be severely condemned by the people whom they discommoded. Many people were discommoded by the conduct of the few who declined to pay. A reasonable amount of properly exercised judgment would indicate that the time for the testing of this particular bit of law would have been more fittingly conducted at a period remote from the Christmas holidays.

WITH COATING OF WHITE.

Contrary to expectations, the green Christmas which was promised has given place to a white one. Up to this morning, it looked very much as if there would not be any snow and that Santa Claus would have to make his trip by wagon or automobile. But a wonderful change has been wrought in a few hours. The earth is covered with a coating of white. The storm which started in early this morning gives promise of continuing all day, so that Santa will not be alone in his delight of travelling with his reindeer drawn vehicle over the snow covered earth. The average small boy is tickled to death. The sled which he pictured hanging lonesome and idle has been taken from its place. Many gift problems have been solved by this change of weather. The puzzled personage who wanted to get something for the small boy or girl and put it off until the last moment in hopes of some inspiration is satisfied. The weather has solved the problem. The snow has furnished excuse for a sled gift and the givers mind is at rest. And while the Spugs may flourish within their own little circle. The great majority of the people will continue the good old custom and derive joy from the giving and unbounded pleasure at the gladness of others in receiving.

LOWELL INSTITUTE LECTURES.

Free public lectures, under the Lowell Institute (founded in 1836 by John Lowell, Jr., and opened to the public in 1839), will be given in King's Chapel, Boston, on "The Quest of Salvation in the Greek and Roman World," by Clifford H. Moore, professor of Latin in Harvard University. January 6, "Orphism, Pythagoreanism, and the Greek Mysteries;" January 13, "Religious Philosophy;" January 20, "The Mysteries of Isis, Milthras, and the Great Mother"; January 27, "Christianity;" and February 3, "The Relation of Christianity to its Environment."

"Chapters in the History of Mohammedanism," from the point of view of comparative theology, with especial attention to correspondences in the development of Christian theology, will be given by George F. Moore, D. D., LL. D., professor of the history of religion in Harvard University: February 10, "The Theology of the Koran;" February 17, "Controversies about Faith and Free Will," "The Rationalists;" February 24, "Asceticism and Mysticism;" March 3, "The Great Schism," "Moslem Gnosticism;" March 10, "Modern Movements, including Babism and Behaism."

Admission is free and no tickets will be required.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS.

Christmas cheer prevailed throughout City Hall today. There was a general interchange of remembrances among the lady clerks in the Hall and the clerks were also remembered by the official in whose office they were employed. Mayor Stone also remembered all of the clerks.

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LITTLE FOLKS HAD CARNIVAL

Christmas Party at First Church Proved Delightful

A children's party was given in First church chapel, Monday afternoon, under the auspices of Quincy Alliance, and the faces of the little ones beamed with pleasure and happiness.

Games were enjoyed, and entered into with hearty good will. The young ladies assisting were Misses Ella Packard, Marice Ring, Rachel Hardwick, Sybil Marsh, Alice Arnold, Lucile Elwell, Elizabeth Atwood and Miriam Marsh. Miss Ruth Penniman presided at the piano.

During an intermission Miss Mary Massida sang a group of songs, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Theresa Massida at piano, Tripoli, Sugar Moon and Laughing Song. These songs were greatly enjoyed and re-received hearty applause.

At five o'clock the children marched to the banquet room, Mrs. Edward B. Marsh playing an inspiring march on the piano. There was a bountiful supply of sandwiches, all kinds of delicious cake, oranges, candy, ice cream and tea for the mothers.

Mrs. E. Granville Pratt was chairman of the supper committee. Mrs. William Hodgkinson, Mrs. George G. Saville, Miss Hattie B. Pierce, Miss Flora Underwood, Miss Marice Ring, Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Miss Alice Arnold, Mrs. Edward B. Marsh and Miss Rachel Hardwick assisted in serving the guests.

After supper the children and mothers returned to the chapel where a dress rehearsal of the play, "Mother Goose's Christmas Visit," was presented by the following characters, Santa Claus, Samuel T. McQuarrie; Mrs. Santa Claus, Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis; Mother Goose, Mrs. Ralph L. Lovell; Little Red Riding Hood, Natalie Saville; Little Boy Blue, Stanhope Ring; Little Bo-Peep, Florence Mead; Little Jack Horner, Rogers Burgin; Queen of Hearts, Dorothy Edwards; Old Mother Hubbard, Dorothy Packard; Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe, Ella Packard; Jack and Gill, Donald Parker and Norma Johnson.

The play was beautifully presented and when Santa Claus appeared, he was greeted with much applause. He remembered the guests very generously each child receiving a bag of candy, also a nice pair of mittens and each mother a pair of warm gloves. The tree presented a fine appearance with its garlands of pop corn, gay ornaments, brilliant lights and crimson bells suspended at the top.

The party was a decided success as each and all expressed their delight and appreciation and smiling faces were much in evidence.

The committees which arranged and carried out the details of the affair is certainly to be congratulated. Mrs. George G. Saville, president of the Alliance, was the director, ably assisted by Miss Hattie B. Pierce, Mrs. John Christiansen and Mrs. Fred Simpson. Mrs. Frank S. Davis was chairman of the committee on invitations, Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Miss Jennie Purchase and Miss L. Alice Putnam, assisting. Mrs. Edward B. Marsh was chairman of the committee for purchasing gifts, assisted by Mrs. Adelbert L. Hudson and Mrs. John L. Gow. About sixty mothers and children attended.

BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Perry of Massachusetts avenue will spend Christmas with his parents at Somerville.

Mrs. Anne French of Greenleaf street was the guest of relatives in Weymouth, the first of the week.

Miss Margaret Stewart of Upland road will spend Christmas at Bath Maine.

Mrs. Sylvester Brown of Wollaston announce the engagement of her daughter, Mollie Gilbert, to Mr. Willard Perkins Sheppard of East Braintree.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Josselyn of Wollaston announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Barstow, to Mr. Samuel Crowell, Jr., son of Dr. Samuel Crowell of Dorchester.

The special committee on the question of a public dock will meet at City Hall Thursday evening. At this meeting the committee will prepare its report to be presented to the next meeting of the council.

Exalted Ruler Philip H. Sullivan of Quincy lodge of Elks has arranged for a pleasing entertainment to be given at the club house on Foster street tonight after the business meeting, which will be short.

It is not generally known that Mme. Loisa Tetrazzini of the Boston Opera company is a poetess as well as the most wonderful coloratura singer of today. Her life is such a busy one that it is not often that she has the time to take her pen in hand and dash off a few stanzas. However, she considers the holiday season a fitting time to send a poetic greeting to the thousands of American music lovers who are her devoted admirers, and so in her native Italian she has written the verses which follow, the English translation being made by Mr. Shelley, the Philadelphia writer.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

"A bright, Merry Christmas!" The glad salutation
Betokens the peace which in every clime
Engenders a spirit of brotherly kindness
When sweet Christmas bells peal their jubilant chime.

In palace and cottage, in fortress and cloister,
The joyous refrain of the angelic choir
Is echoed in measures of tonal harmonics
That mount to the heavens like music of fire.

Let swords in their scabbards attest to the Noel,
Let rumors of strife and of struggle be stilled,
To men of good will be there peace and contentment,
The world is at rest, for the Lord has so willed.

STORES HELD LURE FOR JOHN

On His Way Home When Alarm Sounded His Loss

RUSHED FOR THE FIRE

The lost child call at 5.32 Monday night was to summons help to search for John, the 7 year old son of Dennis McCarthy of Copeland street who had been missing since 2 o'clock. The little fellow showed up at home however soon after the alarm sounded. It seems that desiring to see what was doing in City Square on the holiday, he had wandered down town and had a fine time in the stores. He was having a ride on the back of a wagon toward home and was at Brewer's corner when the call sounded. He recognized the box as being that near his home and jumping from the slow going wagon ran home to see the fire. When he arrived he found a crowd collected and about to go on a search for him.

DISTRICT COURT.

Antonio Pagnani and Dani Raffo were arraigned on two complaints charging them with assault on Officer Curtin and for attempting to rescue a prisoner. Cases continued until Friday.

Adisto Pagnani and Frank LoPresto were arraigned for alleged mutual assault at Quincy. Cases continued until Friday.

PLAN PLEASANT TIME.

As usual on the night before Christmas the Granite club will make merry at its rooms in the Savings Bank building and keep open house. An orchestra will discourse lively music during the evening and there are several other things that the Entertainment Committee have up their sleeve to make the evening a pleasant one.

DIED IN BEACHMONT.

Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Smith of 8 Berlin street died after two weeks illness at the home of her daughter at Beachmont, Monday. The body will be brought to this city and the funeral will take place from the home of her son Edward Smith of 8 Berlin street on Christmas Day. Services will be conducted by Rev. Wesley Wiggin of Wollaston. The deceased was 79 years of age, widow of William H. Smith and the mother of a number of children.

Generous Soul.

"Now, Jim," said the old lady to her son, who was about to leave the countryside to try his luck in London, "there's plenty of money in that big city, for the streets are said to be even paved with gold."

Jim "had his doots," but these were quickly removed, for he had barely got out of Euston station when, to his surprise, he espied slyly reposing on the kerb a bright, glittering sovereign. Eagerly he picked it up and walked a little farther on, when he came across a blind man who was begging.

At once his sympathetic heart went out to the unfortunate man, and as he put the sovereign into his hand he said:

"Take this, my friend. I can see 'em, tha' can't!"—London Globe.

Scared Both of Them.

When Justice Maule was on the bench a bullying counsel was one day browbeating an elderly female witness in a case before him. Having badgered her into a state of utter speechlessness, the lawyer appealed to the judge to make her answer his questions. "Why do you not answer, madam?" asked the judge. "Because, my lord, he scares me so," replied the trembling woman. "So does he me, ma'am," said the judge.—Law Notes.

Like the Mythical Dragon.

In the Malay archipelago is a reptile much like the mythical dragon. It has false ribs that extend the loose skin and form its wings. There is also a frog with spreading feet that makes a parachute which enables it to flit from tree to tree, and a flying lemur that can spread out its whole body like an umbrella and leap and fly a hundred feet at a time, from the top of one tree to another.

Preaching and Practice.

"Isn't it horrid," remarked Miss Swyftly to her friend—"isn't it horrid that men will put these nasty old pipes into their mouths?"

"Yes," said her friend emphatically as she stooped and tenderly kissed the black face of her pet pug—"yes, indeed it is."—Pearson's.

A Suggestion.

"John," said Mrs. Slithers, "where can I get a set of resolutions passed by our Civic Sorority yesterday engrossed?"

"I really don't know, my dear," said Slithers. "Why don't you have them embroidered?"—Judge.

Accuracy is the twin brother of honesty.—Simmons.

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A Wonderful Escape.

Fieschi tried to assassinate King Louis Philippe of France in July, 1835. The king was riding along the lines of the national guard in the Boulevard du Temple. There came a crash and a rush of bullets. Louis Philippe's arm was grazed, his horse was shot in the neck, Marshal Mortier fell dead and about thirteen other people were killed and thirty wounded. Fieschi had taken the upper floors of a house several weeks before and there rigged up an oaken frame four feet by three feet six inches, supported on four posts of oak and itself supporting twenty-five gun barrels fixed in grooves at various angles so as to command an area of twenty-five feet in length and ten feet in height. When he fired the train of powder that let off his battery the king would have been killed if four barrels had not burst and two missed fire.

His Title.

"No, I shall never marry," sighed the old bachelor.

The spinster gazed at him scornfully. "You coward!" she hissed.—Philadelphia Record.

Strychnine?

"Say, Maria, have you noticed how this infernal cat jumps in my lap every time I sit down to read?"

"Yes. Well, I suppose the poor thing is tired."

"Well, the next time I go to the drug store I'll get something (biff!) for that tired feline."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

An Ancient Inspiration.

Artist—Here's a cute little inspiration that I thought worthy of preservation in crayon.

Editor (after a hasty glance at the sketch)—Why, I've always supposed that little inspiration was preserved in oil.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Riddle.

His Daughter—Papa, did you know mamma long before you married her? Her Father—Just between you and me, my dear, I don't know her yet.—Chicago News.

A Great Plant.

"What do you think will finally be selected as our national plant?"

"Well, it is dollars to dimes it will be the mint."—Baltimore American.

Christmas Suggestions

HERE IS A LIST of some Useful Gifts this store has on display—they're gifts that every man and boy would buy for his own use. Another thing: every article is sold at the regular low "just around the corner" price — no extra profits here because it's Christmas — so make this your Christmas store.

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Fowne's Cape Gloves in tan, at $1.50 and $2.00

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Mocha Gloves, wool lined, at $1.00 and $1.50

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Mocha Gloves, lined with rabbit or squirrel, $3.50 to $5.00

AUTO GLOVES

Long Gauntlet Auto Gloves, fleece lined at $1.00 and $1.75

Auto Mitts — one-fingered — fleece lined $1.75

UMBRELLAS

Many stores would charge 25c to $1.00 more for the same kind of umbrellas I sell. Men's and women's in all kinds of handles and coverings at $1.00 to $5.00

SLIPPERS

For men, women and children, in felt and leather, 50c to $2.00

NECKWEAR

You won't find any 55c or 59c or 65c prices on any ties here, but at 50c you'll see many that other dealers ask that extra profit on—Thousands of ties to choose from. Other grades 25c (in boxes) to $1.00.

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You can get Links or Scarf Pins, separate or to match, at 25c to $2.00.

STOCKINGS

If you give a fellow a box of Interwoven Sox you'll hit a soft spot. 2 pairs of silk in a box, $1.00. 4 pairs of cotton in a box, $1.00.

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Arm Elastics, with pretty buckles and ribbon trimmed, in hand painted baskets, 50c

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This place is called "The Sweater Store of Quincy." It sells sweaters as it buys, without a jobber's profit.

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YULETIDE SEASON

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row to see what Santa Claus has brought them.

The older people will likewise have some curiosity to learn how they have been treated in this respect.

Many of the churches will hold special services or children's festivals during the day or evening.

The Catholic church of course will hold the usual Christmas services morning and afternoon, with special music at the high masses and vesper service.

The Salvation Army will distribute dinners to the worthy poor at four o'clock this afternoon at the headquarters, 150 Granite street. They plan to give out baskets with turkey, goose or chicken and potatoes, turnips, cranberries, and coffee and sugar and other things if the funds will permit.

Quincy Lodge of Elks will likewise dispense charity and a committee appointed for that purpose give out many dinners to deserving people.

Churches and individuals will also contribute their portion towards the happiness of many people at this time.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. T. C. Martin of the Hall Place M. E. church preached on the "Joy of Discovery," at the Sunday morning service, from the text Luke 2-16—"And the shepherds came with haste and found Mary and Joseph and the babe lying in a manger. Miss Helen Martin sang "The Babe of Bethlehem" and the choir "Glory to God in the highest."

In the evening a pleasing concert was given by the Sunday school with the following program.

Chorus by School, "Marching to the King."

Scripture, responsive reading.

Prayer by Pastor.

Chorus by School, "Open wide ye gates."

Remarks by Supt.

Chorus by School, "Gifts for the King."

Recitation, "A Christmas Gift" Charles Haze

Recitation, "First Christmas Gift," Robert McCormick

Chorus by School, "Glory to God."

Exercise, "The Winter Child"

Seven young ladies from Miss Francis' Class.

Solo, "The Babe of Bethlehem." Miss Helen Martin

Recitation: "The Birthday of my King" Katherine Roberts

Recitation Ernest Miller

Chorus, "Glory to God in the highest"

Mrs. Stewart's, Miss Francis' and Mrs. Martin's classes.

Recitation—Leslie McCormick.

Exercise and song: Miss Edna Burke's class.

Duet "Bending o'er Bethlehem." Miss Manhire and Miss Nichols

"A Christmas Story" Gertrude Trottman

"O Little Town" Charlie Stewart

Chorus by School, "The Orient Star."

Recitations by Myrtle Williams, Howard Fullerlove, Hannah Roberts, Marion Cormack, Mona Norris and Willie Conway.

Remarks by the Pastor.

Anthem, "Songs of the Ages" by the choir with violin obligato by Miss Pauletta Kristofferson.

At the close of the concert, a meeting of the Official Board was called and also a meeting of the 40th Anniversary Committee.

This evening the annual Christmas tree and entertainment will be given in the vestry. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and enjoy the evening.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The musical program for the Christmas morning service which commences at 10.30 A. M. under the direction of Prof. Frank Wrigley, is as follows.

Processional Hymn	49
Hymn	54
Kyril	Eyre in E. Flat
Gloria Tibi	Eyre in E Flat
Credo	Eyre in E Flat
Sursum Cordo	Eyre in E Flat
Sanctus	Eyre in E Flat
Agnus Dei	Eyre in E Flat
Offertory, "There were Shepherds,"	Winchester.
Recessional Hymn	51

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL.

The ancient Swedish custom of holding an early Christmas morning service will be followed as usual by the Swedish Congregational church, Garfield street at 5 o'clock A. M. is the hour set for this service tomorrow.

Beautiful Christmas anthems will be sung by the choir of the church and the congregation.

The Christmas sermon will be preached by the pastor, G. W. Palmgren.

The church will be tastily decorated and beautifully illuminated.

All Scandinavians are invited.

LIBRARY WILL CLOSE.

The Thomas Crane Public library will close this afternoon at 6 o'clock, will remain closed all day Wednesday, and will open again at the regular hour, Thursday.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Christmas is dear to us all, and the Swedes have always made very much of it. It is the intention to celebrate it as the fathers observed the day. Therefore the great and grand early mornig service, "Julotta" will be held Christmas morning at five o'clock.

The program will be as follows:

Organ prelude
Christmas Anthem, No. 35
Liturgy
Selection by the choir
The Gospel
Choral No. 56.
Choir
Sermon, subject: "Christmas Joy."
Song by the choir
Liturgy.

In the evening at 7 o'clock the children's festival will be held and an elaborate program carried out. The church is the great church on the rock on Granite street. All who understand the Swedish language are cordially invited to attend these and other services. Rev. Leander K. Hokenson, Pastor.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.

The Christmas Day observance will commence with the regular masses, concluding with a high mass at 10.30 o'clock. The soloist will be Miss Alice O'Neil, and a mixed chorus of 30 voices will be directed by Miss Frances Cronin, organist. Vespers will be celebrated at four o'clock. The musicale program

The Kyrie, Sanctus, Benedictus Benedictus will be from the Mass of the Good Shepard. The Gloria, Credo and Offertory anthem will be from Novello's composition. The Adeste Fidelis will be sung at the conclusion of each service.

SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH.

Christmas services will be observed in the Swedish Baptist church both morning and evening on Christmas day. A service at 5.30 A. M. will take place as is the usual custom on Christmas morning with good music by the choir. Candles in all the windows of the church will be lit making a pretty scene.

In the evening at 6 o'clock the children's concert will take place. Recitations, dialogues and music are to be rendered, after which the Sunday school receive their gifts and candy. The church is very prettily decorated and a large attendance is anticipated.

SACRED HEART CHURCH.

High mass will be said bt 10.30 A. M. and the regular masses will be celebrated at 6, 8 and 9 o'clock. In the evening at 7.30 o'clock a plain chant vespers will be celebrated.

The music for the morning service will be Haydn's First Mass and will include Adam's "Noel" which will be sung at the Offertory. The soloists will be Miss Carrie Duggan, alto; Miss Catherine Dolan, soprano and Peter Colligan, bass. They will be assisted by the regular choir. The "Adeste Fideles" will be sung at all the services.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.

The masses will be celebrated at 5, 6, 8, 9 and 10.30 A. M. A high mass will be said at 5 o'clock and at the eight o'clock mass Christmas hymns will be sung by the children. The last mass will be a solemn high at which Turner's Mass of Mary Magdalen will be sung. The program will be as follows:

Asperges Me	Werner
Introit	Fozer
Gradual	Falkenstein
Veni Creator	Galvin
QUARTETTE	
Noel—"Christmas"	Adam
OFFERTORY.	
Communion	
Adeste Fidelis	

Solemn high vespers will be celebrated at eight P. M. Solos will be sung by Miss Mary R. Lyons, Dennis Sweeney, Miss Eva Rice, Miss Josephine Colligan, Joseph R. Burns, Marcus Mahon and Thomas Murray. The program:

O Salutaris	Gounod
Tantum Ergo	Gaul
Adeste Fidelis.	

POINT CONGREGATIONAL.

The services at the Point Congregational church Sunday were appropriate to the season. Rev. Sampson Nicholls, took for his text Isaiah 9 and also from Luke 2:1-10.

The choir sang, "Break forth in Joy," Spence, and "As the Angel said unto Them" Spence, the solo parts being taken by Mrs. A. R. Kennedy.

Solo, "Angels from the realms of Glory", Stuart, by Mr. John Hendry.

Irving N. Hayden, the organist rendered, Prelude, "Grand Chorus," Giuhuart, and as the postlude "Cantique De Noel" Westbrook.

Beautiful white pinks were prettily arranged on the pulpit in memory of Mrs. Fannie S. Barry, given by Mr. and Mrs. Luther M. Hersey. Other decorations being poinsettias.

The Christmas concert at 4 o'clock, given by the Sunday school. Carols being given by the Intermediate department, and recitations by the different classes and the primary department singing two Christmas songs.

In closing Mr. Nicholls gave a brief talk to the children.

FINNISH CHURCH.

Rev. John Lillbach, of the Finnish Congregational church has completed arrangements for a simple but impressive Christmas service, and the congregation will usher in the dawn of the day by participating in a special service at five o'clock.

The members of the Finnish Christian Endeavor Society will gather around their tree in the church where they will distribute their presents and enjoy a short program.

In the evening the Feast for the children of the parish will take place at Finnish Temperance hall. A large tree, bearing the tokens of Good Will will be set on the stage and preparations have been made to tax the capacity of the hall which seats 650.

☞One of the handsomest, as well as one of the most instructive calendars we have seen for this year, is that sent out by the White & Wyckoff Manufacturing Company Manfacturers of correspondence stationery, Holyoke, Mass. The large type, the featuring of holidays and notable days of the year, in three-color process printing, makes the calendar a most desirable one. A calendar will be mailed upon receipt of 10 cents in coin or U. S. stamps.

CITY COUNCIL

(Continued from Page One.)

ed that its report was made from Dec. 1, 1911 to Dec. 1, 1912 and recommended that future committees report for corresponding period. They found the assets Dec. 1, 1911 to be as follows:

Cash on haid	$8,695.43
Collateral loans	8,400.00
Mortgage loans	199,675.00
Stocks and bonds	68,351.00
	$285,121.00
Land and buildings. Real estate Hancock and Greenleaf streets	$23,900.00
Murphy house	3,500.00
Seminary building	35,000.00
Sheahan property	6,826.92
Linden street house	2,868.64
Hardwick property	4,000.00
	$76,095.56
Grand total	$361,216.99

The assets Dec. 1, 1912 were as follows:

Cash on hand	$3,465.46
Collateral loans	7,400.00
Mortgage loans	206,200.00
Stocks and bonds	68,551.00
Land and buildings	76,095.56
	$361,712.02
Increase over 1911	$495.03

The committee also say that they find the trust fund is ear marked and is being kept distinct for the purpose for which it was created.

Report accepted and placed on file.

The special Committee on Financial Investigation reported as follows concerning the call men of the fire department.

The Special Committee for Financial Investigation begs leave to make the following partial report:

Your Committee at the request of the City Auditor and of the Chief of the Fire Department have considered the matter of fines imposed upon call members of the Fire Department and in consequence of our investigation we believe that a change in the present ordinance is imperative.

There are now sixty call members in the Department. Those attached to the Central Station receive $140 per year, to the Houghs Neck Station $30 per year, and all others $90 per year. A fine of fifty cents is imposed for each failure to respond to an alarm. This fine has always been reserved from the members' salaries by the City Treasurer and paid by him to the Quincy Firemens' Relief Association but we find no authority in any statute, ordinance or regulation authorizing such payment. An examination of the pay rolls for the first six months of the current year shows that nine of the call men have paid fines ranging from $3 to $6. We were informed that three or four had not responded to a single alarm, yet none of them had failed to collect their six months' salary of $45 less fnes of about $5 each. One call man, we are informed, has lived in Braintree for at least two years. One lives in West Quincy and is attached to the Central Station, and one living in Houghs Neck is attached to the Wollaston Station. The latter was transferred from the Central Station about two years ago to make place for the former who was transferred from the West Quincy Station. On the other hand at least two or three call members who live near their respective stations did not respond to any alarms during the first six months of this year, and so far as we can learn have not responded to any alarms for some time past.

In view of these facts the value and efficiency of call members may well be questioned, certainly unless a radical change is made in the ordinance. Your Committee believe that call members should live within a reasonable distance, not exceeding a radius of one mile from the station to which they are attached, and that if they remove from the city or if their business requires their daily absence from the city they should at once cease to be members of the Department. Inquiry shows that the average fine imposed in other cities for failure to respond to an alarm is $1 and we believe that that is a reasonable amount. We do not believe it good policy, however, that it should be possible for a call member to continue to draw his salary and yet not respond to any alarms or make any effort to respond to all, and after inquiry as to practice in other cities and with the concurrence of the Chief, we recommend that if a call member fails to respond to three consecutive alarms unless for good reason, presented in writing to the Chief, he shall at once cease to be a member of the Department. All this is subject, of course, to the right of a call member under the laws of the Commonwealth to demand a hearing as to his removal.

We have prepared the accompanying order amending Ordinance No. 1, entitled "An Ordinance Establishing the Fire Department for the City of Quincy" to carry out our recommendations and we earnestly urge its adontion.

The order reported carries out the recommendations made in the report. The fines for not answering alarms is increased to $1 instead of fifty cents. That all call members of the department shall live within a radius of one mile from their respective stations. Removal from the city or beyond a reasonable distance from their stations hall operate as a dismissal. On a call man failing to respond to three consecutive alarms, unless for good reason stated in writing to the chief, shall at once cease to be a member of the department.

The order was read and ordered to a second reading.

The joint committee on Finance and Ordinances reported an amendment to the order increasing the permament men of the fire department by five men and reducing the call force by fifteen men, striking out all reference to call men and striking out the figures five and substituting the figures two. The report was accepted and the order took its second reading and the rules were suspended.

Councilman Studley argued against the reduction of permanent men and moved to substitute the figure five. He however was ruled out of order as the matter had been acted on. The order was then passed to be ordained.

Councilman Thompson offered an order that the Mayor be authorized to transfer to the law library at the court house any law books not necessary for city use, the title to remain in the city. Adopted.

The order authorizing the Mayor to petition the legislature to allow Quincy to raise $14 per $1,000 valuation for a period of three years instead of $12 was taken from the table.

Quite a little discussion followed in which Councilmen Cunningham and Abele argued in favor and Councilman Richards against. The order was then adopted.

On motion of Councilman Cunningham the veto of the Mayor on the resolve that city departments in their budget estimate include the estimate for water used, was taken from the table and the veto sustained.

On motion of Councilman Cunningham it was voted when the Council adjourn it be until Tuesday evening, Dec. 31.

The order reassessing the betterments on Tyler street was taken from the table. The question was on accepting the minority report of the committe which was that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw.

There was some little discussion on the question it being claimed that people should not be asked to pay for a steam roller and grass seed when they were not used on the street. The amount of these two items was use of steam rollers $150, Grass seed $5.50.

The minority report was rejected. The report of the committee was then accepted.

A motion to refer back to the Street Committee and a motion to refer to the Commissioner of Public Works was lost.

The order was then adopted.

The orders granting the Electric Light and Telephone Companies a location for poles took their second reading and were passed.

The Joint Committee on Finance and Ordinances reported ought to pass on the order increasing the salary of the Assistant Engineers from $150 to $250 per year. Order passed.

Adjourned at 10.14.

MARRIED BY CITY CLERK.

Miss Brita Suokas of 46 Copeland street and August Kaipainen of 58 Town Hill street were married by City Clerk Emery L. Crane on Saturday afternoon. Both were born in Finland. The bride is a housekeeper. Mr. and Mrs. Kaipainen are well known amongst the Finnish people of the city.

BURIED AT CEDAR GROVE.

Thef uneral of rMs. Frederick A. Emery who died at his late home on the Atlantic boulevard on Saturday morning in his 75th year was held Monday afternoon from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frederick A. Emery of 131 Billings street. Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra of the St. Chrysostoms church officiated and Mrs. J. Harry Slade was the soloist. Burial was in Cedar Grove cemetery.

TEN GENERATIONS.

Among those who attended the Forefather's Day services at the First Church, Sunday were the three children of Mr. and Mrs. William Edwards of Greenleaf street and both sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis N. Curtis of Orchard place, who are of the tenth generation of worshippers at the church. The five children are direct descendants of Samuel Bass, the first ordained deacon of the church in Braintree, now Quincy.

☞Bowling will be the principal sport for the holiday. The new Coliseum alleys—ten in all—are very popular.

It will not be a green Christmas after all.

Defrauding the Waiter.

In a Parisian cafe an American ordered a hors d'oeuvre, sole, agneau pre sale, artichoke salad, peche Melba, and so on, and when the waiter brought him a bill of 30 francs he paid it like a man. After his change was brought he counted it and pushed a franc toward the waiter for a tip. But the man, pushing back the franc, said in gentle reproach:

"Pardon, monsieur, but that is the counterfeit franc."

Comforting.

Old Croakybo—I think we'd better have the passage and staircase repapered while I'm laid up, Mrs. Grimoge. Mrs. G. (his housekeeper)—Lor', sir, 'adn't yer better wait and see 'ow ye goes on fust? Them coffins do make such work with staircase wall papers. —London Telegraph.

Hard to Please.

"Why did she divorce her first husband?"

"He couldn't keep his money."

"And why is she suing her present husband for divorce?"

"He's such a tightwad." — Houston Post.

Two Good Ideas.

Scott—It's a good idea when angry to count ten before you speak. Mott—True; also when "touched" to count a thousand before you lend. — Boston Transcript.

Discontent is the want of self reliance. It is infirmity of will.—Emerson.

TINY ELECTRIC IONS.

Science Says They Are the Smallest Units In the World.

We used to think that about the smallest thing in the world was an atom of hydrogen. In fact, it was taken as the unit by which the atomic weight of all metals was expressed. For instance, the smallest possible division of the metal lead was found to be 206 times that of hydrogen, gold 196 times, etc.

Hand in hand, however, with the modern conception of the nature of the electric current, has come a new conception of infinitude in small things. Now, they say, the smallest thing in the world divisable by the hand of man is the electric ion. This is the individual unit of electricity, the moving part of a current when it passes through a wire. It is so small that it can run through a copper bar at a speed of 186,000 miles a second without turning corners. Electric ions trickle through a copper wire in much the same way as grains of sand through a sieve.

Scientists, armed with instruments consideraoly finer than grocery store scales, have isolated and measured them and found that their relation to that lightest of all gases, hydrogen, is as one to the seventeenth power of ten, or, in other words, the fraction representing their relation to an atom of hydrogen is expressed by a million-million-millionth. — Chicago Record-Herald.

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HOUGHS NECK—Capt. Fosdick's.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Wednesday clearing. Thursday fair and colder.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.12
Sun sets	4.17
Length of day	9.05
Moon sets	12.00
High water, A. M.	12.00
High water, P. M.	12.00

Days increase 0 hours 1 minute.

THURSDAY'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.12
Sun sets	4.17
Length of day	9.05
Moon sets	1.53
High Water, A. M.	12.30
High Water, P. M.	12.45

Days increase 0 hours and 1 minute.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	33 degrees
Dec. 24, 1911,	43 degrees
Dec. 24, 1910,	52 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

Miss Lydecker of New York, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Hall of Atlantic street.

Miss Marjorie Kendall of Wellesley College, is spending the Christmas holidays with Dr. Kendall of Atlantic street.

Miss Thelma Holt of Squantum, is spending the week with relatives in Fitchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Caswell and family are the guests of Mrs. J. Kobb of Clive street.

E. E. Willey has returned to his home on Walker street after an extensive business trip through the West.

George Richardson has returned to his home on Botolph street, after a long business trip to England.

Miss Laura Bean of Tilton Seminary is spending her Christmas vacation with her parents on Billings street.

Mr. and Mrs. Coyle Allan of Worcester are spending the week with her parents on Botolph street.

Bradford Wilson of Bigelow street is home from the military Academy at Worcester for a two weeks' vacation.

J. H. Connell and C. F. Howard, the committee of the Hanson Shoe Co., have made a favorable report on the prospects of the company.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walker of the Hancock house left today to spend the holiday at their old home in Northampton.

The Hospital Aid association meets Thursday afternoon at half past two at the home of Fred B. Rice, Adams street. Beside being the regular December meeting it will also be the annual meeting of the Association for reports and election of officers.



The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

HOMEMADE SAUSAGES.

IF you own a household vegetable or meat chopper you can make your own sausage meat just as you need it. There should be no monotony about this popular winter dish, for there are various ways of making the sausage meat.

Succulent Combinations.

Plain Sausage Meat.—Take one cupful of chopped pork, one-half cupful chopped beef, one-half cupful of dried breadcrumbs, a teaspoonful of salt, one-quarter teaspoonful of pepper, one-half teaspoonful powdered sage. Mix the pork, beef, breadcrumbs, salt, pepper and sage well together and then make into small flat cakes. Put into a hot pan and either place in hot oven or fry slowly over the fire.

English Sausage Meat.—Take half a pound of calf's liver, four ounces of bacon, six ounces of fine breadcrumbs, one egg, a little dried and powdered sage, pepper, salt and nutmeg. Stir the liver until tender, mince the bacon finely, add breadcrumbs and finely chopped liver and seasoning. Bind with the egg, well beaten, form into sausages, roll in flour and fry in boiling fat. Serve very hot, garnished with parsley and cut lemon.

Made In Quantity.

Country Sausage.—Take six pounds of lean and three pounds of fat fresh pork. Mix these together and run through the meat chopper. Stir into this meat six tablespoonfuls each of salt and black pepper, twelve teaspoonfuls of powdered sage, two teaspoonfuls each of powdered cloves and mace and one grated nutmeg. Pack in a stone crock, pour melted lard over the top of the meat to keep out air. When to be used pat it into small cakes and flour the outside. Fry in butter till brown on both sides.

An Elaborate Mixture.

Mixed Sausages.—Take a half pound each of lean fresh pork, veal and beef suet, four ounces of breadcrumbs, the grated peel of a quarter of a lemon, three powdered sage leaves, a sprig each of summer savory, thyme and marjoram and half a grated nutmeg. The pork, veal and suet should be chopped separately and as fine as possible. Then they should be mixed together. Add the breadcrumbs, lemon peel, nutmeg, a half a teaspoonful of pepper, a teaspoonful of salt and the sage, thyme and marjoram. All the ingredients should be chopped fine and then mixed well together. They should be shaped into neat cakes, sprinkled with flour and fried in butter

Anna Thompson.

Christmas

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Anna O. Ohlsson to Eugene B. Hamilton dated Oct. 25, 1911, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1195, Page 415, will be sold at public auction for breach of conditions contained therein on the premises hereinafter described on Wednesday the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by the said mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows, viz: a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Quincy, Mass., called Wollaston, being lot numbered twenty-three (23) on a plan called "Milton Terrace" Wollaston, Mass., dated Feb. 1909, Ernest W. Branch C. E. and recorded with said Deeds, at the end of Book 1113, and is bounded Southeasterly by Eddie Street fifty (50) feet, Northeasterly by lot numbered twenty-two (22) on said plan seventy-five (75) feet; Northwesterly by lot numbered twenty-eight (28) on said plan fifty (50) feet; Southwesterly by lot numbered twenty-four (24) on said plan seventy-five (75) feet. Containing 3750 square feet of land more or less according to said plan. Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments if any there be. Terms made known at time and place of sale.

For further particulars inquire of the undersigned at 805 Old South Bldg., Boston, Mass.

EUGENE B. HAMILTON.
Mortgagee and present owner of said mortgage. Boston, Mass. Dec. 16, 1912.
3t 17-24-31

A PECULIAR CHRISTMAS TREE.

"I wish our Sunday-school could have a Christmas tree this year," said Bertha Kent to Mary Marten, one day early in December.

"So do I; we haven't had one since you and I were in the infant class,—a dozen years ago, at least."

"And such a time as there was about that! because the boys cut it on old Capt. Tracey's land without asking leave."

"Yes, and he had hundreds of them and no one thought of his raising an objection."

"And now he has thousands. Every time we drive the mountain road I say: It seems as if these spruces were growing on purpose for Christmas trees."

"I know it ,and the strange thing is that Capt. Tracey owns every acre of woodland within miles of here."

"Father says he has a mania for trees and having plenty of means he has for years bought up every acre of woodland or sprout land that came into the market."

"I suppose it would be almost an impossibility to find an evergreen tree for miles that did not belong to him."

"Well perhaps he would give us one; we shall never know until we ask."

"But who would dare ask."

"Your humble co-member of the entertainment committee. He can no more than refuse. For all he lives opposite I never have been in his house, but I know him, of course, and when he comes out to drive, as he does nearly every afternoon, I will run over and ask him for a Christmas tree."

"There he is!" said May, a half hour later, glancing up from the slippers she was crocheting for her grandmother.

"And I will not lose so excellent an opportunity," responded Bertha, dropping her embroidery, catching a hat from the rack in passing and skipping across the street.

"Good afternoon, Capt. Tracey," she said, in her sweet girlish voice. "The Sunday school children are wishing very much for a Christmas tree and some of us children of a little larger growth are anxious to gratify them, and I ran across to ask if you would be so kind as to give us an evergreen tree."

The old man regarded her from under his shaggy eyebrows with a gaze that seemed to say louder than words, "Young lady, I am amazed and astonished at your request!" But Bertha's smiling blue eyes did not flinch in their expectant gaze until he found voice to say:—

"No, I will not cut one of my trees, as much as I dislike to refuse the request of my most esteemed neighbor's daughter. I do not believe in Christmas myself."

"Do not believe in Christmas?" cried Bertha, with dilated eyes, "Do you not believe in Christ?"

"That is a personal question, young woman, and has nothing whatever to do with my evergreen trees. No axe goes into my woodland. I burn old dead fallen branches myself. To cut a growing tree is devastation! If you want a Christmas tree why don't you take the one over there in the centre of your dooryard?"

"What, Capt. Tracey! Our lovely Norway spruce? Thank you for the suggestion, sir. We will!"

"You will, hey? I guess you will, indeed! I see you now! I fancy your father will decide that matter."

"Good-by, Capt. Tracey! and thank you for the suggestion again."

"Good-by, Neighbor Kent's daughter, Bertha. When you have that Norway spruce for a Christmas tree I will go to the Christmas exercises, and what is better,—you will no doubt think—I will promise to go to church every Sunday thereafter for a year."

"Do you mean that, Capt. Tracey?"

"There is not the least doubt of it."

"You will be held to your bargain, sir," and back ran the bright young girl with her face dimpled with smiles.

"You look as if you had made a success," cried May, opening the door for her.

"I succeeded in a way. I got an idea, but not a tree. Now we must get the consent of father and mother and we must get all the church enlisted and we must canvass the town for children and get every one to come, those who are in Sunday school and those who are not."

"But what are your plans?"

"Oh, to be sure,"—and she repeated her conversation with her elderly neighbor.

But, my dear Bertha, your father will never allow you to destroy that beautiful ornamental tree."

"Of course not: I shall not suggest anything of the kind. I shall only beg for the privilege of using it for a Christmas tree just as it stands, if the weather will permit."

"We can ornament it with lanterns, even if the weather is inclement. How bright you are, Bertha! and we can trim it with streamers and ornaments that will not blow away, but what can we do about the children?"

"They shall all be in the house. There is room enough, and if it is a fine, mild evening an hour outside will hurt no more than if they were coasting or skating."

"It will be delightful, and according to your report the captain said nothing about the Christmas tree being in the church."

"Nothing at all only that he would come if father allowed me to take the Norway spruce for a Christmas tree. And he will."

"Certainly," said Mr. Kent. "It is a brilliant idea, and your mother will not object to opening the house for the Sunday-school, I am sure.

"Why, no," said Mrs. Kent, "what is a house for but to use and the more and the more people you can make comfortable and happy in it the better. If we can't have the gifts outside, we can have them on tables in the front hall."

"But we want to keep quiet about the tree," said Bertha. "We will issue invitations to a Christmas party. The tree will be a surprise."

Capt. Tracey kept his eye out, but the tree was unmolested. He saw the girls flitting in and out his Neighbor Kent's house, and wondered what was going on. Sometimes two or three of them went out upon the lawn and looked at the tree, seeming to be discussing its possibilities.

"I wish I knew," he said to himself. "I really believe that for the sake of getting the better of me and compelling me to go to church they are going to sacrifice that beautiful tree, — and it is a shame, a miserable shame. Really the tree is of more consequence than I am. If left alone it will live much longer. A Norway spruce is slow of growth but of great longevity."

The captain grew unhappy over the thought and was led to analyze his own feelings.

"I am an old bear!" he said. "It all comes of my staying here alone so much. I hate girls, one 'jilted me once,' and I hate women anyway,—chattering, gossiping things,—but they are good in their places after all, for cooks and in sickness, and to sew, and I suppose girls grow up into women, but they are always giggling and are so silly in all their ways. But there was no nonsense about neighbor Kent's daughter, when she came over to interview me about Christmas. She wanted a tree and she knew why she wanted it, and she was polite about it. Most girls are pert and I hate a pert girl!

"Those girls going in and out of neighbor Kent's are full of business these days,—there is no idiotic giggling. Where are my opera glasses? Now I can see them more plainly. They are up to something that they are in dead earnest about, and actually there is young Gilman going by and not one of them has made eyes at him, —not one of them. I didn't know as girls could behave so well,—and they are pretty!"

"What can they be doing over in Kent's yard?" he said the next afternoon. "Let me see, tonight will be Christmas eve. There is a young man in the spruce, can he be going to cut out the top for the church tree? If it goes I shall miss it as much as I should one of the neighbors. It ought to stand there a hundred years at the very least. If they cut it down I shall feel like a murdered. I've a good mind to go over and tell them they can have a dozen if they like. No, I will not, I will go to the other side of the house and look out upon the other street, and I won't come into this parlor again for a month. Well, good-bye, old tree, you've branches enough to trim the whole church, and I shall have to see them, for I said I would go and I am a man of my word."

It was a green Christmas that year. The night was calm and beautiful. The tree was trimmed with lanterns judiciously arranged so as not to burn the foliage. From the tips of the branches fruit and gilt boxes of candy were hung. There were chains, flags and streamers and all sorts of pretty and fanciful things for the Sunday school children, for the evening was so lovely the gifts were all hung upon the tree, and the great tree was strong enough and roomy enough to bear them all. The children were almost wild with delight and the old people declared it to be a veritable glimpse of fairy land.

"Now, father," said Bertha, at length; "it is all ready, will you go over after Capt. Tracey with me? We will give him an ovation. Don't forget," she said to the pastor. "As soon as we leave the house with him the children must begin singing their carols."

They rang the bell of the front door of the opposite mansion and in response to their request to the servant Capt. Tracey came to the door.

"Good evening, neighbor," said Mr. Kent cordially. "My daughter was anxious to have you see the Norway spruce as a Christmas tree."

"Christmas tree?" cried the captain, shading his eyes and looking across—"I never in all my life saw anything so magnificent! And you don't mean to say that those fairies in the shrubbery are Sunday school children? I had no idea there were as many in town."

"Come and see," said Bertha. "You know."

"Oh, to be sure! I know I promised. Let me get on my wraps; an old fellow like me must not run the risk of rheumatism."

"But the evening is like October," said Bertha, "even grandma and a little company of her friends are on the veranda, and they were saying just now that there was enthusiasm enough in the air to keep every one warm."

"Enthusiasm! I should think so," said the captain as he walked on the other side of Bertha, who kept her father's arm. "Do you know, I never saw a Christmas tree in my life. I don't suppose I have a gift on this one, I certainly do not deserve one."

"I don't know as I do either," replied Mr. Kent; "we can only wait and see."

There was a little program carried out by the Sunday school children of music and recitations, and then came the distribution of gifts. The captain was as much engaged as any one and Bertha said right and left that he gave her the idea of using the Norway spruce, but she did not tell the particulars to the captain's great relief.

"I would like to climb the tree and help to take down the gifts," he said, "only if I should and should fall and break a bone I should get no sympathy for they would say I was old enough to know better, but I am as anxious to find out if there is a gift for me as any of the children."

There was a gift for every one present, thanks to the inexhaustible resources of Mrs. Kent's large house, and at length Capt. Tracey's name was called, and Bertha ran to carry him his gift.

"A Bible!" he said.

"And you will find it useful," she replied; "you know you have promised to go to church for a year."

"But this affair is not at the church."

"That was not in the compact, sir!"

"No, it was not. You are a smart girl! I was wondering if you would catch me that way! Well, I will go to the Sunday school. I have never before felt so much interest in the Sunday school scholars and I will promise you now that I will deed one of my wood lots to the church so that they may not go begging for Christmas trees, or for a place to hold Sunday school picnics, or for wood to keep up fires at the parsonage, or in the church edifice.

"Oh, Capt. Tracey, whoever supposed you could be so good," cried Bertha "and some of the church poor people could get waste wood for their fires."

"It's a good scheme," said Mr. Kent, but the captain interrupted:—

"Don't say a word; I've been a cranky old fellow. It's against all reason for one man to own all the evergreen trees in town and since I've been standing here and have seen the children treaspassing all over the premises I have said: These people have got something that I have not, it must be the religion of Jesus Christ and that is why Christmas stands for so much in their lives. I'll go to church for a year and see if I can't get something to make me more like some other folks."

"You are helped already," said Bertha. "You are submitting gracefully when you are caught."—Springfield Republican.

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MARCH 2—3—4 (INAUGURATION DAY.)

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5.

On Wednesday a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ Church, where Washington worshipped, and the Marshall House where Ellsworth was killed.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6.

Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9.00 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included and New York is reached at 2.00 P. M. Leave New York at 5.00 P. M., on Fall River Line steamer. Staterooms assigned and evening dinner served.

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Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and East Milton, 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Roughs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Roughs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street.—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.05, 6.35 7.05 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.25 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

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EASY TO GUESS IT.

What Do You Think Is the Answer to This Puzzle Question?

With the rent six weeks in arrears Scribbler sat trembling lest the landlady should hear the beating of his heart and call for a reckoning. Presently there reached his ears the sound of fierce words, as of two striving together in deadly argument. Scribbler became aware that Mr. and Mrs. Slumpkins were engaged in unraveling one of their domestic tangles.

At length there came a light tap on the door.

Scribbler looked toward the window as a possible avenue of escape. However, before he could make up his mind to try the rainspout route the door opened cautiously, and first Slumpkins' bald head appeared and then the rest of him crept slowly in.

In a whisper he advised Scribbler not to pay Mrs. Slumpkins, insomuch as she was not the head of the house.

Scribbler acquiesced and Slumpkins disappeared.

A little later another rap on the door, this time more insistent, caused Scribbler to look up. It was Mrs. Slumpkins.

"Say, don't pay my old man any money, Mr. Scribbler. He won't do nothing but drink it up. This morning I had to let him know who runs this house. We ain't speaking to each other now."

Again Scribbler acquiesced.

That was six months ago. They haven't spoken to each other yet, and Scribbler goes on his way rejoicing.

Puzzle question: What will be the first question they ask when they start speaking again?—Satire.

Diseases of Metals.

Metals suffer from contagious diseases analogous to those of living beings. Among these diseases one of the most striking is that called "tin pest." Sometimes a block, a plate or medal of tin attacked by this disease crumbles and falls into dust, and sometimes warty protuberances appear on the surface of the metal. Various other metals suffer from a disease that manifests itself by a spontaneous recrystallization. The most remarkable cases occur with lead and hard drawn brass. These diseases are not due, as has been thought, simply to moisture Temperature plays a part in producing them. The most extraordinary fact perhaps is that the "tin pest" is capable of spreading by contagion.—Harper's Weekly.

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West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)—6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07 10.08, 10.55, A. M. 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.12 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)—6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35 10.25 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35 2.45, 3.35, 4.35 5.22, 5.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.22, 7.26, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.27, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.19, 9.20, 11.20 P. M, **Sundays**- 8.48 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10.15 P. M.

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FREED BY "UNWRITTEN LAW"

Novelist Acquitted of Charge of Homicide After Killing American Woman Who Robbed Her of Her Husband—Latter the Real Traitor and Felon, Declares the Magistrate

Paris, Dec. 24.—Mme. Bloch, a novelist, who on July 31 last shot and killed Mrs. Minnie Bridgeman, wife of James E. Bridgeman, an employe of the Paris branch of an American life insurance company, was acquitted in the assize court here of the charge of homicide.

The accused was condemned, however, to pay one franc (20 cents) damages in connection with the civil action of which the shooting was the basis.

The tragedy was the outcome of an attachment between Mme. Bloch's husband and Mrs. Bridgeman.

"Mrs. Bridgeman betrayed me and robbed me both of my husband and of my home. So I killed her." This was the defense set up by Mme. Bloch.

Several dramatic incidents marked the trial. At one moment the president of the court, Judge Bertulus, denounced Mme. Bloch's husband, saying: "Your conduct in this affair is unpardonable."

Mme. Bloch, weeping, told the story of the shooting of Mrs. Bridgeman, explainng she had been driven to despair and had avenged her love and the honor of her home.

The judge cautioned the accused that this hardly constituted a sufficient defense for homicide, remarking that he understood the anger aroused in the accused, but he wished to express the opinion that, as far as his years of observation went, he felt confident the wound caused by jealousy always heals. The magistrate continued:

"The real traitor and the real felon was your husband. Yet you gave him all your confidence while you killed the woman, who was but his instrument."

Bloch on the witness stand admitted that he was culpable. As he left the stand hisses were heard from the crowds in the courtroom, among whom there were many American and French society people.

VETRANO ALONE, TO BLAME

Exonerates Man Arrested With Him In Counterfeiting Case

Boston, Dec. 24.—Taking all the blame of the counterfeiting upon himself, Joseph Vetrano was held in $5000 for the federal grand jury by Commissioner Hayes.

James Anthony, arrested at the same time, at 18 Cooper street, in a raid by the federal authorities, was held in $2000 to await the action of the grand jury.

Mrs. Matilda Anthony, wife of the defendant, was discharged, as it was found that she had been visiting neighbors and reached her own premises at about the time of the raid. She had been held in $500 for her appearance.

BLACKMAILED A WIDOW

Former Tombs Volunteer Missionary Convicted of Extortion

New York, Dec. 24.—Eben J. Owens, once a Tombs volunteer missionary, was convicted of extortion by a jury before Judge Goff in the supreme court.

With Alderman Percy L. Davis, Owens was accused of forcing Mrs. Eva R. Carroll, a well-to-do widow, to surrender $5015 in return for a purported affidavit damaging the character of herself and another member of the Carroll household.

Owens was remanded for sentence on Friday, and the trial of Davis was begun.

Monkeys and Cats Fail to Agree

Philadelphia, Dec. 24.—A fight between eight monkeys and thirty cats aboard the battleship Minnesota ended only when two of the felines were thrown overboard. The animals were pets of officers.

Rebels Destroy Mexican Town

Mexico City, Dec. 24.—Zapatista rebels attacked and destroyed the town of Calimaya in the state of Mexico.

PROBE IS ORDERED

County Officials' Attention Is Called to "Cupid's Combine"

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 24.—Cupid's Combine, as the men who have banded in the common cause of aiding that many eloping couples is called, has come under the notice of the county officials and an investigation was ordered.

It is said trainmen "steer" eloping couples into the hands of their cab-driving partners, who in turn speed the couples to a selected list of ministers.

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Suppose you are foolish enough to want great wealth. You can get it. But to get it you must make up your mind that you want wealth; that you want it above everything else in the world.

Observe an industrious alien with a pushcart. He wants $1,000. He sleeps in a cellar. He rises at 4. He works till 10 at night. He denies himself food to save. Some day he will have his thousand dollars.

"But," you protest, "I can't sleep in a cellar. I'm above running a pushcart." Very well, then. There is little likelihood that you will ever be rich. There are other things that you want more than wealth—your comfort, your social position.

Suppose you are more sensible. Suppose that it is success you want. Good! There are few joys in this world that can compare with the joy of achievement. Set your mark and start climbing toward it. You'll reach it if you keep at it. Be persistent and be patient. If you are in Maine you can't wish yourself in California. You can't get there overnight, either. But you'll get there some time if you start and keep going, even if you go on your hands and knees.

But remember this: No man ever climbs higher than the mark he sets himself. No man ever reaches the top walking sideways. No man achieves who keeps turning back.

And one thing more:

Pick your apple carefully before you start to climb the tree. Some apples are sour.—William Johnston in American Magazine.

SHAKESPEARE'S WOMEN.

Neither Original Nor Enlightened, Is Helen Keller's Verdict.

I doubt if the women in Shakespeare's comedies are to be taken seriously. They are pretty creatures intended to be played by boys. They are the vehicle of any more or less fitting strain of poetry which happens to please the poet. Alice in Wonderland is a very real little girl, but one would not make a grave, scholarly analysis of the traits of character which she displays in her encounter with the mock turtle. Neither should we press too heavily upon Shakespeare's poetry to extract his beliefs about women. The unrivaled sonnets voice the praise and also the petulant dissatisfaction of a man in love or pretending to be in love for the purpose of poetry. The woman worship in the sonnets and in the glowing passages of the plays spoken by gallants in pursuit of their ladies is only the conventional romanticism common in medieval and renaissance literature.

Shakespeare's phrasing outflies that of all other poets. But his ideas of women are neither original nor enlightened. In studying the social ideas of a writer and his time we often learn more from his unconscious testimony than from his direct eloquence. Portia is wise, witty, learned, disguised as a man; but she is disposed of without protest through her father's will and its irrational accidents to a commonplace bankrupt courtier, and the tacit implication is that she is happily bestowed. Where Shakespeare brings Portia's career to an end a modern comedy would begin. In the other plays the delightful heroine is hurried off at the close of the fifth act into the possession of a man whom she would not look at if she were as wise and strong and witty as the situations have represented her.—Helen Keller in Metropolitan.

Punsters.

Douglas Jerrold, when challenged to make a pun on the zodiac, replied, "By Gemini, I Can-cer."

Theodore Hook, when he was improvising at a party, and a Mr. Winter, a well known inspector of taxes, was announced, went on without a moment's break in his performance:

Here comes Mr. Winter, inspector of taxes.
I'd advise ye to give him whatever he axes.
I'd advise ye to give him without any flummery.
For though his name's Winter his actions are summary.

The Danger.

A lawyer while conducting his case cited the authority of a doctor of law yet alive.

"My learned friend," interrupted the judge, "you should never go upon the authority of any save that of the dead. The living may change their minds."—Nos Loisirs.

Cause and Effect.

"Mrs. Smythe has a beautiful new plume for her hat."

"I thought so. I just met her husband."

"Did he tell you about it?"

"No, but he looked as if he had just been plucked."—Houston Post.

Backhanded.

Bess—I don't like that Mr. Cutting. Jess—That's unkind of you. I heard him say something awfully sweet about you yesterday. Bess—Oh, did he? What was it? Jess—He said he imagined you must have been perfectly charming as a girl.—Cleveland Leader.

A Buttonhole.

Little Bess—How do you make button holes, Nellie? Little Nell—Oh, just take a hole and sew eye winkers all round it.—Chicago News.

SIR CHARLES HARDINGE

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HARDINGE IS INJURED

Attendant Killed by Bomb Hurled at the Viceroy of India

Delhi, Dec. 24.—Lord Hardinge, viceroy of India, was wounded in three places and two other men were killed when an assassin concealed on a housetop hurled a bomb while the viceroy was making a state entry into Delhi, the new capital of the Indian empire.

Lady Hardinge, who was seated beside her husband in a howdah on top of an elephant, had a narrow escape from death with her husband.

An attendant, who was walking beside the elephant, was instantly killed by the explosion and a bystander was so badly crushed in the panic which followed that he died.

The police arrested several persons and the government offered a reward of $5000 for the bomb thrower.

IMMIGRANT BRINGS FORTUNE WITH HIM

Russian Farmer Has Managed to Accumulate $49,800

Baltimore, Dec. 24.—To the great surprise of the immigration officials here Christian Schulze of Russia, in immigrant on the steamer Barbarossa from Bremen, when asked to name the amount of money he had on his person drew out of his various pockets $7000 in cash, a check for $2800 and $40,000 in securities.

As he laid the bank notes and cash on a table the officers smiled and expressed their astonishment that he should carry so much wealth in his clothes. He said he was a farmer and is on his way to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frederick Kepperle, Eureka, S. D. His wife and six children accompanied him. They will settle in North Dakota.

SLASHED WITH RAZOR

Girl's Face Mutilated by Lover Whom She Had Rejected

Waltham, Mass., Dec. 24.—Because 18-year-old Mariandiona Picone, a mill worker, would not allow him to make love to her, Angelo Calvulvial, 21 years old, terribly mutilated the girl's face by slashing her twice with a razor, and might have inflicted even more serious injuries had not her sister Grace rushed to her rescue, grappling with the man and holding him until the police arrived.

The affair occurred on Main street. The screams of the two girls attracted the attention of the police and the man was placed under arrest.

President Taft Reaches Colon

Colon, Dec. 24.—The battleship Arkansas with President Taft and party on board, reached here this morning. All on board the vessel are well.

Doesn't Like Public Petting

New York, Dec. 24.—Mrs. John F. McDonald had her husband arrested because he persisted in calling her "dearie" and "sweetheart" in public.

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HICKEY IS SENTENCED

Murderer of Josephs Boy Gets Twenty Years In Prison

Buffalo, Dec. 24.—J. Frank Hickey, the slayer of Joseph Josephs and other boys who fell victims to his homicidal mania, was sentenced to "not less than twenty years nor more than his natural life" by Justice Brown. Hickey was taken to Auburn prison yesterday afternoon.

It was thought the court would utter a criticism of the jury, but he merely went through the routine act of pronouncing sentence.

Natural Spectacles.

Many birds are provided with natural spectacles, a transparent membrane called the third eyelid. This third eyelid when not in use lies folded in the inner corner of the eye. Two muscles work it, spreading it over the cornea or folding it up again much more cleverly than a man can put on or take off his spectacles. But for its third eyelid the eagle could not look at the sun. The spectacled bear belongs of Chile. Its Latin name is Ursus ornatus. It is black and around its eyes pale rings are drawn which have exactly the appearance of a pair of goggles

VICTIM OF MURDER PLOT

Rich Contractor Killed After Making Will In Favor of His Wife

Chicago, Dec. 24.—A coroner's jury returned a verdict declaring that Frank Raude, a wealthy contractor who died at his home last Friday, several days after making a will leaving all his property to his wife, was the victim of a murder plot.

Mrs. Mary Raude fainted at the inquest, after Dr. Burmeister had testified that chemical analysis of the victim's viscera revealed thirty grains of one kind of poison and nineteen grains of another.

FEARED ALL ARE DEAD

Explosion Entombs Over Two Hundred Men In Japanese Mine

Tokio, Dec. 24.—Over 200 Japanese coal miners were entombed and are probably dead as the result of a terrific explosion which occurred in the Ubari colliery of Sappore, on the island of Hokkaido.

Of the 200 and more men who were working in the galleries of the pit at the time only three were brought to the surface alive and the officials fear that all the rest have perished.

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HIS MEMORY HONORED

Tribute and Eulogy to the Late L. G. Blair

Emminent Commander Walter E. Piper and the members of Quincy Commandry paid a fitting tribute at the regular conclave of the Commandery MBonday evening to the late Lafayette G. Blair past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island was Grand Commander Blair who constituted Quincy Commandery and who was later made an honorary member. On the wall of the Asylum is a large standing portrait of the late Grand Commander which was draped in mourning.

The order of the temple was conferred on several candidates after which all members who had not received the order of Malta had that degree conferred upon them by Captain General Otis B. Oakman. A banquet followed the business of the evening.

THREE ARE INDICTED ON BRIBE CHARGE

Policeman, Liquor Dealer and Bottler Involved

New York, Dec. 24.—Indictments charging bribery were returned by the extraordinary grand jury which has been investigating the police graft against John J. Skelly, a policeman; Sol Wolf, a liquor dealer, and Emmanuel Maas, a beer bottler, the three men named by Mrs. Mary Goode in connection with the operation of a disorderly house.

Mrs. Goode told her story to the grand jury and it was corroborated by her negro maid, Maizie Green, who is understood to have sworn she saw Mrs. Goode pay $25 to Wolf. Wolf admitted he had received the $25, but insisted it was payment for going on Mrs. Goode's bond when she was arrested. Maas refused to waive immunity and was not called by the grand jury.

ALLEGED HIGHWAY ROBBER

Woman Charged With Holding Up and Robbing Another Woman

Lynn, Mass., Dec. 24.—Mrs. Bessie Fowler, 40 years old, was arrested at her home in Mansour place, charged with highway robbery. The police believe she is the woman who held up, fought with, and robbed Miss Georgia Starkey Saturday evening on Essex street.

When the alleged robbery occurred the two women had a fight in the street, in which the woman robber is said to have wielded a gas pipe, cut two deep gashes over one of Miss Starkey's eyes, and taken $5 from her purse.

GOING INTO NEW HOME

Jack Johnson's Presence Is Not Pleasing to His Neighbors

Chicago, Dec. 24.—Jack Johnson, with his white wife, a private secretary, five house servants, two chauffeurs, a man-of-all-work and five automobiles, will take possession of his newly bought home in fashionable Lake Geneva, Wis., at once.

Lake Geneva residents are indignant at Judson E. Sherman, the grain dealer, who sold the place to Johnson. It is said the sale followed a petty argument with neighbors.

BIG SEIZURE OF NUTS

Fifty Cases Taken From Dealers In Market District of Boston

Boston, Dec. 24.—Fifty cases of mixed nuts, intended for the holiday trade, were seized on complaint of the pure food inspectors in the market district. The nuts, it is charged, were partially unfit for eating, good nuts being mixed with bad.

The seizure was made by United States Deputy Marshal Bancroft. It consisted of 2500 pounds valued at $300. Drs. Adams, Raynor and Holton swore to the complaint.

The Herons of Andalusia.

Of all the birds he had studied, said W. Farren in a lecture, none showed conjugal affection in quite the same way as the brown backed herons of Andalusia, in Spain. Whenever the husband relieved his wife at the nest he invariably laid his neck over hers in a momentary embrace and then took up his position while the other bird flew away. The herons never omitted this affectionate salutation.—London Standard.

More Substantial.

"You didn't waste your time building castles in the air?"

"No," replied Mr. Dustin Stax. "I constructed corporations out of water."—Washington Star.

MRS. CROCKER SURPRISED

Her Class Work Appreciated by Friends

Last night a surprise party was tendered to Mrs. Edith Crocker at the home of Mrs. William Hart, Butler road, by the following, all members of the Order of the Eastern Star:—

Mrs. Bessie Patterson, Mrs. Mary Worsdell, Mrs. Elizabeth E. Russell, Mrs. Rosilla Carter, Mrs. Sarah T. Roache, Mrs. Leonora Gibb, Mrs. Josie Schools, Mrs. Sarah Hart, Mrs. Margaret Gammon.

To show their deep appreciation of Mrs. Crocker's work for her "class," Mrs. Gammon presented her with a beautiful cut glass flower vase, Mrs. Crocker responded in a few well chosen words. The hostess, Mrs. Sarah Hart, provided a very dainty supper. A most pleasant evening was spent.

SURPRISED BY DINNER AND RING

Marcus Mahon Pleasantly Remembered by Friends

BEFORE GOING SOUTH

A farewell dinner was tendered Marcus Mahon of 113 Upland road by the members of the Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, Monday evening at the United States hotel, Boston. Mr. Mahon sails for Rio de Janiero Friday to fill the superintendency of a public service corporation.

A signet ring, designed especially for the occasion was presented by Grand Knight Michael T. Walsh. Mr. Mahon, although much affected by the outward expression of friendship, managed to say a few words of thanks.

He had gone to Boston at the invitation of his brother John and while passing the hotel, John Suggested they drop in a moment. Stepping into one of the dinning rooms, Marcus was confronted by his friends.

Remarks were made by Rev. Fr. Michael McDermott, O. M. I. of Lowell Past Grand Knight Edward D. Barrett, Deputy Grand Knight, William A. Carey, Past Grand Knight Lawrence W. Lyons and Representative-elect Michael T. Sullivan.

Selections were rendered by Fred McDonald of Ave Maria Council, Dennis Sweeney, John A. Duggan, George W. Berry, James Grant and Harry McGrath of the Quincy Council.

Mr. Mahon is the Assistant Treasurer of the Boston Concolidated Gas Light Co., with which concern he has been connected for many years.

Those present were Edward Barrett, William A. Carey, John J. O'Hara, Lawrence W. Lyons, George W. Berry, Timothy Ford, John Caine, Russell Sullivan, Michael T. Walsh, John Mahon, James Parker, William Mahon, William Lynch, Harry T. McGrath, Michael T. Sullivan, Charles T. Keating Dennis Sweeney, Leo Ford, James Grant, Thomas Griffin, Frederick McDonald , William Mahon and John Heaney.

Well Instructed.

Miss Fifth Avenue—Maudie claims to be an uninstructed delegate. Miss Beacon Street—Impossible! She's from Boston.—Life.

Behavior is a mirror in which every one displays his image.—Goethe.



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ENTIRE PROGRAM CHANGED MONDAY AND THURSDAY

L. O. L. OFFICERS SELECTED

At the Meeting of Quincy Lodge Monday Night

Quincy Lodge, L. O. L. elected officers at Protection hall, Monday evening. The installation will be on Jan. 28 and will be conducted by Grand Master William Corbett of Brookline and suite. Appointive officers will be filled at the regular meeting on Jan. 14. Those chosen were:

Worshipful Master—Andrew Stewart.
Deputy Master—George Jones.
Recording Secretary—H. A. Sproul.
Financial Secretary—A. T. Sinnerberg.
Treasurer—Gustave Lundberg.
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Outside Tyler—Charles Archibald.
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Second Conductor—William Littlefield.
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CELEBRATED OWNERSHIP

New Hotel Proprietors Lavish in Entertaining Guests

ALL BECAME STEWED

Officer Thorne and Dewey cleaned out the Waverly house at 575 Washington street early Sunday morning and as a result seven men were lined up before Judge Pratt this morning charged with drunkenness. It seems that Mrs. Jennings who conducted the place sold out Saturday to Leo J. Owens and Alfred O. Ford of Weymouth and left Harry Thompson in charge of the premises until 10 o'clock today. Along about midnight Saturday night Officer Thorne was called to remove William F. Ross who was drunk and making a disturbance. Along about 2 o'clock Sunday morning there was so much noise at the house that Officers Thorne and Dewey again visited the premises and took out all of the men, leaving the cook in charge.

From what could be learned Messrs Owens and Ford the new proprietors of the place thought it a good time to celebrate their new venture and securing three quarts of whiskey, of the kind that has a burning sensation as it goes down, and treated all hands. The result was that the fire water got in its deadly work and all hands got gloriously drunk. In court Monday morning $5 fines were imposed on the entire group, namely Leo J. Owens, Harry Thompson, William F. Ross, Elmer Frisbe, James Richie, Alfred O. Ford and Alexander Ducher.

WHITE MANTLE COVERS EARTH

First Real Snow Storm of the Season on the Job

CARS AND TRAINS LATE

The first real snow storm of the season made its appearance today and it is a fine young tempest with all the earmarks of continuing with unabated vigor until long after the shades of night have fallen.

There have been a few little matinee snow flurries, but none to compare with that in progress today. The storm came up before daylight and increased in volume as the day advanced.

There is very little wind, just a gentle breeze from the northeast, so that the snowfall was steady, consistent and level.

It was hard going for the poor horses. Automobiles found some difficulty in plowing their way through the snow.

The street car company had its plows out early moving over all the divisions to keep a clear rail. Steam and electric cars were delayed by the storm so that schedule time was difficult to keep.

The small boy was happy as he was out early and casting snowballs in a lively manner.

The men at the Fore River yard who are employed on unsheltered work were obliged to suspend at noon owing to the severity of the storm. The moisture that is in the snow made it exceeding dangerous because of the possibilities of slippery decks, walks and ironwork. Nearly 1000 men were affected.

ELKS CHARITY.

The members of Quincy lodge of Elks have been busy for several days getting ready to carry Christmas cheer into the homes of many poor people in its district. In all they have prepared about 100 baskets containing turkey, and all the things that go with it to make a good dinner. Then there is also a little gift for the children. The size of the basket depends on the size of the family. These baskets will be distributed in Hingham, Nantasket, Braintree, Weymouth and Quincy. By far the larger number however will be delivered in Quincy.

MR. BURKE'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of Richard Burke was held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burke of 38 Madison street, this morning. A high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. P. J. Scammell at St. John's church. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery.

DEATHS

SMITH—In eBachmont, Dec. 23, Elizabeth, widow of William H. Smith, of 8 Berlin street, Wolalston, in her 79th year.

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DARK HORSE IN THE JUMP

Although but a few fellows took part in the regular monthly meet on Saturday night at the Y. M. C. A. the competition was close and exciting. The running high jump and the 1000 yards run were the two events which called for the most enthusiasm.

Henry Trask sprang a big surprise on the handicapper when he cleared 5 feet 2 inches in the high jump; with his handicap of 3 inches his mark was 5 feet 5 inches. Philip Wood the scratch man, did not jump up to form missing the bar at 5 feet 1 inch. Cliff Sass a "dark horse" took second prize with a leap of 5 feet 1 inch, this with his handicap of 1 inch, gave him 5 feet 2 inches. Richard Favorite also had 5 feet 2 inches to his credit but the man with the smaller handicap receives the prize.

Fred Kingsbury, Captain of the High school track team, demonstrated that he is the best distance man when he broke the 1000 yard record of the association. "Bill" Cranshaw was expected to make Kingsbury run his head off but "Bill" had not trained enough and was compelled to drop out about 80 yards. Alan Connor, also a member of the High school track team captured 2nd place, about 50 yards behind the winner. Kingsbury's time was 2:45 2-5 seconds.

Summary:

15 yard dash, 1st—George Shirley. Time 2 1-5 seconds. 2nd. H. Trask.

Potato Race—1st H. Trask, 2nd. George Shirley. Time 35 seconds.

220 yard, 1st—H. Trask, 2nd H. Barton and T. Chell. Time 28 2-5 seconds.

1000 yards,—1st. F. Kingsbury, 2nd. A. Connor. Time 2:45 2-5 seconds.

Running high jump—1st. H. Trask, 5 feet 5 inches; 2nd. C. Sass, 5 feet 2 inches.

Starter—Frank Tirrell of Maine University. Judge of finish—Alec Robertson of Middlebury College, Vermont and Lee Brooks. Timer James King.

Entries for the seventh annual Boys State meet close on Tuesday night. Over 150 boys are expected to take part and one of the most successful meets ever held is looked for. Dr. A. E. Garland of Boston will referee. H. H. Buxton of Lynn, will act as starter.

GALLERY BEAT THE FLOOR MEN

In the Fore River Bowling League Contests

DRAUGHTSMEN VICTORS

In the Fore River Bowling league matches at the Coliseum alleys, Monday evening the Machinists Gallery beat the Machinists Floor, 3 to 1 and the Hull Draftsmen beat the Patternmakers 4 to 0.

Tirrell, with a single string of 114 was high man of the evening and his teammate Carlson made the best total with 298.

The summary:

MACHINIST GALLERY

	1	2	3	Totals
Carlson	99	109	90	298
Stevens	76	85	99	260
Amiluis	82	88	73	243
Moran	85	105	85	275
Tirrell	114	88	90	292
Totals	456	475	437	1368

MACHINIST FLOOR

Akroyd	89	101	83	273
Madden	77	96	92	265
Casey	84	88	83	255
Bergfors	81	79	88	248
Williams	94	88	103	285
Totals	425	453	449	1326

HULL DRAFTSMEN

Butler	100	73	88	261
Frouman	86	108	88	282
Elcock	75	95	88	258
Olsen	80	104	82	266
Ryan	102	96	83	281
Totals	443	476	429	1348

PATTERN MAKERS.

Williamson	92	85	76	253
A. McDonald	65	74	75	214
J. McDonald	86	93	90	269
Stewart	94	100	91	285
Spenkle	96	105	93	294
Totals	433	457	425	1315

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JAMES McDONNELL BURNED ABOUT THE HEAD AND ARMS

Awakened From Sleep By the Flames From An Overheated Stove in His Home

Locomotive's Shrill Call Brought Police, Firemen and a Crowd

James McDonnell aged 52 years was seriously burned about the left arm and head early Christmas morning when fire badly gutted a small building in the rear of the old alumnium factory on Granite street owned by the Real Estate Trust Co. McDonnell occupied the building and it was fitted up with a bunk and stove. It was shortly before 3 o'clock Christmas morning when an engineer on a passing freight train discovered the fire and for fifteen minutes he sounded the fire alarm on his locomotive whistle, that is one long blast and three short ones. This signal was heard by the officer on duty in City Square who sounded an alarm from the new box 24 near the Ledger office at 2.50. The officer then ran to the scene and found McDonnell pushing his arm into the snow bank to relieve the pain from the burns.

The ambulance call was sent in and he was removed to the city hospital where it was found that he was severely burned about the arms and head. McDonnell said that he was aroused from his sleep by the fire only to find that he had been burned. He declared that James Sullivan also occupied the building with him that night and that he was inside. The firemen however who had then arrived made a thorough search of the building but could find no trace of Sullivan.

The firemen made short work of the blaze when they arrived although the building was badly gutted. Chief Litchfield is of the opinion that the stove used to heat the room became over heated and caused the trouble. The sounding of the alarm by the locomotive engineer aroused many people in the vicinity and scores thinking that an accident had happened rushed to the scene. The guests at the Greenleaf were aroused but there was no danger at any time that fire would drive them out. The loss on the building will not amount to much over one hundred dollars.

McDonnells burns are not necessarily dangerous although very painful and he will be able to be out in a few days.

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MISS RANDALL MOVES UP

Burr Now Ahead of Larkin, Mead and Barber

SOME NEW CANDIDATES

Doubtless most of the candidates for the free Washington trip of the Daily Ledger received many vote coupons in their Christmas stockings, but only a few reached the Contest Editor today. None of the first eight in the list made a gain. However others improved the opportunity.

One hundred votes were cast for Miss Ethel Randall, a Fore River

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☞Subscribe for the Ledger and secure a thousand votes for the trip to Washington. The Ledger is going to send some one to Washington to the inauguration all expenses paid. That some one may be you. Why not? Subscribe to the Ledger. Get your friends and neighbors to subscribe. Now is a good time to think it over.

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GRANITE CLUB SPLENDID HOST

Usual Big Crowd Entertained Christmas Eve

The Granite City club kept open house for its members and friends the night before Christmas at its rooms in the Savings Bank building. While the storm doubtless kept some away, and still others were in Boston trying to get a train that would bring them home, there was a large attendance of members and their friends. The club dispensed its usual hospitality and made everybody welcome. From 8 to 12 o'clock the Wollaston orchestra discoursed music playing all the popular airs. All of the billiard and pool tables were in constant use and in the card room there were several tables in use by bid whist players. Others gathered in the parlor and listened to the music or watched the billiard, pool and card games that were in progress.

In the dining room there was plenty of good things to eat. Two large hams furnished the necessary accompanyment for a sandwich while, on the side tables were fruit of all kinds, crackers, cheese and hot cocoa. Everybody was made welcome and the entertainment committee did its best to see that all had a good time, and the general impression was that they had succeeded.

During the evening tickets for the theatre party to be held Friday evening were given out. On this evening the club will be the guests of Col. Henry L. Kincaide at his new theatre Members who were not present Tuesday evening may obtain tickets of the Entertainment committee.

BAD WEATHER HAD NO TERRORS

For the Young People of the First Church

The annual Christmas festival of the Sunday school of the First church was held Tuesday evening and there was a good attendance of the pupils and their friends in spite of the bad weather. The school gathered at 6.30 and for half an hour sang Christmas carols. Then there was a brief Christmas entertainment at the conclusion of which Santa Claus made his appearance and was hailed with delight by the pupils. The doors on the platform was thrown aside disclosing a large Christmas tree loaded down with good things. Santa Claus was kept busy for some time distributing the gifts and every member of the Sunday school received some remembrance.

ELKS OBSERVE CHRISTMAS EVE

Send Around Dinners For Poor and Then Have Good Time

The meeting of Quincy lodge of Elks Tuesday evening was a brief one. Only such routine business as was necessary was transacted after which an adjournment was made to the club rooms on Foster street where good cheer was dispensed. Shortly after 10 o'clock some of the artists appearing in the auditorium entertained the members for an hour or more. During the evening refreshments were served by the entertainment committee. It was a happy party that gathered in the rooms, and was made more so by the thoughts that by the generosity of the members many families would be enabled to enjoy Christmas cheer on the following day. During the morning and afternoon while the storm was raging teams were going from house to house leaving unmarked baskets at the doors. These baskets contained all that was necessary for a Christmas dinner and many a poor family had cause to rejoice by the generosity of the Elks.

NO PORTION OF $9,000,000 FUND FOR USE OF QUINCY WATERFRONT

Port Directors of Boston Explain the Uses to Which Money Is To Be Applied

Dock a Provision for the Dredging of Town River

With reference to the question as to whether the Port Directors of Boston would expend any money for a public dock in Quincy, Commissioner Frank F. Crane communicated with the Boston Port directors.

It is quite clear that Town river dredging is conditional on the City building a dock.

There never should have been any such provision. If the dredging is necessary as all seems to agree there never should be any thing to

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CLASSES JOINED IN GOOD TIME

Young People of Christ Church Hold Annual Festival

The annual Christmas festival of the juniors and primary classes of Christ church was held Tuesday evening in the church. The program opened by a processional by the vested choir after which there was carol singing following which Miss Cora Barnicoat sang "The Wonderful Tree" with chorus by the children of the Sunday School. The Rector Rev. Richard Armstrong also read a Christmas story. This was followed by the distribution of presents to the junior and primary classes. The senior class will hold a Christmas party in the church next Thursday evening.

On Christmas morning, Holy Communion was celebrated at 8 o'clock and at 10.30 the regular morning service was held and special Christmas music being rendered by the choir.

CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.

The First United Presbyterian church, held its usual Christmas entertainment, Wednesday night, which was provided by the young people of the Sunday school.

The church was well filled with the parents, and others to witness the exercises. The school was well represented, and the exercises were well rendered, and reflected much credit on those who trained the children. The program is as follows:

Processional
Song by the school—"Gates of Light"
Prayer—The pastor, Rev. A. M. Thompson
Response—by the school.
Recitation—Mrs. McPhee's Class
Song by the school—"Under the Stars of Glory"
Primary Department Exercises
Song—Evelyn McKenzie
Recitation—Annie Bonham
Song by school
Exercise—Miss Beaton's Class
Song—Elizabeth Kerr
Recitation—Ida Rizzie
Exercise—Miss Russell's Class
Exercise—Mr. McLeod's Class
Remarks—the Pastor
Song—Mr. McLeods Class
Closing song—the school

Then came the presentation of gifts, oranges, candies etc.

CHILDREN CELEBRATE.

The children of Miss Corlew's dancing class in Brasee hall, Monday afternoon had a most delightful time as did the teachers, matrons, and other spectators. A tree was very heavily loaded with gifts and favors and refreshments were served. The class met an hour earlier in the afternoon and all went home feeling that Christmas was very near and wishing one another a Merry Christmas.

HOME CUSTOM FOLLOWED.

The "Julotta" service was celebrated at the Swedish Baptist church at 5.30 oclock Christmas morning under the direction of Rev. Paul Hallin, who also delivered an appropriate sermon. Lighted candles were set in the windows and music was rendered by the choir. In the evening a childrens concert was well attended.

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IDEAL CHRISTMAS WEATHER CAME AFTER STORM PETERED OUT

Organizations Made It Possible For Many to Find Pleasure and Good Cheer

Every One Inspired With the Spirit of the Season

Seldom has Christmas day weather been more ideal than that of Wednesday. The storm of Tuesday had covered the earth with a mantle of snow and Wednesday morning dawned bright and clear. The air was just sharp and crispy enough, but beautiful. Just the kind of weather that one wanted to be out in. An unusual spirit of good cheer seemed to prevail everywhere, doubtless the weather had something to do with it. Certainly a more beautiful and seasonable day would he hard to imagine. The various societies and clubs that annually dispense good cheer had done their work the day before in the storm and they were happy in the thoughts that as far as known everybody in Quincy would have a pleasant day and enough to eat and plenty to keep them warm.

Many people remained at home and entertained families which had been separated for a year, while still others went out of town to join family parties elsewhere. The early morning trains and electrics carried crowds of people, some coming and some going.

Tuesday was anything but an ideal day and to many it looked as though Christmas was to be a stormy one. It began to snow early in the morning and by noon a howling blizzard was in progress. There was but little delay on the street car lines, for the street railway company had its big ploughs out bright and early and all lines were kept open. Cars as a rule were near on time, and remained so throughout the day and evening.

People however who had gone to Boston to do their last shopping and people who were employed in Boston had a hard time getting home. As usual on a snow stormy day the train service on the railroad went to smash. Trains going both ways were very irregular. By 4 o'clock out trains were from one to three hours late and some people who took a train at 4 o'clock managed to land in Quincy by 7 or 8 o'clock. It was a most trying time for these people.

Many gave up the idea of trying to get home by train and took the electric cars where there was but little delay. The street railway company found it necessary to put on extra cars on the Neponset line to accommodate the people. Some people who boarded trains in Boston for Quincy found when the train reached Atlantic that orders had been received to send the train over the Granite branch which meant that they must leave the train and trudge through the snow to Hancock street and stand and shiver until a car came along. Many who had planned theatre parties for the evening had to give up the idea.

The weather cleared about sunset and the evening was pleasant, so that late shoppers were able to finish up their work at the local stores.

Commissioner Tupper had his snow ploughs out during the afternoon and evening but owing to the high wind the paths filled up about as fast as ploughed out so that the best walking was found in the car tracks.

POINTERS MAKE MERRY AT DANCE

The dancing party of Suffragettes at Electa hall Christmas eve was the means of distributing gifts between well known Scotch and English families of Quincy Point. Many were present and enjoyed dancing until the wee hours of Christmas morn. Fred Pringle, John Muir, Frank Hodge Charles Best, Mrs. Mary Newson and William Mulliger sang; piano selections were given by James Newson and music for dancing was furnished by William Wilson.

The committee in charge was Mrs. Edith McLowell, Mrs. Alice Newson, Mrs. Margaret Newson, Mrs. Margaret Nicol, Mrs. Margaret Winship and Charles Best.

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AN ARCTIC ADVENTURE.

Nansen's Daring and Perilous Swim For His Drifting Boats.

Among the perilous adventures of the Nansen arctic expedition was the narrow escape of Nansen and Johansen on their return trip to the Fram after their unsuccessful dash for the pole. After many months of hardship a narrow channel opened in the ice, and they launched the two light kaiaks that they had carried on their sledges for more than a year. A few days afterward disaster nearly put an end to the expedition. The incident is related in "The Siege and Conquest of the North Pole," by Mr. George Bryce.

In the evening their legs felt stiff with sitting in the kaiaks all day, and they landed on the edge of the ice so that they might stretch them a little. After the kaiaks, which were lashed together, had been moored by means of one of the braces they ascended a hummock close by and had been standing there only a moment when Johansen raised the cry that the kaiaks were adrift.

They ran to the edge of the ice, but the boats were already a little way off and were drifting quickly. The position was a terrible one, for all they possessed was on board. Nansen at once threw off some of his clothing, handed his watch to Johansen and sprang into the icy water. He knew that if the boats were lost it meant death to him and his companion. At first it seemed more than doubtful whether he could manage to regain them. When he got tired he turned over and swam on his back. At length he gained a little and redoubled his exertions.

By this time Nansen felt his limbs stiffening and losing all feeling. His strokes became more and more feeble, but the distance from the kaiaks became shorter, and at last he was able to grasp a snowshoe that lay across the sterns. He now tried to pull himself up, but his body was so stiff with cold that he could not do so. After a little he managed to swing one leg up to the edge of the sledge that was lashed to the deck and then raised the rest of his body. They were saved!

With some difficulty he paddled the kaiaks back to Johansen, who admitted that these were the worst moments he had ever lived through. Johansen now pulled off Nansen's wet clothes, put on the few dry ones they had in reserve, spread the sleeping bag upon the ice and covered Nansen with the sail and everything he could find to keep out the cold. The next day Nansen was all right again, and in the evening they pressed forward once more on the march that finally brought them out of the arctic.

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PREPARED FOR WATERY GRAVE

Turrialba's Passengers Had Little Hope of Safety

PRAYER MEEETING ON STEAMER

Women Kissed Each Other and Men Wept as They Bade Companions Farewell—Revenue Cutter Comes to Rescue When Hope Had Almost Been Abandoned and All Are Saved

New York, Dec. 26.—The searchlight of Uncle Sam's good Samaritan of the high seas, the derelict destroyer Seneca, shot a radiant lance over the East river just at the time last evening when folks ashore were sitting down to Christmas turkey.

Its brilliancy fell on the Christmas tree lashed to the jackstaff and revealed with the same time a more delightful picture, the upturned and smiling faces of the passengers the Seneca, with great difficulty in a tremendous sea, had rescued from the United Fruit line's steamship Turrialba, which drove into the clutch of one of the worst ship traps on the Atlantic coast.

While the breakers were sweeping over the stranded boat Tuesday morning every man, woman and child on board expected death and prepared to meet their fate.

A prayer meeting was held in the music room while the vessel was quivering from the blows of the seas, and from bended knees prayers were repeated and women kissed each other goodby, while strong men wept and bade companions farewell.

The fifty-seven passengers and eighteen stewards that crowded the Seneca's deck were without any question the happies company on land or sea when the cutter swung to her slip at the United Fruit company pier.

Some of them—and these were women who had been very courageous on Tuesday and cheerful in the dismal hours when the Atlanitc hammered the Turrialba with titantic blows and did its best to smash her—wept.

So the Seneca was a very real Christmas ship when she came to port last night with the people who had gone through, on Christmas eve, a fearful experience. They were all safe and unharmed. They had preserved their baggage. The terrors of the storm were dimming and they crowded on each other's heels to explain what a fine skipper Captain Lindsay of the Turrialba was, and how nice Captain Johnson and Lieutenant Leturiatt of the Seneca had been, and how bravely the Brigantine lifesavers had dared the pounding seas, and, in fine, how splendid the whole world was.

They brought good news also about Captain Lindsay and the officers and crew of the stranded fruit ship, which, when they took their last look at her, was rearing up and down in a sea littered with bananas and the flotsam of jettisoned cargo. Captain Johnson of the Seneca said the steamer had stood up well under the smashing seas and there was a fair chance she would be hauled off the shoals.

The steamship, with her engines crippled, her rudder gone and her propeller broken and twisted, lies on Brigantine shoal, about nine miles north of Atlantic City, her bow pointing northwest. Johnson had an idea that Lindsay and his ship's company might get here by tonight.

PASSENGERS IN PANIC

Two Steamships Crash During Storm In Delaware Bay

Philadelphia, Dec. 26.—One hundred and fifty passengers aboard the steamship Merion, from this port for Liverpool, feared a Christmas grave when the vessel listed dangerously after a crash with the steamship Oceano, inward bound, and the captain found it necessary to head her for the shore.

Panic stricken, the passengers encased themselves in life preservers, dropped to the deck, prayed and took their positions at the lifeboats. Their fears were allayed when the bank was reached and the nose of the steamship run upon it.

The crash occurred at Cross Ledge shoals in the lower Delaware bay. A storm was raging when the steamships crashed.

The Oceano's bow was stove in. She leaked badly, but proceeded upstream. The Merion was driven on the bank. It was found she could stand the strain of returning to Philadelphia and backed off the bank. She arrived safely and her passengers were landed.

Wholesale Shooting at Wedding

Taylorsville, Ills., Dec. 26.—John Belder, a contractor, is dying from a bullet wound, his mother-in-law, Mrs. John Fisher, is seriously wounded, and many of the guests assembled to attend the wedding of Belder's stepdaughter, Elsie Bates, and Ora Redfern, are on the verge of nervous prostration following Belder's attempt to prevent the nuptials by shooting up the wedding.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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VOTING CONTEST

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stenographer, and she moves up one more in the list.

That High school quartette—Messrs. Larkin, Mead, Barber and Burr are having a merry little contest all to themselves. On Tuesday, Burr was low man, but today he is first of the four.

Others to make gains were Galen Bowditch, Cornelius M. Duggan, Edmond Desmond, J. Hynes, J. McCullough, J. F. Gallagher, Richard H. Joyce and Ambrose O'Dowd.

New candidates today are R. A. Falconer, Alice O'Neil, Catherine Dolan, Horace E. Spear, James Doyle and Charles Archibald.

ANOTHER PRIZE

A larger vote certificate is offered as a prize this week—one good for 500 votes—for the "biggest gain" during the week ending at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 30. Any candidate has as good a chance as another to win this prize.

A certificate good for 1000 votes is given for each year's subscription to the Daily Ledger. Old or new subscribers may pay for one year, two years or five years and thus help their friends in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	20940
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	13120
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	4270
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2915
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	2540
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St	1990
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1305
Galen Bowditch, messenger	715
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	495
Ethel Randall, stenographer	475
Sam Shellman, Granite street	420
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kelvin court	360
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	200
Richard Larkin, High school	185
Walter Mead, High school	170
Joseph Barber, Elm ave.	145
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	120
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	125
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	100
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	100
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	95
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
John H. Hart, timekeeper	95
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	90
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	90
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Michael P. Barry Fire dept.	85
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	85
William Erickson, F. of A.	85
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	85
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	80
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod.	80
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	80
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	80
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Richard H. Joyce, West Quincy	75
J. McCullough, shipyard	70
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	70
William Kelley, conductor	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	65
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	65
William Allen, Eagles	65
B. L. Smith, Fore River ,	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	60
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	60
Clara Stoddard, S. of V Aux.	55
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
George Powers, Fore River	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	50
R. A. Falconer, Broadway	50
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	50
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	50
John Evans, Progressive	45
J. Haynes, shipfitter	45
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	45
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	45
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	45
Carl W. Leaf Water street	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
Alice O'Neil, West Quincy	40
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Horace E. Spear, Franklin street	40
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Catherine Dolan, Atlantic	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
James N. Rice, Appleton street	30
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
James Doyle, West street	20
Charles Archibald, L. O. L.	15
Robert Brown, "Wet wash"	10
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Capt. Fred Smith, Broadway	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	5
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5
A. I. Dixon, Fat Men's Club	5
George Westland, Quincy	5
J. Nathan, Granite st	5

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PRESIDENT TAFT

BALL IN TAFT'S HONOR

President Dances With Wife of President of Panama

Panama, Dec. 26.—President Taft attended a ball given in his honor last night in the National theatre by President Porras. The president danced with Senora Porras.

The members of the diplomatic corps, the canal officials, the cabinet ministers and officials of the republic were present and united in giving President Taft a hearty reception.

The streets of the capital were crowded and the buildings were gaily decorated. Red-shirted firemen, guarding the route over which the presidential party passed, made the scene a picturesque one.

BURGLAR OVERSLEEPS

He Falls Into Clutches of Boston Police as a Result

Boston, Dec. 26.—Joseph Algiers, the alleged burglar whose habit it was to take a nap before operating in this building he broke into, apparently overslept at 60 Pearl street, and as a result he is now at the city hall station, charged with being responsible for the chain of burglaries which have been committed in the Boston business section during the last few weeks.

When booked at the station house and searched property stolen from five different business buildings were found.

VILLAGE LIFE IN EGYPT.

Crude Mud Houses, the Roofs of Which Are Garbage Dumps.

Egyptian village life is quaint and interesting, says the Wide World Magazine. The houses are crude, one storied structures of sun baked mud, with possibly a couple of tiny square holes cut in the wall for ventilation.

Each home consists of a single room, absolutely devoid of furniture, one or two drinking jars and cooking utensils being usually the only articles to be seen. The roofs of these hovels are thatched with cornstalks, and for some unaccountable reason all the household rubbish is dumped on the roof! For this purpose a ladder may frequently be seen reclining against the side of the house. From a distance a village is apt to look like an immense rubbish heap. These primitive erections are inhabited solely by the fellahin, as Egyptian peasants are called.

In some of the Arab villages the arrangements for sleeping are even more unconventional. Huge cuplike structures made of mud are built out in the open, away from the houses, and into these the babies are frequently placed during the day, and often the entire family sleep in them at night. The idea is to escape the numerous snakes and scorpions which abound during the great heat of the summer.

POISON IN ITS AIR.

Java's Valley of Death, Where Life Cannot Exist.

The Valley of Death is on the island of Java. It is the most remarkable natural example of an atmosphere loaded with carbonic acid gas in existence. It has never been fully explored because of the danger of remaining more than a few moments in its poisonous atmosphere.

Approached through an opening between the hills, it is seen to be an oval shaped valley about half a mile across. It is about thirty-five feet deep. The bottom is hard and sandy, without vegetation and strewn with large stones. The surface is covered with the bones of animals, birds and human beings.

Explorers seldom venture beyond the borders, though the deadly air does not immediately affect human beings. This is because the carbonic acid gas, being heavier than the atmosphere, settles to the bottom of the valley. Dogs and fowls thrown into it fall senseless instantly and die in a few minutes. No craters or fissures are visible on the floor of this valley, and it is thought that the openings are near the base of the hills.—Exchange.

Unnecessary Instructions.

"Now, Tommy," said his mother, giving her final instructions before he left for the party, "remember, if you're asked to have something you want you must say, 'Yes, thank you,' and if you don't want it"—

Tommy raised his hand. "That's all right, ma," he said; "you needn't bother about that part of it."

ONE CAN'T BLAME THE GIRL

or the Man either

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MEREDITH AS A CHILD.

When Only Two Years of Age He Had an Air of Superiority.

As is generally the case with an only child, brought up entirely in the society of his elders, George Meredith developed early and always had something of contempt for juveniles of his own age. He was a reserved and acutely sensitive boy, afraid of ghosts and being left alone in the dark, and was perhaps a trifle spoiled by his mother, a refined woman, whose love and care he lost before he reached his sixth birthday. There is still living a gentleman who well remembers George Meredith at the age of two years. This was about 1830-1, and Mr. James Price relates of his visit:

"I went up to the large front drawing room, where I found the boy and a lady who must have been his mother. The boy did not seem to care much about playing with me, and I was rather shy. He brought me his toys and picture books to see, and I was mightily pleased, I remember, with a horse and cart (not like the many cheap ones that I had seen), a beautiful, lifelike white horse, and the cart of superior make, and as George drew it along it made music as the wheels went round. What I remember of the child's appearance is somewhat hazy—a boy in white frock and blue ribbons tied up his sleeves, but he was certainly a pretty child. I spent the afternoon with him, but we did not get on much together, as he assumed a sort of superiority."—Fortnightly Review.

Pretty Poor Singers.

"Why doesn't your wife sing to the baby when it cries?"

"We've found out that the neighbors would rather listen to the baby."—Mother's Journal

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OF LEDGER TOUR

—To—

WASHINGTON, D. C.

FEBRUARY 28 TO MARCH 7

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28.

Leave Boston at 6.00 P. M., by train for Fall River, connecting with one of the magnificent steamers of the Fall River line for New York. Stateroom provided.

SATURDAY, MARCH 1.

Breakfast on steamer is provided and New York is reached at 7.20 A. M. The forenoon will be devoted to sight-seeing about the city. Luncheon provided at hotel. Leave New York at 2.00 P. M., via the Royal Blue Line. Seats in parlor cars included. Arrive Washington at 7.00 P. M., and transfer to a first-class hotel, where rooms and meals will be provided for the stay at the National Capital.

MARCH 2—3—4 (INAUGURATION DAY.)

In Washington. Under direction of conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4th is Inauguration Day. The Inauguration of the President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle. The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis Cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol Building, in front of which takes place the actual Inauguration ceremonies, including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy and Malitia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson, and down Pennsylvania Avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage. In the evening the grand Inauguration Ball is held in the immense Pension Building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of this building is cleared for this event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine Band and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations and of the officers of the Army and Navy form a brilliant spectacle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5.

On Wednesday a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ Church, where Washington worshipped, and the Marshall House where Ellsworth was killed.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6.

Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9.00 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included and New York is reached at 2.00 P. M. Leave New York at 5.00 P. M., on Fall River Line steamer. Staterooms assigned and evening dinner served.

FRIDAY, MARCH 7.

Arrive Fall River at 5.30 A. M., connecting with train for Boston.

REVISED FIRE ALARM

7 Corner Farnum and Edison Streets.
12 Palmer Street, opposite Bakers.
13 Corner Shelton Road and Sea Sts.
14 Church turn-out, Manet Avenue.
15 Germantown, Sailors' Snug Harbor.
16 Sea Street, near Rock Island Road
17 Sea street, near Dunham's.
18 Sea and Palmer streets.
19 Rock Island.

21 Corner Whitwell and Granite Sts.
23 Hancock Street, near Hall's stable.
24 Whitwell Street, near Hospital.
25 Corner Newcomb and Canal Sts.
26 Hancock, opposite City Hall.
27 Corner Elm and Washington Sts.
28 Corner Greenleaf and Hancock Sts.
29 Corner Butler Road and Putnam
31 Phipps Street, near Payne Street.
32 Independence Avenue and Franklin
34 Corner High and Franklin Streets.
35 Corner Hancock and School Streets.
36 Junction Pleasant and Quincy Sts.
37 Corner Franklin and Water Sts.
38 Corner Liberty and Plain Sts.
39 Corner Penn and Liberty Streets.
41 Corner School and Granite Streets.
42 Corner Copeland and Granite Sts.
43 Corner Common and Copeland Sts.
45 Corner Crescent and Willard Sts.
46 Copeland and Furnace avenue.
47 Corner Bates Avenue and Grove
48 Corner Robertson and Willard Sts.
49 Corner Doble and Willard Streets.
51 Tubular Rivet Factory.
52 Elmwood Avenue and Farrington.
53 Winthrop and Warren Avenues.
54 Hancock Street,, near Elm Avenue.
56 Beale, opposite Wollaston Hotel.
57 Corner Beach and Willow Streets.
58 Corner Beale and Adams Streets.
59 Beale Street and Central Avenue.
61 Squantum and Hancock Streets.
62 Corner Atlantic and Hancock Sts
63 Hancock Street, near Atlantic depot.
64 Billings Street and Newbury Ave.
64 (D) Combination No. 2 House.
65 Faxon Road and Squantum Street.
66 Prospect and Billings.
67 Corner Atlantic and Squantum Sts
68 Squantum.
69 Montclair.

71 Corner Mill and Washington Sts.
72 Washington Street, corner South.
73 Corner Winter and Howard Sts.
74 Corner River and Washington Sts
75 Corner Main and Sumner Streets.
76 Washington corner Wharf.
76 (D) Power House, Q. & B. St. R'y.,
78 Fore River Ship Building Works.
112 Sea street near Willows.
113 Post Island.
114 Engine House, Houghs Neck.
116 Centre road and Darrow Street.
117 Great Hill, Hough's Neck.
119 Rockland and Rhoda, R. I.

121 President's Hill.
122 Chestnut Street and Revere Road.
123 Hancock Street, near Car Barn.
124 Corner Goffe and Adams Streets.
126 Russell Park.
136 Brook Road and Water Street.
138 Corner Brooks Avenue and Centre
143 Station Street.
147 Granite Railway Yard.
151 Billings Road and Beach Street.
152 Corner Billings and Rawson Roads.
153 Farrington near Wol. Foundry.
154 Wollaston Ave. near Sailors' Home.
155 Warren Avenue, near Newton St.
161 Newport avenue opp. Foundry.
171 Whicher's factory, Union Street.
172 Corner Glencoe place and New Rd.
173 Newcomb Square, Quincy Avenue.
174 North, bet. South and Washington
175 Quincy Avenue, near Mrs. Baxter's.
221 Glendale road and Bedford Street.
223 Washington and Foster.
224 Corner Adams and Whitwell sts.
225 Field and Brackett street.
226 Dimmock and Upland road.
227 Hancock and Chestnut streets.
228 Edgemere Road and Putnam St.
242 (P) City Hospital.
272 Corner Washington and Pray Sts.
273 (P) Baker Basin.
321 Intervale Street and Brook Avenue
324 Adams St., near Whitwell St.,
331 Franklin and School.
332 Federal and Independence aves.
412 Corner Willard and West Streets.
413 Buckley and Arthur
431 Rogers Street, off Hall place.
432 Willard and Furnace avenue.
435 Reardon and Barry Streets.
441 Smith Street, rear C. H. Hardwick's
442 Quarry Street, near Hitchcock's.
443 Corner Hayden and West Streets.
445 Corner Quarry and Common Streets.
446 Opposite Willard School, Copeland.
512 Grand View and South Central Ave.
513 Foot Beach Street.
515 Quincy Mansion School.
524 Berlin and Woodbine.
552 Brook and Granger.
553 Belmont and Warren avenue.
612 Hancock Street and Billings Road.
613 Hayward opp. Gear Works.
614 Glover avenue and Newbury avenue
615 Oak and Walnut.
617 Squantum and Huckins avenue.
712 Broadway and Commonwealth ave.
718 (P) Johnson's Lumber Yard.
721 South and Chubbuck.
722 Washington and Union.
723 South and Clairmont Avenue.
725 South and Winthrop park.

D—Duplicate. P—Private.

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SIGNALS—Fire Department.

Ten (10) blows followed by Box number—Second alarm.
Twelve (12) blows, followed by Box number—General Alarm
Four (4) blows—Special call for Hose No. 1.
Two (2) blows—Recall.
Three (3) blows—Chief Engineer's call.
One (1) blow, 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.—Fire Alarm test.
2-2 three times—No school.
4-4-4—Military call.
Seven (7) blows—Electric Light Co. to shut off current.
3-3-3—Police call.
Lost Child call. 5-5-5—then one round of the Box nearest to where the lost child lives.
Six (6) blows—Superintendent Water Works call.
Two (2) blows, 8.55 P. M.—Curfew Law.

132—Out of City Call, Braintree.
135— " " " Weymouth
158— " " " Milton.
165— " " " Boston.

ARE ORDERED BACK TO DUTY

Turkish Officers on Leave Near Tchatalja to Report at Once

RUSSIA AND AUSTRIA WAITING

Large Bodies of Troops In Both Countries Have Not Been Demobilized —Allies Must Pass on Counter Proposals Expected From Turkey—Agree on Boundary Lines

London, Dec. 26.—That Turkey believes hostilities are imminent again in the vicinity of Constantinople was indicated, it is believed, by a brief news dispatch from Constantinople reporting that all officers on leave from the Tchatalja lines have been recalled to their regiments, with orders to appear within twenty-four hours. No later news of the situation is forthcoming.

The peace negotiations are proceeding smoothly but slowly. When the delegates meet again on Saturday the Turks will reply to the allies' proposals. This communication will probably be a series of counter proposals, which must be referred to the Balkan governments. The negotiations will probably be protracted.

Russia and Austria fail to demobilize their troops. Russia has more men under arms than Austria. Three hundred thousand men in Russia were due to finish their military training in November. They have not been dismissed. In Austria, on the other hand, young men have been called to the colors. There is a strict censorship on military news in Russia now.

It was believed the difficulties had been virtually settled by the announcement of the ambassadorial conference that it favored an autonomous Albania and a seaport for Servia.

The allies have agreed to propose the following frontier for an autonomous Albania: North along the left bank of the River Drin, leaving a few miles on the left bank of that river to Montenegro, as it represents the only passage possible from the interior to the sea. The frontier as proposed will follow the Black Drin until the White Drin joins that river. The eastern frontier is marked by the watershed between Albania and Servia, leaving to Servia both Prisrend and Monastir. The southern frontier consists of a practically straight line from a point south of Avlona to the watershed, leaving the town of Ergherikastro to Greece.

The proposed frontier between Montenegro and Servia will be along the White Drin, leaving Djakova to Montenegro, and passing through the source of the River Ibar at a spot called Rojas, where it reaches in a straight line to the River Lim, which constitutes the last part of the frontier, leaving the town of Plevile to Montenegro.

The Ægean islands will go to Greece, as they have a population made up almost entirely of Greeks. But the Athens government pledges the neutralization of these islands, desiring to guarantee to all the powers free passage and liberty to commerce throughout the archipelago.

Although the Bulgarians asked to be permitted to occupy territory on a line from Rodosto, on the sea of Marmora, to Midia, on the Black sea, it is believed they will be satisfied to have the frontier start from Enos, a port on the Ægean sea, and follow the Maritza river until it reaches a point south of Lule Burgas and then cut across eastward to Midia.

It is purposed to make Salonica and the surrounding territory wthin a radius of 100 miles neutral under the protection of the allies.

GOVERNOR STARTS INQUIRY

Officials Say New Law Affects Discipline In Girls' Reform School

Boston, Dec. 26.—Governor Foss has started an investigation in relation to the recent attempt of a score of girls to escape from the Lancaster state school. The governor wants to find out if the girls are not amenable to state laws or regulations and whether some blame belongs to the school authorities.

The officials of the school contend that because of the passage of the law of 1911 abolishing solitary confinement in correctional institutions it has been extremely difficult to handle some of the inmates.

Farmer Habeas Writ Sustained

New York, Dec. 26.—Glenn F. Farmer, under indictment in Boston on a charge of being concerned in an "edition de luxe" book swindle there, was released from the Tombs after a writ of habeas corpus, sworn out to prevent his removal to Massachusetts, had been sustained by Judge Holt of the United States district court. Farmer is under $10,000 bail.

Wood to Lead Wilson Parade

Washington, Dec. 26.—Major General Wood, chief of staff of the army, will lead the inaugural parade in connection with the induction into office of President Wilson.

NO PLACE FOR BRYAN?

Clark's Friends Object to Having Nebraskan In the Cabinet

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 26.—No political presents, as many had expected, were given by President-elect Wilson yesterday. The governor spent the day with his family. He has conferred with Speaker Clark of the house of representatives in regard to the composition of the cabinet, but is not as yet prepared to make any announcements.

That Wilson and Clark did not discuss W. J. Bryan at any time during their meeting is regarded as significant. Any favors shown Bryan, it is thought certain, will prove displeasing to the Clark supporters.



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WILLIAM J. BRYAN

The next important conference the president-elect will have over cabinet appointments will be with Oscar W. Underwood, chairman of the important ways and means committee of the house.

Mr. Clark is regarded as being opposed to any emoluments going to Bryan. It is Bryan who is blamed by followers of Clark for preventing the nomination of Clark at Baltimore. Once fast friends, they are now considered otherwise.

ESCAPES FROM CANNIBALS

Californian Had Been Fattened For Feast by South American Savages

San Francisco, Dec. 26.—Guy de Villepion, a one time teacher at a local academy, who arrived here from the west coast of South America, told a tale of having been fattened for a feast by cannibals while attempting to cross from Ciudad to Buenos Ayres. He escaped after many adventures and found his way to Callao.

"They were a strange people," he said, "and appeared to be half man and half ape. I have no doubt that they meant to eat me. I was mystified by all their kindness until I saw that it was all directed to the one end of getting me fat. Then I thought I had better leave and I did."

"DYNAMITE PLOT" TRIAL NEARING END

Separate Verdicts Will Be Returned by Federal Jury

Indianapolis, Dec. 26.—The cases of the forty labor union officials, accused of promoting the McNamara dynamiting plots in the iron workers' strike against employes of non-union labor, will go to the jury within thirty-six hours. Christmas day was not allowed to interfere with the progress of the trial.

At the close of all argument tonight or on Friday morning, Federal Judge Anderson will instruct the jury. It is understood the court's outline of the law as to what testimony shall be applied to certain defendants will require about an hour.

The jurors will then retire to deliberate as to the men who were brought here three months ago from cities scattered from Boston to Los Angeles to figure as defendants in what is said to be the most important trial of its kind ever held in a federal court.

The jury, to be asked to return a separate verdict for each defendant, is composed entirely of farmers or merchants from rural districts of Indiana.

Ireland's Coast Cliffs.

The finest cliff scenery in the United Kingdom is on the coast of the county of Donegal, at the northwest of Ireland, facing the Atlantic, where the variety and grandeur of the cliffs are most thrilling and impressive. Slieve League, south of Glen Columbkille, is a superb introduction to Donegal's coast splendors. In less than half a mile from the sea the mountain rears its height of nearly 2,000 feet. In the island of Achill, off the west coast of Ireland, the cliffs of Croghan, at Achill Head, rise sheer from the water's edge to the dizzy height of 3,000 feet.—London Standard.

Original.

"Was there anything original in his speech at the banquet?"

"Well, he admitted that he knew he was to be called on."—Detroit Free Press.

OLD LANDMARK GONE

Amesbury Home of Poet Whittier Is Burned to the Ground

Amesbury, Mass., Dec. 26.—Two women narrowly escaped suffocation and thousands of dollars' worth of priceless relics were destroyed when the old home of the poet, John Greenleaf Whittier, was burned flat.

The house, which was over 150 years old, was the local headquarters of the Red Cross society and the centre of the town relief work, as well as other local charities. In the old house the poet made his home for fifty-six years, and there many of his poems were written.

Mrs. Emily C. Smith, president of the Whittier Homestead association, and her daughter, Miss Gertrude S. Smith, the only occupants of the house, were awakened by smoke pouring into their chambers. They fled to the street in scant attire through the smoke-filled corridors, barely escaping suffocation.

ZBYSZKO DOWNS CUTLER

Polish Wrestler Conquers Chicagoan In Two Straight Falls

Boston, Dec. 26.—Zbyszko, the mighty Polish wrestler, earned his right to be considered a strong claimant of the title of world's heavyweight mat champion, recently laid aside by Frank Gotch, by defeating Charles Cutler of Chicago in two straight falls last evening.

For punishing holds, roughness, a display of grit and endurance, and in almost continuous battling for more than an hour, the contest was one of the most terrific ever seen on the mat in this city. More than 4000 fans cheered and howled.

As the deadly toe hold was not barred, both men inflicted by its use frightful torture, and several times it seemed as though tendon and sinew must give way.

SEVENTY-NINE MEN GET THEIR LIBERTY

Wholesale Prison Delivery by Governor of South Carolina

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 26.—Murderers, burglars, highway robbers, bigamists and assailants of women, numbering seventy-nine, walked out of the state penitentiary free men yesterday. Christmas presents in the form of pardons had been sent to them by Governor Blease. Several of the prisoners were regarded as such a menace to the state that they were liberated with the stipulation that they cross the border within twenty-four hours.

Seventeen of the men released were serving life terms for murder, twenty-eight others had been slayers and had been convicted for manslaughter, five were serving life terms for burglary and one a life term for arson. Quite a few were convicted of violating the excise law.

Governor Blease made no comment on this remarkable exercise of his pardoning powers except that he would discuss the subject in his next message to the legislature.

SLASHED WITH RAZOR

Somerville Man Slain and Brother-in-Law Placed Under Arrest

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 26.—Joseph W. McLaughlin, 38, of 36 Linwood street, died on his way to the Somerville hospital, the result of two razor wounds on the left side of his neck, inflicted, so it is claimed, by his brother-in-law, Michael J. Collins.

The latter is under arrest, charged with murder, while his brother, John Collins, is locked up as a witness.

McLaughlin is survived by a wife and four young children. The murder took place at the home of McLaughlin and was the result of a row, but the police have been unable to get an accurate account of what happened, as liquor played an important part.

WIFE SLAYERS SENTENCED

Saxon Will Be Hanged, While Claffey Is Given Life Term

Hartford, Dec. 26.—Louis Saxon of New Britain was sentenced in the superior court to be hanged on April 11, 1913. Saxon shot and killed Anna Spelansky, his common law wife, and mother of his three children, at New Britain.

Charles Claffey pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree and was sentenced to life imprisonment. He shot his wife to death at their home in Windsor.

Old Railroad Man Retires

Salem, Mass., Dec. 26.—Henry Scannell, an old employe of the Boston and Maine railroad, has been retired after forty years of service on a pension. He was assistant superintendent of the Portland divison.

Two Seamen Badly Hurt

Queenstown, Dec. 26.—The British steamer Ripon, from Fowey for Philadelphia, is returning to Queenstown for medical aid, two of her crew having been seriously injured in an accident.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

UTILIZING COLD MUTTON.

COLD mutton—the scraps which are scarcely nice looking enough to appear on the table as cold sliced meat—may be made the basis for a number of delicious dishes. The lean mutton is required for these, the fat and gristle being discarded.

Handsomely Arranged.

Minced Mutton With Jelly.—Take some cold mutton and chop it with a small quantity of red pickled cabbage or beets. Season this with salt, pepper, oil and vinegar. Chop hard boiled white of egg, add it to the mince and moisten with a small quantity of liquid aspic jelly. Fill small wet molds with the mixture. When firm turn out on a dish. Garnish the dish with olives, hard boiled eggs and aspic jelly.

Diced Mutton.—Take some cold mutton and cut into cubes; also cut into cubes the same weight of potatoes as of meat. Season the potatoes and toss them in butter. Then put half the vegetables into a saucepan with the meat and cover the whole with a few tablespoonfuls of tomato sauce and meat gravy. Heat without allowing to boil. Distribute the remainder of the potatoes, which should be crisply fried, over the hash and sprinkle with a pinch of freshly chopped parsley.

With a Cereal and Vegetables.

Hashed Mutton and Rice.—Take one pound of cooked mutton, half a large onion, two ounces of butter, one teaspoonful of chopped parsley, the peel of half a grated lemon, three-quarters of a pint of stock or water, one teaspoonful of lemon juice, one teaspoonful of sugar, one dessertspoonful of meat essence, three-quarters of a teaspoonful of salt, half a teaspoonful of pepper, three tablespoonfuls of tomato ketchup. Put the butter into a saucepan. When hot put onion in, cut up, and cook till light brown. Add the mutton, free from skin and cut into dice. Then add other ingredients, cover the pan and cook all for an hour. Thicken with a dessertspoonful of flour and pour on to a hot dish. Have ready a wall of rice on the dish.

A Simple Hash.

Mutton Hash.—Take the cold meat left after you have had a cold shoulder or leg of mutton, six whole peppers, six whole allspice, savory herbs, half a head of celery, one onion, two ounces of butter, flour. Cut the meat in nice even slices from the bones, trimming off all superfluous fat and gristle. Chop the bones and fragments of the joint, put them into a stewpan with the pepper, spice, herbs and celery, cover with water and simmer for one hour. Slice and fry the onion to a nice pale brown color, dredge in a little flour to make it thick and add this to the bones, etc. Stew for a quarter of an hour, strain the gravy, let it cool and skim off fat.

WAYS OF SERVING ONIONS.

ONIONS are a useful cold weather vegetable. Fortunately there are ways of cooking them so that the obnoxious odor does not permeate the house. The one which is most satisfactory is in the fireless cooker. Some cooks recommend leaving the vessel without a lid while they are boiling or stewing, but this does not always avail to banish odor.

Sauted and Boiled.

Glazed Silver Skins.—Take twelve small onions and cook in boiling salted water until tender. Drain and saute them in three tablespoonfuls of butter to which has been added one tablespoonful of sugar.

Boiled Onions and Parsley Sauce.—Take one pint of small white onions. Peel and place them in a saucepan over the fire. Cover with boiling water, add half a teaspoonful of salt and boil ten minutes; then drain. Return the onions to the saucepan, add one ounce of butter and toss them over the fire for a few minutes, adding one tablespoonful of cream. Let stand two minutes and add one-half a tablespoonful of fine chopped parsley.

Wholesome Dishes.

Creamed Onions.—Take a quarter peck of onions, a tablespoonful each of salt, butter and flour and a cupful of milk. Peel and wash the onions, cover with boiling water, add the salt and boil forty minutes, or until the onions are tender. Remove with a skimmer. Put the butter in a pan, add the flour, then the cold milk slowly, stir until smooth and creamy, cook three minutes; then pour over the onions and cook for five minutes more.

Spanish Onions With Sauce.—Take a half dozen Spanish onions, a tablespoonful each of butter, flour and salt, a cupful of cold milk, a half teaspoonful of salt and a quarter of a teaspoonful of white pepper. Pare and wash the onions, cover with boiling water, add the tablespoonful of salt and boil twenty minutes. Place in a bakepan that has been brushed with melted butter, cover with cream sauce and bake thirty minutes in a moderate oven.

For the sauce melt the butter in a saucepan, add the flour, then the cold milk slowly, stir until smooth and creamy. Cook three minutes.

Anna Thompson

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The steam car service was pretty well demoralized by the storm of Tuesday, but it is getting back into normal shape today.

The pole won the wrestling championship, but those who saw the bout thought they were witnessing a sparring match.

It now looks as though the New Year might arrive before the peace delegates get finally settled to their work.

President Mellen has not much to be grateful to Santa Claus for when it is realized that he had his stockings filled with indictment and a crippling snow storm.

After a while after much scouting around some people in Boston have arrived at conclusion that the Albanians have decided to give Boston the go by in the king seeking job. As no one took the imagination of the first tooter of the yarn seriously, the denial was hardly in the nature of a scoop.

The gentlemen are getting heated up over those pardons. It would be too bad if they were the cause of breaking the peace or the wreckage of good manners.

The letter carriers were laden down with belated Christmas packages this morning, and more are reported on their way. It gave the men a taste of what the regular thing will be after Jan. 1.

It looks as though the egg trust had put one over on Boston.

It was hard to figure which received the most violent condemnation Tuesday night the railroad or the weather.

Austria keeping its army ready is worrying and puzzling the rest of Europe.

Pomeroy's solitary confinement was broken yesterday by a visit from the Governor and his wife. The famous prisoner has hit upon the mental proposition as grounds for a pardon.

The burglar who went to sleep could hardly be credited with being alive to the importance of his job or his safety.

A western newspaper man reports that he was fattened by cannibals but escaped. The average newspaper man would make pretty hard picking for even cannibals and maybe his escape was not so much of an accident after all.

Some of the poor horses were more than overburdened by their loads when the storm came Tuesday.

According to the figures given out, one might be pardoned for a preference to being a New York banker than president of the United States.

Now that official holidays are over for a few weeks, we can settle down to something like reasonable consideration of ordinary every day events.

IMPOSTORS REFUSED.

Even at Christmas season, of all season's of the year the impostor with brazen effrontery plies the trade of that calling expecting to profit by the splendid spirit which always prevails at this time of the year. Some are successful. Others are not so fortunate. It is a mean contemptible trick on the part of people who are not really in want to pose as deserving of charity for the little temporary relief afforded their pocket books. It is bad enough for people to be actually in want, without stimulating it. But for people who possess the means to obtain that which rightiy belongs to worthy poor, engage in a mean contemptible subterfuge which as soon as discovered is treated with the rebuff it richly deserves.

A certain little clique of this class evidently planned a campaign of this kind, by an invasion of the Salvation Army Barracks, Tuesday afternoon. They reckoned no doubt, that the Salvation Army people who were strangers in this city, would not be familiar with them and they could get by which their little tricks nice and easy. But they reckoned with their host on this occasion.

The Salvation Army people are generous givers when they have the goods and they never refuse a worthy case when it is known to be such if it is within their power to aid, but on the other hand, with all their apparent soft heartedness and gentle, submissive manner, they have a system.

This year all the charitable organizations worked in harmony and they co-operated with the Associated Charities. So that every case where application was made a quiet investigation was conducted. If the application was conducted. If the applicant was not registered in the Associated Charities it meant that further investigation was necessary. Thus all cases were proven. The importors simply had their trouble for their pains and placed themselves upon record as not worthy of the consideration of decent people. The subterfuge failed in each. They did not gain either materially or otherwise and certainly their reputation and character as well suffered by their efforts. On the whole it is just as well to try and be honest, in those little things. Certainly nothing is lost by being honest and the gain in case of success is only trivial, while the humiliation spelling defeat is something many would not care to endure.

BEATING EGG TRUST.

It is now an open question whether the public if the several cities which entered so actively and enthusiastically into the egg trust beating campaign, were not somewhat beaten to a frazzle. There seemed to be a thoroughness in the organization of those actually conducting the business of the sales, which would give good grounds to belief that the whole scheme was worked out months ago, and only awaited the opportune moment to be sprung upon the public. Certain it is that if, in many cases the eggs sold were of inferior cold storage grades, and many of them old and unfit to use, the public was beautifully stung. Purchase of old, rotten eggs, at any price would prove a losing game to the purchaser, and the venders should be compelled to comply with all the provisions of the pure food laws, before entering upon their alleged betterment campaigns, and it should be the duty of boards of health to see that those provisions are lived up to. On the face of the returns, it would seem as if the men who had a corner on old good for nothing eggs which gave promise of being left on their hands, at a great loss, were able to clean out their head wood stock, at a handsome profit all because of some misplaced enthusiasm.

TRAFFIC CRIPPLED.

The storm of Tuesday while not to be compared in length or durability with many of previous years, demonstrated clearly that when it comes to upsetting established traffic arrangements snow is an element, which cuts considerable figure. In case of washout by rain attacking one point of a system, traffic can be diverted over other branches and thus relief the conjestion. But the snow attacks the railroad system at all points with the same heavy and restraining hand.

All trains in and out of the South station were late Tuesday night. Between five and six o'clock, the scene in the great apartment was beyond description. There was hardly room for one to move, while the jam at the gates for waiting trains was something fierce. After some time, some sort of order was evolved from the chaos which existed. Trains were sent out as rapidly as possible and the relief offered was soon felt. Late night trains were crowded to the doors and many people stood on the platforms during the short runs. Wednesday there was considerable improvement, but still there was some delays experienced.

On many sides there was expressions of thanksgiving that the storm was no worse than it proved and did not continue into the night.

—After two score years of teaching newcomers to pronounce Spokane with a short "a," residents of this city have received a decided shock in the announcement by Edward S. Curtis, noted Indian authority, that the "a" should be long. Battle lines are drawn closely and the argument waxes warmer as the days pass. Back east nearly all people call it "Spo-kane," with the "a" long, as in "cane." When they come west with the pronunciation they are frowned down as tenderfeet, and are educated to say "Spokane." Now comes the edict of the Indian expert, and orthographers and etymologists have had their two score years of peace shattered. Meanwhile, old timers are clinging tenaciously to the short "a", lest they be designated as tenderfeet by extremists. A board of arbitration has been suggested to settle the dispute.

BRITISH AMAZONS

Women Who Could Pull an Oar With the Best of Men.

WON FAME ALL OVER EUROPE.

Ann Glanville and Her Champions Not Only Beat Their Own Countrymen, but Went to Havre and Outrowed Half a Dozen Crack French Crews.

In the boat races that have from time immemorial been rowed on the Hamoaze, the estuary of the Tamar and the Tavy that forms part of the harbor of Plymouth, the women of Saltash have often distinguished themselves. In "Around and About Saltash" P. E. B. Porter writes of Ann Glanville, whose amazonian feats of oarsmanship made her famous all over Europe:

"Some sixty or seventy years ago the crew of Saltash women was often seen not only on the Hamoaze, but wherever aquatic sports were held. It was not often that Ann and the crew that she stroked were beaten in a match—never by other women.

"They competed for prizes at Hull, Liverpool, Portsmouth and Dartmouth, and it must not be supposed that a crew of men ever yielded the palm out of masculine courtesy, for, as a matter of fact, the men did not at all relish being beaten by a 'parcel of females.'

"In some of these contests Mrs. Harriet Screech, a daughter of Ann Glanville, who had fourteen children, rowed with her mother. As she was the youngest member of the crew she pulled bow oar, the least arduous post in the boat.

"Once this crew, rowing a match at Fleetwood in the presence of Queen Victoria, gave the men so sound a beating that her majesty asked to have Ann presented to her.

"However, the most famous event of Ann's life took place in 1850, when Captain Russell of H. M. S. Brunswick suggested to her that she and her crew should go to Havre to the regatta there and challenge the Frenchmen, a proposal to which she readily assented.

"When the Frenchmen heard of the challenge from les Anglaises de Saltashe they shrugged their shoulders, for they scarcely regarded it as serious. And when the women appeared in their white frilled caps prinked out with blue ribbons, in their short petticoats and white dresses, with blue neckerchiefs tied over the shoulders and crossed behind the back, they looked puzzled.

"The challenge of the Englishwomen created a stir not only in Havre, but for miles along the French coast and for many leagues inland too. And in England the greatest interest was aroused.

"When the day of the regatta came there was a vast concourse of people to witness the contest. Every quay, hilltop and housetop from which a view of the course could be had was crowded. Every one was on tiptoe of expectation. Before the start the Saltash crew had a pull round 'to show themselves.' Their steady stroke, the way in which they bent their backs to their work and the perfect ease and grace with which they pulled made the French open their eyes.

"Ann and her crew had not the best start possible, nor at first did they have the advantage. Five minutes after the start six boats were ahead of them. But they soon tested their opponents' nerve. Ann, who had the stroke oar, gave the word:

"'Bend your backs to it, maidens, and hurrah for old England!'

"One by one, with a cheer from old Ann, they passed the six boats. At last they drove their boat, with the British color flying gayly at the fore, into the lead. It was a long course and a hard pull, but they soundly thrashed the Frenchmen. Ann and her 'maidens' beat them by 100 yards. The members of this famous crew were Ann Glanville, Harriet Hosking, Jane House and Amelia Lee. A man acted as coxswain.

"Mrs. House was so elated at the victory that on reaching the committee boat she plunged into the water, dived under the vessel and came up with a dripping and drooping cap on the opposite side.

"Ann Glanville died in 1880, at the age of eighty-five, dignified, vigorous and handsome to the last. Her character was summed up by a neighbor in these words:

"'Her was honest to a farthing, clean as a smelt and kind hearted as a queen.'"

Rose to the Occasion.

"Do you know, Miss Doofles," asks the earnest young man, "that if one were on Sirius the orbit of the earth would look just about the size of a finger ring?"

"I beg your pardon, Harold," she flutters. "I was musing for the moment and did not catch everything you said, but I heard you say something about 'serious' and a ring."—Chicago Post.

The Steering Committee.

Registry Clerk—It is necessary for me to ask the mother of the bride if she has nothing to say before I proceed with the ceremony. Voice of Mother (in background)—All I have to say is that if I hadn't had a good deal to say already they never would have landed here.

If it were possible to heal sorrow by weeping gold were less prized than grief.—Sophocles.

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WEYMOUTH MAN MARRIED HERE

Teacher of the High School Bride of James L. Trainer

A very pretty home wedding took place in the presence of the immediate families on Christmas night when Miss Norma Cutler Lowe and James Lewis Trainer were married at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace H. Lowe of 246 Washington street, Quincy.

The bride is a teacher in the Commercial Department of the Quincy High school and graduated from there in 1899. The groom is a manufacturer of Weymouth and well known in this city.

Two old families of the Bay State were united by the ceremony as the bride is a descendant of Admiral John Lowe of Governor Endicott's Colonial fleet and the groom is a descendant of Peregrine White, the first of the Pilgrims to land on Plymouth Rock.

Rev. Refus Dix of the Universalist Church of Weymouth performed the ceremony. The bride was given away by her father and her sister Miss Dorothy Parker Lowe was her attendant. Russell E. Nash of Weymouth was the best man.

As the bridal party entered the room the Mendelssohn wedding march was played by the groom's niece, Miss Sarah Trainer. After the ceremony the couple were assisted in receiving by the groom's mother, Mrs. Adelaide Philips Trainer of Weymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Horace H. Lowe.

The bride was dressed in a blue broadcloth travelling suit. Mr. and Mrs. Trainer left for a honeymoon trip after a Christmas supper was served. They will be at home at 19 Sterling street, Weymouth, after Mar. 1, 1913.

NEW YORKER WED QUINCY WOMAN

Miss Fanny Ellsworth of Quincy and Howard Constable of New York city were married in the presence of the immediate families at the home of the bride, 18 Russell Park, Christmas day. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edward E. Anderson. Miss Ellsworth was attended by her sister, Mrs. Max Blau and her brother Dr. S. W. Ellsworth. The bride is a prominent Quincy resident and is the daughter of the late Rev. Alfred A. Ellsworth. The groom is an architect.

ITALIAN COUPLE MARRIED.

At the St. John's parochial residence Christmas night, Miss Clementina Argea Barsanti and Mr. Iacopo Iaconini were married by Rev. John J. Coan Miss Jennie Barsanti, a sister of the bride was her attendant and Otterino Bracchi was the best man. Following the ceremony there was a reception at their home on 22 Plymouth street. The groom is a shoeworker, employed at a South Braintree factory and well known in South Quincy.

Knew the Symptoms.

"Doctor, my husband is losing his mind, I fear. He continually mumbles and mutters to himself."

"Is it possible?"

"Yes; he mutters to himself, and when you speak to him he stares at you blankly."

"I know what the trouble is," said the doctor, smiling. "He is memorizing some lodge work. I belong to the same lodge."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

ADAMS CLAIMS EXTRAVAGANCE

Bills Should Not Be Forced at This Time of High Taxes

Editor Quincy Ledger:

There being more or less apprehension as to my attitude towards the gentlemen who put the two public dock bills through the Legislature, I wish it distinctly understood that I hold in the highest esteem and personal regard our genial Commissioner of Docks and all of those citizens who aided in the passage of the two bills.

My whole criticism is aimed at the seeming gross extravagance of the measures at this critical stage of the city's finances. To push these now through our council with a tax rate of $22. and a still higher one next year is the height of extravagance.

And then again I criticize severely because co-operation with the Port of Boston bill was not sought.

I have no personal feeling in the the matter whatever. It is wholly one of public policy and economics.

Marshall Adams.

Dec. 23, 1912.

TO LIVE AT QUINCY POINT.

Miss Jennie Flemming of Bethlehem Pa., and William Moore were married Christmas eve by Rev. J. A. Matheson. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gillis of 93 North street.

Miss Jennie Kerr, a niece of the bride was her attendant. William Sherriff was the best man.

The bride was dressed in white silk, with pearls, and carried brides roses. The bridesmaid was dressed in a white embroidered gown and carried carnations.

A wedding supper was served and a large number of guests were present. Many pretty presents were given the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore will live at 8 Broadway.

TWO WAYS TO LIVE.

Charles Swain.

There are two ways to live on earth;
Two ways to judge—to act—to view;
For all things here have double birth,
A right and wrong—a false and true!

Give me the home where kindness seeks
To make that sweet which seemeth small—
Where every lip in fondness speaks,
And every mind hath care for all.

Whose inmates live in glad exchange
Of pleasure, free from vain expense—
Whose thoughts beyond their means ne'er range
Nor wise denials give offense.

Who in a neighbor's fortune find
No wish, no impulse, to complain;
Who feel not—never felt—the mind
To envy yet another's gain.

Who dream not of the mocking tide
Ambition's foiled endeavor meets—
The bitter pangs of wounded pride;
No fallen power, that shuns the streets.

Though fate deny its glittering store,
Love's wealth is still the wealth to choose;
For all that gold can purchase more
Are gauds, it is no loss to lose!

Some beings, wheresoe'er they go,
Find naught to please—or to exalt;
Their constant study but to show
Perpetual modes of finding fault.

While others, in the ceaseless round
Of daily wants and daily care,
Can yet cull flowers from common ground,
And twice enjoy the joy they share.

Oh, happy they who happy make!
Who, blessing—still themselves are blest;
Who something spare for other's sake,
And strive in all things for the best!

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QUINCY MERCHANTS ARE INVITED

To view exhibits in the show window of the Quincy Daily Ledger—one by the Merchant's Association of Salem, and one by the Merchant's Association of Lynn. Just note how the Business Men in these cities are pulling together.

IT IS THE SEASON FOR BROTHERLY LOVE

NAVAL GUN TELESCOPES.

Device That Made Possible Accurate Long Range Firing.

It was about the year 1885 that the telescope was first tested in conjunction with the firing of a modern gun. The tremendous concussion broke the lens, however, so that in order to use it at all the telescope had to be detached from the gun before firing, thereby entailing a loss of several seconds in time after aim had been taken.

Later, to obviate this defect, the telescope was adjusted to the axis of the gun by a system of parallel arms moving up and down in unison with the gun, though detached from it. This of course was a great improvement, but there were still grave practical defects.

Well, along in the early nineties Henry C. Mustin, a young midshipman at Annapolis, lean faced and square of jaw, built like a medium sized Hercules, quiet mannered, but a bulldog in the football field, interested himself in the study of optics. Naturally enough, his thoughts were directed to the defective lenses of the gun telescopes. The lenses broke when the guns were fired; therefore it was necessary to invent a nonbreakable lens.

One day years later, while stationed in Washington, Mustin called a few of his brother officers to the window near his desk on the second floor of a building in the navy yards. He showed them a lens with a metal band "shrunk" around its circumference. Then he opened the window and deliberately threw the lens with all his might upon the brick pavement below. The others knew of his pet hobby and thought he had given it up in disgust and had taken this way of telling them so. But he put on his hat, lit a cigarette and bade them follow him. He led them down the stairs amid considerable joking and out to the spot where the lens lay on the pavement. The glass was unbroken. The one great defect of the telescope sight had been overcome, and Mustin had made possible the long range gunnery of the modern navy. The thud of the little glass disk with its metal collar upon the brick pavement was the signal for the nations to begin to build their Dreadnoughts.—American Magazine.

LONG HAIRED MEN.

They Caused a Vigorous Protest In Massachusetts In 1649.

The following protest signed by Joseph Endicott, governor; Thomas Dudley, deputy governor; Richard Belingham, Richard Saltonstall, Increase Nowell, William Hibbins, Thomas Flint, Robert Bridges and Simon Bradstreet was published in Massachusetts in 1649:

"Protest against wearing long hair, of the governor, etc., of Massachusetts:

"Forasmuch as the wearing of long hair, after the manner of Russians and barbarous Indians, has begun to invade New England, contrary to the rule of God's word, which says it is a shame for man to wear long hair, as also the commendable custom generally of all the godly of all our nation, until within these few years:

"We, the magistrates, who have signed this paper, for the shewing of our own innocency in this behalf, do declare and manifest our dislike and detestation against the wearing of such long hair, as against a thing uncivil and unmanly, whereby men doe deforme themselves and offend sober and modest men and doe corrupt good manners. We doe therefore earnestly intreat all the elders of this jurisdiction, as often as they shall see cause, to manifest their zeal against it in their public administrations, and to take care that the members of their respective churches be not defiled therewith; that so, such as prove obstinate, and will not reforme themselves, may have God and man to witness against them. The third month 10th day, 1649."

The Stranger.

A stranger knocked at a man's door and told him of a fortune to be made.

"Um!" said the man. "It appears that considerable effort will be involved."

"Oh, yes," said the stranger; "you will pass many sleepless nights and toilsome days!"

"Um!" said the man. "And who are you?"

"I am called Opportunity."

"Um!" said the man. "You call yourself Opportunity, but you look like hard work to me."

And he slammed the door.—Pittsburgh Post.

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COURT OFFICERS HAD HARD TRIPS

Many Hard Hours on the Road After Committing Prisoners

Assistant Court Officer Hultman had a hard time Tuesday getting home from Westborough where he had been to commit a young man. He left Quincy in good season but owing to the storm and the consequent delay of trains it was 2 o'clock the next morning before he arrived home. Court Officer Marden who had to commit a prisoner at Dedham jail also had a hard time getting home. He tried to get an automobile to take him to Dedham but was unable to obtain one so he had to take the train. He started from Quincy in good season but it was hours before he got back home.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

The Hospital Aid association is holding its December meeting which is also its annual, this afternoon at the home of Fred B. Rice, Adams street.

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Mrs. George G. Saville of Saville avenue is hostess this wek for the meeting of the Friday club.

The Katharyn Crane Memorial club is to meet on New Year's day with Alice Miller.

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A "baby party" is the attraction arranged for the entertainment of the Quincy Young Women's club at the clubhouse Saturday evening. Some cute costumes and childish toys planned for the party foretell of the good time that may be anticipated.

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Wollaston Alliance is to have a meeting on New Year's day which promises to be one of the best of the season. There will be a luncheon and New Year's reception in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry at one o'clock, followed by an address on Church Music by Mrs. Henry C. Parker.

POMEROY'S CHRISTMAS

Noted Life Prisoner Is Visited by Governor and Mrs. Foss

Boston, Dec. 26.—Jesse Pomeroy, the celebrated "lifer" at the state prison in Charlestown, received a Christmas visit yesterday from Governor and Mrs. Foss and pleaded with the governor for a pardon.

In the course of a conversation later with Mrs. Foss, the prisoner begged her to help his cause along for a pardon. Outside of his mother, Mrs. Foss is the only woman Pomeroy has seen in twenty years.

It was Pomeroy's thirty-sixth Christmas behind the walls of the prison.

Swiss Diplomatic Transfers

Berne, Dec. 26.—Ernest Baumann, secretary of the Swiss legation at Paris, has been transferred to Washington. Henri Martin, who holds the post at Washington, has been transferred to Montreal as consul general.

Will Suppress Opium Evil

Pekin, Dec. 26.—In view of the unsatisfactory position of the opium question, the Chinese government has issued a manifesto reiterating its desire to supress the evil and save the people from a life of degredation.

—We are told by the Boston Globe that jabots are going to be lower. So much for President elect Wilson. Everybody knows what a jabot is.

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ABOUT THE HOUSE

Little Romances That Are Linked With Its Furnishings.

EVOLUTION OF THE CHAIR.

The Leisurely Progress From the Three Legged Stool to the Luxurious Rocker—Origin of the Table Drawer—The First Picture Frames.

If you only knew it, queer little romances are peeping out at you all over your house, from attic to cellar. They are well worth looking for.

Framed pictures had to have a beginning. They date back to about 500 years ago, when peaceful monks painted the walls of their living rooms with Scriptural subjects. Then one day some one conceived the bright idea of nailing wood around these frescoes so as to separate the subjects. A little later came gilding—and the evolution of the modern picture frame was simply a matter of time.

The drawing room is a perfect mine of history. As most people know, this is, strictly, the "withdrawing room," to which one withdraws after dinner, as the name implies.

The antimacassars over the backs of the chairs similarly carry their object in life in their name. These more or less artistic things had their beginnings some 150 years ago, when every one used macassar oil for the hair. The mistress of the household then would no more permit greasy polls to spoil her fine chairs than would the modern mistress. And, lo, the antimacassar!

Of chairs themselves, perhaps the most interesting feature is the familiar crossbar—technically known as the stretcher—which joins the front legs. Nowadays its purpose is usually for ornamentation, sometimes strength, though often it is absent altogether.

It harks back to the days of the first chairs, when knights and dames wanted to keep their feet off the cold, drafty, rush littered floors; hence the stretcher. Originally the stretcher was only a few inches above the ground, but when, later on, rugs and carpets came into more general use and rooms became more comfortable, the stretcher gradually lost its importance.

It is curious to note that the cozy armchair was the last stage of all. Cushions and padding were the first additions to the plain seat. Then came painted chairs and afterward carved legs, and finally—a leisurely last—came backs and arms and with them the luxurious rocker.

In point of fact the chair is easily the most important piece of furniture you have, historically speaking. To this day, "taking the chair" denotes taking the head of affairs, reminiscent of the time when there was only one chair in a room, three legged stools at the most being provided for less important folk.

Window curtains, again, have their little romance. Originally all windows were in the roof, but in time came open windows in the wall. In the middle ages some one brought from China the idea of using cloth to cover the windows, and there is the origin of your curtain, with its frills and loops.

The glass chandelier, if you have one—they are out of fashion now—can be put down to the workmen refugees from France driven from their homes by Louis XIV. by the revocation of the edict of Nantes in 1685.

Even the drawer in the kitchen table—any table drawer, for the matter of that—had to be thought of, but nobody did manage to think of fixing a drawer to a table until some inveterate card player—his name is forgotten—wanted a handy place for the cards when they were not in use. The very thing! And table drawers were invented.

"Kitchen," by the way, is derived from an Anglo-Saxon word meaning "to cook," while "scullery"—which positively has nothing to do with "scullion"—comes from a word meaning "a bowl."

Some of your furniture may well have an English political bias! It certainly is so if it bears that familiar design based upon the Prince of Wales' feathers. Hepplewhite, the famous furniture designer, began it. In his time there was a strong Tory party supporting George III., while the Whig party was headed by the Prince of Wales. Hepplewhite was an ardent Whig and accordingly introduced Prince of Wales' feathers into his furniture designs on every possible occasion. Incidentally the sofa is an importation from the ease loving Arabs, whose "suffah" was a long bench outside the house.

And, finally, "hall" simply means a place which is covered in, and the word comes from exactly the same root as—the infernal regions! — Philadelphia Ledger.

Amenities of the Table.

"I waited ten minutes for a car today," the landlady was saying, "and then it passed me without stopping."

It was afterward recalled that the habitually silent man had been having unusual difficulty with his chops.

"Perhaps," he remarked, "the conductor didn't care to have you board his car."—Exchange.

Let's Do Some Work.

"I guess their honeymoon is about over."

"Why?"

"She's quit telephoning to him during office hours."—Detroit Free Press.

Laws can discover sin, but not remove it.—Milton.

RECORD HOUSES AT KINCAIDE'S

Popularity of the New Play House Established

A record audience attended the afternoon and evening performances at the Kincaide theatre Christmas and this evening a new bill is looked for the balance of the week. On the vaudeville half will be seen the Great Nichols, a slack wire artist of great repute and DeStephano Bros., whose musical act is welcomed in all theatres on the circuit. Warren and Faust do their latest singing, talking and dancing act which has not been presented to the Boston houses as yet. Nelson and Milledge will handle a comedy sketch, entitled "Glass put in" and laughter follows each line.

Five pictures, "A Sailors Heart," "The Branded Arm," "The Old Reporter," "The Slate Industry" and "Suitors and Suit Cases" are the photoplays.

NO PORTION OF FUND

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prevent it. And if the condition is that a dock be constructed, then it is the duty of the present legislators from this district to urge an amendment to that act which will eliminate the qualifying clause.

Correspondence between Mr. Crane and the Port Directors follows

December 19, 1912.

To the Directors of the Port of Boston.
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Acting under your advice, I informed the Mayor and City Government that according to the provisions of the Act relating to the appropriation of nine million dollars for the Port of Boston, Quincy, as the situation now stands, could not and had no right to receive any portion of that money; that all monies for the dredging or improvement of Town River must come from the State or City, according to the provisions contained in Chapter 103, Resolves of 1905, which appropriatel $57,500.00 for Weymouth Fore River, with the proviso that Quincy Town River from its confluence with the Fore River should be maintained by the State of Massachusetts or other agency, and work on the Fore River should not be started until the Secretary of War had proper assurance that Town River should be so maintained.

I assume that unless the State of Masscachusetts acquire property in City of Quincy, the Port Directors cannot spend any portion of the nine million dollars in our City, and that while we are under the control and supervision of the Port Directors, under prezent conditions we cannot call upon them for any monetary assistance.

As these statements have been questioned, I ask the Port Directors to inform me officially if my statements are correct, and oblige me by giving the reasons whereof, that I may satisfy the doubting persons.

An early reply would greatly oblige,

Yours very truly,
Frank Fessenden Crane,
Commissioner.

Frank Fessenden Crane, Esq.,
Commissioner Waterfront, Waterways and Navigation, Quincy, Mass.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of December 19th, concerning the $9,000,000 appropriation, I am requested by the Directors to reply as follows

Chapter 748 of the Acts of 1911, section 17, authorizes the issuing of state bonds up to $9,000,000 to be expended for the purposes defined in that Act, which are in substance to provide improved terminal facilities either on land now owned by the State or lands that may hereafter be acquired by the statet in the manner sepecified by the Act. (Chapter 748 of the Acts of 1911, sections 5, 10 and 12.) It is the clear intent of the statute that these funds shall be expended to promote the commercial interests of the state as a whole as distinguished from purely local improvement.

You are quite right in your statement, therefore, that unless the State of Massachusetts acquires property in the City of Quincy, the Port Directors cannot expend any of the proceeds of this bond issue on improvements in Quincy.

As to your other inquiry, this same Act of the legislature transfers to the Port Directors the same jurisdiction over the waterfront of Quincy (and of the other cities and towns inside of a line drawn from Point Allerton to Point Shirley) that was formerly exercised by the Harbor and Land Commission. The Harbor and Land Commission have for several years had an annual appropriation which can be expended at their discretion on dredging and similar improvements in the harbors under their jurisdiction.

No such appropriation was provided for the Port Directors. The lack of it was brought to the attention of the last legislature in our annual report, with a recommendation that such an appropriation be made. The legislature did not adopt this recommendation, but instead, made certain specific appropriations for such improvements including an appropriation for the dredging of a channel at Wollaston and for dredging Town River. The latter appropriation, as you know, was made conditional on the City of Quincy building a municipal dock.

Very respectfully,
Jas. T. MacDonald,
Acting Clerk.

FREMSTAD-MARTIN CONCERT.

Sunday afternoon, at the eighth popular concert in Symphony hall, Boston, Mme. Olive Fremstad, the principal dramatic soprano and Riccardo Martin, the greatest of American tenors, both of the Metropolitan Opera house, New York will give a joint song recital. Madame Fremstad is one of the greatest artists now before the public. Born in Stockholm, of Norwegian parents, she was brought to this country as a little child and her girlhood was spent in Minnesota. For ten years past she has sung the great Wagnerian and classical operatic roles at the Metropolitan in New York. Her exceeding beauty, her enormous talent as an actress, and her beautiful voice, have combined to give her a foremost position in the world of opera. She is as



MME. OLIVE FREMSTAD, Symphony Hall, Sunday Dec. 29, at 3.30.

great also in song recital. Particularly interesting will be a group of four Scandinavian songs which she will sing.

Riccardo Martin a native of Louisville, is the one American tenor who has reached the front rank in grand opera. The principal tenor of Covent Garden, London, he shares in New York the principal Italian and French roles with the great Caruso. He is frequently heard at the Boston Opera House and his coming is always an event of importance.

The program is well calculated to delight all classes of music lovers. Particularly notable will be the superb parting duet of Brunnhilde and Siegfried from "Gotterdammerung" with which Mme. Fremstad and Mr. Martin will close the concert.

The program is as follows:

Songs with piano:

Sospiri miei	A. Bimboni
Als die alte Mutter	Dvorak
J'ai pleure en reve	Hue

Mr. Martin

Aria, "Dich theure Halle" (Tannhauser) — Wagner

Madame Fremstad

Songs with piano:

To Daisies	Roger Quilter
Oh let night speak of me	Chadwick
Before the dawn	Chadwick

Mr. Martin

Songs with piano:

Aus meinen grossen Schmerzen	Robert Franz
Stille Eicherheit	Robert Franz
Fischermadchen	Schubert
Wenn die Linde Bluht	Max Roger
Befreit	Richard Strauss

Madame Fremstad

Aria, "Vesti la Ciubba" (Pagliacci) — Leoncavallo

Mr. Martin

Four Scandinavian Songs:

Saterjenten's Sondag	Ole Bull
a janta a ja	Swedish folk-song
Med en Primula Veris	Grieg
Et Syn	Grieg

Madame Fremstad

Duet, "Zu neuen Tahten" (Cotterdammerung)) — Wagner

Madame Fremstad and Mr. Martin

—A Chicago policeman put on women's clothes and with a gold mesh bag dangling to his waist set out to find some one to snatch it. No one volunteered. Perhaps the cop forgot to shave.—Taunton Herald.

James Tiernan's Most Important Case

By FRED L. YOUNG

A woman plainly dressed, but comely, entered the office of a noted criminal lawyer. James Tiernan at twelve had been working in a machine shop, at eighteen had been messenger in a law office and at twenty-two had been admitted to the bar, having done most of his studying at night. Having a sympathy with those unfortunates who are often forced into crime through lack of education, environment or heredity, he began his legal career by defending them in court. Within ten years he was known far and wide as the poor man's attorney.

"Jim," said the woman, "Tom has been arrested for burglary."

There is a story in these few words that it would require many pages to tell. Tiernan was moving in a far lower scale than now. Annie Grady had been a factory girl. He had courted her and was about to win her when Tom Morrison, a ne'er-do-well, smart, but disinclined to work, came along and carried her away from her more steady lover with the greatest ease. She had married Tom, whom she had supported ever since. He had occasionally obtained money, but never gave any of it to his wife and did not explain where he got it.

"That's bad," replied Tiernan sympathetically.

"I want you to defend him."

There was no immediate reply to this. When it came it was spoken kindly.

"I'm afraid, Annie, that I wouldn't be able to do as well in this case as some other lawyer. I will select some one for you if you like, and, as to pay for his services, I'll take care of that."

"They tell me, Jim, that no jury will go back on you if you have any case at all."

Tiernan thought for a few moments and then said:

"Annie, I'll do anything for you, the same as I would have done years ago. I'll do what I can for your husband."

"I knew you would."

"How did you know it?"

"We women can't explain how we know things, but we know them well enough—sometimes much better than men."

"I'm glad you have confidence in me. You are certainly paying me a very high compliment in asking me to defend the man who"—

"Yes, I know. But you'll not play him false as some men would. You'll move heaven and earth to get him off."

She left, feeling much relieved. Though she knew her husband was guilty of the crime for which he was to be tried, she knew that he would have every advantage, and that is a great comfort to us when we know those we love are passing a crisis.

The way in which the lawyer handled his client's case was by having the criminal's wife in court and making a pathetic appeal to the jury. When a man truly loves a woman he is inspired to be eloquent in her behalf. Tiernan made the effort of his life and increased his already brilliant reputation. Morrison was acquitted, and it was generally conceded that without the remarkable appeal made by her counsel he would have been convicted.

The day after the trial Mrs. Morrison came into Tiernan's office.

"I've come to thank you for your work, Jim. Everybody knows you saved him from a state prison. I haven't anything with which to pay you. Neither has Tom."

"What are you going to do now?" asked the lawyer.

"Go on enduring as before."

The first touch of melancholy she had thus far permitted herself to show came out when she said this.

"Annie," said Tiernan, "there is one thing the law will do for you. Give up the man who has brought disgrace upon you, apply for a divorce, and I am sure you will get it. Then what I once said to you stands now the same as then."

"Do you think I'd return evil for good, Jim?"

"What do you mean?"

"You're on the road to some big position. If I should marry you I'd be a drag on you. I'd be pointed out as the former wife of a criminal. I've heard they're going to take you up for governor. What would you do with me for a governor's wife?"

"With you for my wife, Annie, I would not care to be governor. You are more to me than the presidency of the United States."

He argued with her that she was a woman among a thousand; that it was just such sterling qualities as hers that would help a man to rise in the world. He drew pictures of the home they would have together and the pleasure they would take in it. He was a persuasive talker and pleaded with a woman who had come to love him. It was all of no avail. His eloquence was wasted.

She shook her head and left him with the words: "No; I married one who needs me. You don't need me, and I would be a thorn in your side. Go marry some lady who if she doesn't help you to rise—you don't need her for that—will at least be able to do the honors for you in the high positions in store for you."

Jim Tiernan is up for one of the most important offices in the gift of the people. The only drawback is that his heart is not in the struggle. It is with the woman who is trying to keep her husband out of jail.



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The Womanly Touch.

Adam was showing Eve through the cave.

"This is the living room," he said. "It is furnished as luxuriously as possible in these prehistoric days. I have spared no expense on it, and yet it lacks something or other, some final touch that I cannot name."

Eve took a swift look around. Then she pulled the magazine table out a little from the wall, gave the morris chair a twist, laid a book on the window sill and kicked the tiger skin rug back a foot from the door.

"Wonderful!" cried Adam and gazed open mouthed at the magical transformation.

The cave was more than a cave now. It was a home.

There's no place like home.—Newark News.

Sinister.

A nonconformist clergyman in Manchester is chuckling over a letter he recently received from the vicar of a certain parish church. He had written to the vicar asking for permission to conduct a funeral in the churchyard.

"He immediately sent me a most courteous note," the nonconformist clergyman said, "but I could not help noticing that it would be possible to give to his words a sinister meaning. The note ran: 'You will, both tomorrow and at any other time, be most welcome in our churchyard.'"—London Answers.

Getting Even.

"Oh, George, dear," she whispered when he slipped the engagement ring on her tapering finger, "how sweet of you to remember just the sort of stone I preferred! None of the others was ever so thoughtful."

George was staggered, but for a moment. Then he came back with: "Not at all, dear. You overrate me. This is the one I've always used."—London Stray Stories.

Eccentric.

"Snaggs is a most eccentric chap."

"Yes?"

"Sure! He has named his place Pine Terrace."

"Well, what of it?"

"Well, he has pine trees and a terrace."—Judge's Library.

To Cheer Him.

The wife of his bosom was going to leave him for a fortnight, and Fitz-Tomkins was trying his very best to look sad.

"My dear," he said, choking back a chuckle with his handkerchief and wiping his eyes, "I hardly like to think how I shall miss you. The evenings will be so long and lonely without you. I shall have no one to talk to."

"George," said Mrs. Fitz, surveying him with a marble eye, "I have provided for your comfort in this as in every other way. When you return home you will find dear mother there. She will remain till I come back and keep you company in the evenings, George."

And as the train slowly glided out of the station the guard wondered why Fitz-Tomkins nearly bit him when he insinuated a tip.—London Telegraph.

Well Schooled.

Captain — Supposing the barracks were to catch fire, what call would you sound? Trumpeter (newly joined) —Sure, sorr, I'd sound the "cease fire."—London Punch.

Who rises every time he falls will sometimes rise to stay.—Morris.

(ADVERTISE.)

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Generally fair with moderate temperaturn and light to fresh winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.16
Length of day	9.05
Moon sets	2.51
High water, A. M.	1.00
High water, P. M.	1.45

Days increase 0 hours 1 minute.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	40 degrees
Dec. 26, 1911,	43 degrees
Dec. 26, 1910,	26 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

Bertha Fuller, Q. H. S. '14, is spending a week's vaction with relatives in Providence.

Everett A. Barber of Webster street returned Saturday from a three weeks' business trip.

Friends of L. J. Hayford of East Squantum street are sorry to know that he is a victim of the grip.

H. G. Beeman of Botolph street has been confined to his home several days with an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah C. Fuller of Botolph street spent Christmas with Mrs. Fuller's parents, in Providence.

Mrs. John F. Davidson and family of Newbury avenue are spending Christmas week with relatives in R I.

The turkey dinner given by Sons of Veterans Auxiliary was won by J. J. Sullivan of Chicatawbut street Neponset.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connors and children, Madeline and Charles, spent Christmas with relatives near Franklin.

Mrs. Harriet Bennett who has been visiting relatives in Atlantic since Thanksgiving returned to her home in Worcester Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dewesbury and daughter Hope of Providence are spending the Christmas vacation with her sister Mrs. John Fuller of Botolph street.

Mrs. L. J. Hayford of East Squantum street and her niece, Mrs. A. L. Gray, returned Saturday evening from a two weeks' visit to relatives in Portland, Maine.

Dr. and Mrs. John L. Merriil of Fayette street entertained a house party of relatives at their home Tuesday evening and enjoyed the pleasures of their Christmas tree in their own home.

AVOIDED THE STORM.

Santa Claus and a prettily decorated tree gladdened the hearts of the children at the Christmas celebration, Monday evening in the Wollaston Methodist vestry.

O. A. Holbrook was Santa Claus and was led in by Elizabeth Morgan.



CHRISTMAS OBSERVANCES.

(Continued from Page 1.)

OLD SALTS IN SNUG HARBOR

Safely Sheltered From the Howling Blast

At Sailors Snug Harbor, Germantown the old sailors observed the holiday in the usual manner. At noon there was a turkey dinner and with all the fixings after which the old salts gathered in the recreation rooms and played checkers and other games. Each of the old salts also received some remembrance from the trustees so that the day was a merry one all round.

CHILDREN MADE VERY HAPPY

When Santa Made His Appearance After Entertainment

The entertainment of the Wollaston Congregational Sunday school was held Christmas afternoon and opened with carol singing.

Sung Chuan Li, a Harvard graduate appeared in native costume and performed many American and Chinese tricks of legerdemain and sleight of hand. His oriental grace combined with his skillful manipulation made the performance an interesting one.

Santa Claus, in the person of F. J. Hamel appeared at the close of the entertainment and made all of the children happy with candy and other good things.

CHOIR SANG SONGS OF CHEER

To the Great Pleasure of Those Confined to the Hospital

At the little home on the hill, the Hospital, the unfortunates who by illness were unable to pass the day at their own fireside were made as far as possible to forget their sufferings. In the morning the choir of Christ church visited the hospital and for an hour or more sang Christmas carols. At noon those whose condition would permit were given a taste of some of the good things to eat. The rule in regard to visitors was not strictly enforced and the patients were allowed to receive all the friends they desired, unless their condition was such that it would work harm. The friends of the patients brought many gifts to lighten the hearts of those whose illness kept them from actively participating in the Christmas joys.

SAILORS SPIN SEA YARNS

After the Joys of Good Dinner at the National Home

At the National Sailors Home all work but that absolutely necessary was ommitted. At noon a Christmas dinner with all the fixings was served after which the old veterans gathered in the smoking room and exchanged gifts and while they smoked the pipe of peace they fought over again some of the stirring scenes when this country was struggling to free itself from the bond of slavery.

SANTA CAUGHT BY STORM.

C Everett Wallace, entertained at the Wollaston Baptist church, Tuesday evening.

J. Arthur Sparrow as Santa Claus distributed gifts.

WORTHY ONES GIVEN DINNERS

Impostors Turned From Salvation Army Barracks

Thirty of the more unfortunate residents of Quincy were given baskets at the Salvation Army Barracks, 150 Granite street on Dec. 24, and several applications were refused after an investigation showed them to be impostors. The distribution commenced at four o'clock and while the blinding snow storm raged outside many who had come early rested in the comfortable chairs of the rooms.

Collections were made during the month and the tripods with the suspended kettle and red lettered sign and a uniformed attendant has been a familiar figure on Quincy streets.

Chicken, averaging nine pounds with all the "fixings" were in the baskets and if the recipient was unable to bring it home it was carried for her.

The local company is planning a more elaborate celebration for Christmas in 1913.

INMATES OF THE CITY HOME

Given Extra Dinner and Many Christmas Gifts

Christmas was observed at the various public institutions in Quincy in the usual manner. At the Quincy Home, Overseer of the Poor, Eicock saw to it that the unfortunates had a good turkey dinner with all of the fixings and in addition to this they were provided with Christmas gifts. Some of the men received new suits of clothing, while mittens, shoes and other useful articles were given to the unfortunates so that they were made as far as possible to forget that they once had a home of their own.

AT THE WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

A series of pantomimes entitled "Chrismtas in all lands" furnished the entertainment at the Christmas celebration of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday school, Monday evening.

Preceding each the Christmas customs of the country to be shown were related by Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney. Carol singing opened the evening.

The bringing in of the Yule log depicted the English Christmas. "List the bells" was sung by the group in the tableau consisting of Verna Carr, Sylvia Litchfield, Ernestine Ralph, Bradford Thompson, Carl George Horst, John Tribou, Dorothy and Ronald Blakie and Miriam Carr.

For America, the hanging of the stockings was shown. "The snowflakes are falling" and "Clap, clap the hands" were sung. Those taking part were: Geraldine and Marjorie Olive, Madeline and Donald Child, Robert McCully, Jack Bird, Doris Bowker and Doris Simmons

By the lighting of the candles and the song "Silent night" the Norwegian customs were evidenced. Hope Robinson and Richard Moulton were in this number.

In the Swedish tableau the sheaf, which plays an important part in that country's Christmas, was prominent. Elfield Nelson, Frances Adams, Ned Sweetser and Judith Page formed the tableau and sang "A star shone in the East one night."

In the Holland scene the wooden shoes were placed where the returning Christmas spirit of that land would notice them. Mildred Geddes and Lawrence Shaw sang "Shine out oh Blessed star."

The Russian "Babousca" was shown and Priscilla Robinson gave a recitation. Virginia Bishop, Bessie Thurber, Harold Morgan, Jack Stiles and Malcolm Anthony took part.

In the French tableau came "Rupert," the spirit who whips bad boys and girls. Katherine Adams, Stanley Richards, Gilbert Hamilton, Robert Park and Bernadine Barker formed the cast.

For Germany was the trimming of the Christmas tree and singing of the song "There's a wonderful tree." Katherine Reed, Gretchen Horst, Robert Hirtle, Edith Snowden and Arline Holmes took part.

In the closing number Santa Claus enters and is discovered by all of the children who troop in and surround him. Assisted by them Santa distributed boxes of candy to the members of the Sunday school.

Walter Lacey was Santa Claus and those in charge were Mrs. William E. Rowe, Gertrude Lacey, Mrs. Aylmer Hatch, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, Frank A. Page and Arvin Page, Miss Evelyn Cummings.

REMEMBERED THE POOR.

The ladies of the Quincy Catholic club as has been their custom in other years saw to it that many poor families were remembered on Christmas. Aside from providing dinners. For many of the poor families they also included in the basket mittens for the children and other things that would gladden the hearts of parents as well as children.

NOISES OF PEKING.

Hideous Din Raised by the Venders That Throng the Streets.

An analysis of the street noises of Peking has been made by the correspondent of a western American newspaper and ought to be useful when the anti-noise crusade reaches the orient. The great cause of confusion he finds is the various street venders, each of whom is armed with a noise producing instrument by which he proclaims his trade.

The barber has two prongs of steel through which he draws a spike and thus makes a loud whir. The seller of sweetmeats holds in his right hand two brass cups which he jangles together. The buyer of old clothes taps a small drum with a bit of tarred bamboo, getting by this combination a plunk, plunk that attracts trade. The man who has wicker baskets to sell beats half a gourd with a drumstick, the clothes seller swings a drum which has two bits of metal attached to it by strings, the toy dealer strikes a brass gong of a peculiarly penetrating tone, the knife grinder claps three blocks of iron together, and the seller of charcoal announces his coming by a repeated tap, tap on a block of wood.

The watchman manages to introduce a little variety. He is armed with a wooden drum, which he taps in different measures to mark the different hours of the night. The sound of his drum, however, carries no certain assurance. On the night when Peking was looted you would not have known from him that anything was wrong. In the intervals of the rifle fire the sound of his drum rose undismayed, signaling in superb nonchalance the exciting hours.

The fact is that he is not on duty to catch thieves or even to scare them off, as are some of the Japanese watchmen. His function is nobler. The sound of his drum frightens away the spirits of evil, without whose presence no self respecting thief can hope to pull of a successful job.

COMFORTED THE LADIES.

A Marshal of France Who Was a Hero, a Gallant and a Dandy.

Blaise de Montluc was a soldier and a marshal of France who fought through half the sixteenth century. Like a true Gascon, as he was, he added to his great physical qualities courage, high spirits and unquenchable gayety.

In the Italian wars Blaise de Montluc commanded the defense of Sienna during a prolonged siege. When the town was reduced to a few ounces of bread daily Blaise was overcome with sickness and had himself carried about in a chair muffled up in furs.

But perceiving that the inhabitants, especially the women, were "thus rendered apprehensive of their fate should he die"—so runs an excerpt from De Montluc's "Commentaries"—"he called for a pair of crimson velvet breeches laid over with gold lace, very finely cut, for they were made at a time when he was forsooth in love. He put on a doublet of the same and a shirt of crimson silk and gold twist, then a buff collar over which he put his arms, very finely gilt."

He was at that time wearing gray and white "in honor of a fair lady to whom he was a servant when he had leisure." So he put on a hat of gray silk with a gray silver hatband and a plume of heron's feathers set with silver spangles.

He also put on a short cassock of gray velvet garnished with "little plates of silver at two fingers' distance from one another and lined with cloth of silver, all open between the plates."

Then he "rubbed his face with Greek wine till he brought a little color into his cheeks and drank a small draught with a little bit of bread.

"He then looked at himself in the glass, strutted before his officers, though he had not the strength to kill a chicken, and rode through the town to the great comfort of all beholders."

Two Poor Ones.

During one of Edwin Forrest's engagements in Boston a poor artist called several times to see the great actor at the old Winthrop House. Each time he brought a picture which he had painted. He finally left it with a note stating that he was in needy circumstances. Forrest read the note and took the wrapping from the picture. It proved to be a painting of himself as Spartacus. Forrest gazed upon it a moment and then ejaculated to the clerk: "Give him $10. If he is as poor as his picture he must be on the point of starvation."

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

IN WHITE SLAVE PLOT

Joseph Buonomo, Who Confessed He Shot Jennie Cavalieri to Death



BUONOMO MUST HANG

Slayer of Jennie Cavaglieri Collapses When Sentence Is Pronounced

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 26.—"Chicago Joe" Buonomo was found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury in the superior court. It was charged he shot and killed Jennie Cavaglieri in Stratford.

James Matto, Frank Pizzichemi and James Ricco, who were indicted and put on trial with Buonomo for the crime, were, by direction of the court, found not guilty.

Buonomo was sentenced to be hanged in the state prison on April 1 next. He collapsed when sentence was pronounced and had to be carried from the courtroom.

RECOVERING FROM INJURIES BY BOMB

Progress of Viceroy of India Reported to Be Satisfactory

Delhi, Dec. 26.—The final list of victims of the bomb aimed at the viceregal howdah during a procession here shows that two persons were killed and thirteen injured.

The latest bulletin of Lord Hardinge's condition is as follows:

"The viceroy's progress has been satisfactory. He has no fever. He feels much more comfortable. Some of the fragments found in his wounds have proved to be metal portions of the howdah."

LOEB TO RESIGN SOON

New York Port Collector to Work For the Guggenheim Interests

New York, Dec. 26.—William Loeb, Jr., it is reported, has concluded an agreement to enter the service of the Guggenheim interests in an executive capacity, in anticipation of which he has prepared his resignation as collector of the port of New York, to be forwarded to President Taft.

It is certain the resignation will be in Taft's hands soon, but it may not be accetped before the time when he is succeeded by Wilson on March 4.

Preliminary statements concerning Loeb's new field of operations have brought out that he could have been president of one of the numerous banks controlled by the Guggenheims, but chose rather the commercial field.

BANDITS IDENTIFIED

Two Who Held Up Chicago and Alton "Hummer Train" Arrested

Springfield, Ills., Dec. 26.—That they have positively identified Jack Hartnett of Chicago and Elmer Vigus of Springfield as the men who held up the Chicago and Alton "Hummer" at Iles Junction was the claim made last night by detectives who rigidly examined the suspects at the police station, where they were confronted by Engineer McLaughlin, Fireman Sullivan and Express Messenger Ayres.

The railroad men declared also that the men held were the bandits. The men were arrested yesterday.

Smoke Overcomes Six Firemen

Pittsburg, Dec. 26.—Six firemen were overcome by smoke and damage approximating $100,000 was done when an eight-story building occupied as the city warehouse of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company was destroyed. Crossed wires were given as the cause.

To Readjust Steel Wages

New York, Dec. 26.—Chairman Gary of the United States Steel corporation announced that the corporation is planning the early adjustment of wage scales, which would result in material increases, particularly with respect to the wages paid unskilled laborers.

French Battle Painter Dead

Paris Dec 26.—The French battle painter, Jean B. E. Detaille, died here at the age of 64.



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When the hull of the battleship, whose sinking was followed by the Spanish-American war, was raised from the harbor where she had lain for fourteen years, everything about which sentiment could attach was saved as a relic. Much of the material, however, was unsuitable for preservation in its existing shape and so the department ordered that from this debris 1000 memorial tablets should be cast.

The tablets will be thirteen by eighteen inches and will be suitably inscribed. They will weigh about seventy pounds. They may be obtained by municipal, military and naval organizations throughout the country, the only condition being that the recipient shall pay for their actual cost.

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Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays**, 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton**, 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays**, 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton**, 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays**, 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return**, leave **East Weymouth**, 5.56, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck**, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays**, 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays**, 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Neponset**, 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays**, 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Neponset**, 6.25 6.55, 7.25 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays**, 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11 P. M.) **Sundays**, 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return**, leave **Neponset**, 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays**, 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.26 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Weymouth Landing**, 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

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Squantum, 6.35, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 1.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays**, 11.30, P. M. **Sundays**, 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return**, leave **Squantum**, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT.

To Eugene H. McGillicuddy, Rosolia Giglio and Ida Cutler, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; Assad Kurey of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Reuben Hersey, of Hingham, in the County of Plymouth, and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court by Bengta Johnson and Hulda Johnson, of said Quincy, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land situate in said Quincy, being shown as lots 25, 26, 27, 30, 31 and 32 together with that part of the street called Winthrop Park adjoining said lots, all as shown on plan of Winthrop Park in the City of Quincy dated May 1903 H. T. Whitman, C. E. recorded with Norfolk Plans, plan book 36, plan No. 1687 and together bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Sumner Street at the westerly end of lot 27 at land of McGillicuddy, thence running in a northeasterly direction along said Sumner Street about one hundred seventy four feet to lot 28 on said plan being land of Rosolia Giglio, thence turning and running southerly along said lot 28 and lot 29 on said plan eighty two and 61-100 feet to lot 30, thence turning and running easterly along the southerly line of said lot 29 being land of said Rosolia Giglio seventy-seven and 8-10 feet to land of Assad Kurey, thence turning and running southeasterly along said land of said Assad Kurey to land of Reuben Hersey forty-four and 8-10 feet, thence turning and running in a southwesterly direction along land of said Reuben Hersey eighty-seven and 4-10 feet to lot 33 on said plan being other land of said petitioners, thence turning and running northwesterly by said lot 33, across said Winthrop Park, by lot 24 on said plan being land of Ida Cutler and by land of Eugene H. McGillicuddy about two hundred fifty-four and 2-10 (254.2) feet to the point of beginning.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of December in the year nineteen hundred and twelve.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

(Seal.)

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My Friend Pat

A Story of Colorado and the Emerald Isle

By WILLARD BLAKEMAN

When I was prospecting in the gold fields of Colorado and had made what I believed to be a strike I put some gold dust in one pocket for expenses and specimens for assay in the other, and started on foot down the mountain for Denver. On the way I fell in with a young Irishman, very ragged, with a bundle tied up in a red bandanna handkerchief and a short pipe in his mouth, at which he was pulling lustily.

"Good mornin' to you," he said cheerfly.

"Good morning, Pat," I replied.

"How did you know my name was Pat?" he asked.

"By your brogue."

"Is it very broad?"

"No; but broad enough to give you away as a resident of the Emerald Isle."

"Northern Irish, is it?"

"I suppose so. What are you doing out in this country?"

"Oh, I came to dig for a fortune."

"And having made it you're going back home to enjoy it?"

"What made you think I've made my fortune?"

"Oh, by your eminently respectable appearance."

"Well, now, that's lucky!"

"Why so?"

"Because I'm sadly in need of a loan, and since I've made a fortune it'll be safe for you to favor me."

I laughed at the Irish wit, and the way the young man had caught me in a trap. I was feeling somewhat set up, for I believed I had struck a fortune myself. Besides we gold seekers in those days were prone to help one another.

"How much do you want?"

"Enough to take me to Ireland—a matter of $100."

"I can't do that much for you, but I might spare $50 to get you to New York. Couldn't you make up the rest in some other way?"

"Half a loaf is better than none."

We went on to Denver together, and I was greatly amused by his humor and an original way he had of viewing things. I sold my mine for enough to make me independent for life and got a few hundred dollars for a first payment. By this time I had become so friendly with my traveling companion that I advanced him the whole sum needed to take him to Ireland. I believed he had made the failure nearly all gold hunters make, and since I had been one of the few fortunate ones I was ready to give him a tiny bit from my bonanza.

"Where'll I send it?" he asked.

"You needn't send it at all. As soon as I get that deal closed out I'm going to Europe, and I'll see you there."

"Well, you'll find me on the estate of the Earl of Ballygarach. At any rate, inquire there for me."

"A tenant of his?"

"No."

"What's your place there?"

He hesitated, and it seemed to me he was trying to invent a reply, so I gave him a shake of the hand and said goodby. I felt sure I was making a loan that would never be repaid, but I'd had to invent stories myself about my hole in the ground in order to obtain means to keep on digging, and I wouldn't have thanked any one to question me too closely. As I turned away from him I saw a peculiar look in his eye.

"Why do you look at me in that way, Pat?" I asked. I had always called him Pat, though his name was John Curran.

"I can't make out why you're lending me this money. Unless you give me your address, that I may return it, or your promise to see me in Ireland I refuse to take it."

"All right; you have my promise to see you in Ireland."

"Don't you go back on me by not coming," he added, and we parted.

The sale of my hole in the ground was conditional, and some months elasped before the purchasers had satisfied themselves that the property was what I claimed for it. Then, after all, I was obliged to take a good deal of the stock in the company that was formed in part payment, but this didn't trouble me, for I had great confidence in the value of the mine. Indeed, my stock eventually became many times more valuable than the cash payment. It was a year after the sale before I found myself independent to do what I liked, and I set off on a tour around the world. My course was eastward and took in England as my first landing place. I had always a desire to visit Ireland and, after seeing England to my heart's content, crossed the Irish channel. But I regretted feeling obliged to hunt up my debtor. I didn't need the money I had loaned him, and I didn't believe he would be in condition to pay it. To tell the truth, I had no idea I would find him on the estate of the Earl of Ballygarach or that I would find him at all. This opinion was not based on the belief that he was dishonest, for he had an expression that invited confidence, but on the fact that necessity knows no law, and his necessities had probably forced him to invent all he had told me.

After visiting the principal cities in southern Ireland I worked my way northward and one day brought up at a little town near the estate of the Earl of Ballygarach. I rode out to the place in an Irish two wheeled cart and, stopping at the manor house, asked the butler if he could tell me of a man on the estate of the name of John Curran, who about a year before had returned to Ireland from America. The servant gave me a blank stare, then led me into a reception room, invited me to be seated and went away.

Presently he returned and said that the earl was not at home and he was the only one who could give me the information. Milady desired that I should make myself at home—in the library if I liked—till his lordship's return. Since I was not averse to nosing among books I assented.

An hour passed in this way, when the butler entered and said that luncheon would soon be ready and asked if I would like to go to my room. Though I didn't like such trespassing, I was not averse to being entertained by an earl and his lady, so I followed the man upstairs. What was my astonishment on entering the room assigned me to see my baggage there.

"How did this come here?" I asked.

"Milady sent to the inn for it, sir."

I brushed up a bit and went downstairs again. The butler announced luncheon and led me into the dining room. I was received there by a very pretty young woman, who said to me:

"My husband will not return for an hour or two, and, since he does not like to have any one who calls during his absence turned away, I have taken it upon myself to make you at home. He is very fond of Americans and would never forgive me if I let one of them go away without some entertainment."

I protested that I had only called to learn of the whereabouts of one John Curran, whom I had met in Colorado, and the lady replied that the earl would give me any information in his possession on his return. She entertained me delightfully at luncheon, doing everything in her power to make me feel that I was welcome. Her voice was sweet and sounded still sweeter from the rich brogue of an Irish lady. She expressed great interest in America and kept me telling her of the country, the people and our customs. Just as we were about to rise from the table there was a sound of wheels without, the front door was thrown open, and a man stalked into the dining room.

Great heavens, he was Pat!

The moment he saw me he advanced and, grasping my hand, gave it a vigorous shake, saying:

"You've come at last, have you? I vowed that if you didn't come soon I'd go back to America to find you." Then, turning to the lady, he added:

"This is the gentleman I've been looking for."

"I supposed he was when he asked for John Curran, who had come from America a year ago."

"Well, I'm John Curran meself," added the host, "and I was Earl of Ballygarach when we were trudging together in Colorado, though I didn't know it. When I went out there were three lives between me and the title, but two of them had died, and I had heard that the third, my uncle, was very ill. I was trying to get home, but I didn't know what I should find here. I might find an estate waiting for me, and I might not be able to repay your loan; but, by Jove, old man, that was a queer thing for you to do—letting me have that money to get home with."

I said something about his honest countenance, but my conscience was not clear, and I didn't help the matter much. So I made light of the whole matter, mentioning the spirit that animated men who lived in new countries, their disposition to help one another, their respect for the softer sex and their harshness with anything unmanly. Lady Ballygarach was much interested in this account of a people she had never mingled with, though I fancied that it was because her husband had been one of them.

The earl then asked where I had put up, saying that he must send at once for my luggage, but his wife informed him that she had sent for it, whereupon he commended her highly and declared she was a trump.

The earl kept me a guest several weeks, during which he entertained me royally. He told me that he was a younger son in another branch of the family; that his father wished him to enter the army, but, having no fortune and being in love with the girl who was now his wife, he had preferred to go to America to seek his fortune. While away his father and his older brother had died, and his uncle, the earl, a bachelor, had fallen ill. The death of his father and brother had left him with no one to call upon for funds, and, as he had before told me, his uncle would not have helped him if he had asked for help.

I confess the change in him was so great from when I had known him in the gold diggings that it seemed strange to address him by his title. I was struggling to get it out and had advanced as far as Lord Ballygar— when he broke in upon me:

"Never mind that. Call me Pat. I became so far Americanized while in your country that these flourishes on a man's name sound ridiculous."

"Do you object to your title, Lady Ballygarach?" I asked.

"Not a bit of it," her husband replied for her. "What woman would?"

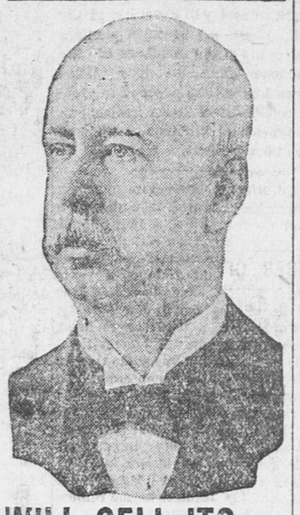
During the rest of my visit I called the earl Pat.

I became so fond of Pat that I found it difficult to tear myself away from him. He had had just the experience to make a man of him.

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ANNOUNCEMENT BY MELLEN

Follows Intimation From Washington That Wide-Reaching Suits Are to Be Brought—Chief of System, With Chamberlin of Grand Trunk, Are Out on Bail of $10,000 Each

New York, Dec. 26.—In order to comply with the law, Charles S. Mellen, president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, said that steamship lines valued at $30,000,000, now owned by the railroad, would be put on the block and sold to the highest bidder.

This announcement followed his appearance before the federal court in response to the criminal charge of conspiracy made by representatives of the United States government and to which, in comany with Edson J. Chamberlin, president of the Grand Trunk railway, he pleaded not guilty. They were released on $10,000 bail each, the bonds being furnished by two surety companies.

They were admitted to bail by Judge Hough, after attorneys representing them had insisted that men of their standing should not be subjected to such a procedure, but should be released on their own recognizance.

The cases will be called again on Jan. 6, when motions will be heard.

Mellen's announcement that the New Haven purported to make bona fide sales of all the steamship lines under its control, the actual transfers to be made in the course of the next two years, followed the receipt of the news in New York from Washing to the effect that the government is contemplating civil suits under the Sherman law, which will be of even wider scope than the criminal ones now before Judge Hough.

Attorney General Wickersham has made it plain to the federal officials handling the case that he does not wish any one to escape punishment in case he is found guilty. Wickersham held a long conference with Assistant Attorney General Adkins, following which he declared the government's case would be pushed with all possible vigor.

It was intimated in Washington that the civil suits were in the course of preparation and would be filed soon after the first of the year.

The steamship companies controled absolutely by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railway company include the Fall River line, Providence line, Norwich line, New Haven line, New Bedford line and Bridgeport line. These are operated under a holding company, known as the New England Navigation company, which was incorporated Jan. 1, 1905, the merger of the various lines soon following.

In 1907 the railroad corporation acquired the capital stock of the Boston and Philadelphia Steamship company, operating lines of steamships in connection with the New Haven railroad between Boston, Providence and Philadelphia.

In the same year the company purchased an one-half interest in the Merchants and Miners' Transportation company, the steamships of which reach the principal ports south of Boston and Providence. As far as known these are the only marine holdings of the New Haven company.

The company owns stock in the Eastern Steamship corporation, according to the report filed with President Taft by Luther Conant, Jr., commissioner of corporations, but while the officers of the company admit this they assert the company has no voice in the affairs of the steamship corporation.

BRAILE'S BIG WELL.

It Would Have Worked Wonders Only It Was Never Dug.

Perhaps the most idiotic of all the many idiotic schemes with which Britons have been enamored in days gone by was that which was known at the time as Braile's big well. M. Braile was a Belgian engineer, residing temporarily in England, who, in 1848, approached the then prime minister (Lord John Russell) with a scheme for sinking a huge shaft, a mile in diameter and twenty miles in depth, that should tap the earth's internal heat and thereby render England independent of her coal supply when this gave out.

Lord Russell, always rather attracted by visionary projects, attentively considered the scheme and caused plans and estimates to be drawn up. The first difficulty was the inrush of water, which would have been certain to occur sooner or later. This it was proposed to keep under by pumping, caissons being used for the purpose of further excavation, while the finished portion of the shaft was to be rendered watertight by a "jacket" of granite set in Portland cement.

Mad as the scheme was, it found plenty of advocates, and a provisional bill had been, it was said, actually drafted, when the overthrow of the goverument on the franchise question was announced, and the whole business was thenceforth consigned to a well merited oblivion.—Pearson's Weekly.

BREAKING IT GENTLY.

The Naval Court Was Polite With the Pushing Boston Attorney.

Courts martial are not infrequently held on battleships in the Charlestown navy yard. Sometimes a sailor will send for a Boston attorney to defend him, although this tendency is discouraged by the officers. Most attorneys know they have no absolute right to practice in a naval court and can do so only by permission of the court, but occasionally a lawyer goes aboard who does not realize this fact.

A sailor who was charged with gambling had retained an attorney to get him off. This attorney, who had never had such a case before, went briskly into the officers' wardrobe, where the court was sitting and without waiting on ceremony began to address the court in a blustering manner.

"Just a minute," interrupted the presiding officer. "Who are you?"

"I am Mr. Rudolph Smithers," the attorney replied, "and I am a member of the Massachusetts bar."

"Oh, you are Mr. Smithers, are you?" continued the officer. "Then you are the man whom the orderly wants to see." He called the orderly.

"What does the orderly want of me?" asked the attorney in a superior tone.

"Nothing very much," replied the chief justice. "He merely wants to show you off the ship."—New York Herald.

The Human Hog.

Crawford—Don't you believe that a man should be the architect of his own fortune? Crabshaw—That's all right, but he shouldn't build on the other fellow's lot.—Judge's Library.

Irate Patient.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jeffries Barton of Everett announced at the holiday season the engagement of their daughter Miss Florence Edith Jeffries to Carl Gorham Fowler of Wollaston. Mr. Fowler is on the staff of the Boston Transcript and was graduated from the Quincy High school, class of 1906.

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD.

Mrs. Annie A. Cass died eDc. 24 at Skowhegan, Maine, aged about 74 years. She was the daughter of the late Daniel French, proprietor of the Hancock House during the period Daniel Webster made it his headquarters while on his way from Marshfield to Boston. He after became proprietor of the Briggs house at Chicago, Ill. and upon his death was succeeded by his son George French.

Mrs. Cass, during her youth was considered one of the handsomest women in the state and was often acclaimed the "belle of the ball." She had four brothers, Joseph P., who conducted a livery stable near what is now the Quincy station, Charles, proprietor of a bird store, Daniel and George.

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MARRIAGES

CONSTABLE — ELLSWORTH — In Quincy, Dec. 25, by Rev. Edward E. Anderson, Mr. Howard Constable of New York city to Miss Fanny Ellsworth of Quincy.

IACONINI—BARSANTI— In Quincy, Dec. 25, by Rev. Fr. John J. Coan, Mr. Iacopo Iaconini to Miss Clemtina Barsanti, both of Quincy.

MOORE—FLEMING—In Quincy, Dec. 24, by Rev. James A. Matheson, Mr. William Moore of Quincy to Miss Jennie Fleming of Bethlehem, Pa.

TRAINER—LOWE—In Quincy, Dec. 25, by Rev. Rufus Dix of Weymouth, Mr. James Lewis Trainer of Weymouth to Miss Norma Cutter Lowe of Quincy.

DEATHS

TEASDALE—In West Quincy, Dec. 26, Mrs. Catherine, widow of Mr. Robert Teasdale, aged 77 years.
Funeral from her late residence, 13 Furnace avenue, Saturday, Dec. 28, at 8.30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Dec. 26-2t

GRIFFIN—In West Quincy, Dec. 25, Louisa, beloved wife of Patrick Griffin, aged 25 years.
Funeral from her late residence, 16 Wittich place, Friday, Dec. 27, at 8.15 o'clock.
High mass of requiem at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.
Dec. 26-1t

KINGSLEY—In Wollaston, Dec. 23, Mr. A. Hale Kingsley, aged 67 years, 10 months.
Funeral services at late residence. Friday at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

CASS—In Skowhegan, Me., Dec. 24, Annie A., (nee French,) daughter of the late Daniel French, aged about 74 years, formerly of Quincy.

YORKE—In Quincy, Dec. 26, Cinderella, widow of Virgil Yorke of 122 Billings Road, age 66 years.

ANTOINE—In Atlantic, Dec. 26, Mrs. Mary F. J. Antoine of 49 Webster street.

THAYER—In Braintree, Dec. 26, Susanna M. Thayer of 381 Washington street, in her 82nd year.

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BRIEFS

Miss Josephine Colligan leaves today for a trip to New York.

Cards have been received from Walter H. Lakin, who is at Norfolk, Va.

Col. Henry L. Kincaide presented his employees with $5 and $10 gold pieces on Christmas Eve.

Today is the day for exchanging misfit Christmas presents and the store keepers are looking for a busy day .

The committee on the Public Dock proposition will meet at City Hall tonight at which time it will prepare its report to the City Council next Tuesday evening.

SERVICES WELL ATTENDED.

A large number attended the Christmas services at St. John's Catholic church. Special music was rendered by the choir. Regular masses were celebrated at 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10.30. The last mass, a solemn high was celebrated by Rev. Fr. John J. Coan. Rev. Fr. John J. Casey was deacon and Rev. Fr. P. J. Scannell was sub deacon. They also officiated at the solemn high vespers in the evening. The first mass was a high mass and at the eight oclock mass the children of the church rendered Christmas hymns.

SUDDEN DEATH.

A. Hale Kingsley died suddenly at his home 227 Farrington street Tuesday. The deceased was in his 68th year and leaves a widow, three daughters and one son. He was well known in Wollaston and has been actively engaged with the International Bible Students Association. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 2.30.

BRAINTREE RESIDENT DEAD.

Miss Susanna M. Thayer a long time resident of Braintree died this morning at 381 Washington street in her 82nd eyar.

MRS. CATHHERINE TEASDALE.

Mrs. Catherine, widow of Robert Teasdale, and a long time resident of West Quincy passed away today at her home on Furnace avenue after an illness of a few days of pneumonia, aged 77 years. Mrs. Teasdale has been a resident of Quincy for 54 years. She was well known in the West Quincy section where she has always made her home since coming here. She leaves two sons and three daughters. Her sons are William H. Teasdale, chairman of the Board of Health and Ex-Councilman Robert J. Teasdale, and the daughters, are Mrs. Catherine Anderson of Dorchester, Mrs. John Lynch of Holyoke and Mrs. Mary Hart of Quincy.

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A Singular Reception

By RYLAND BELL

One night after dining late I went home. I live in one of a row of ten houses, all alike, and many are the mistakes I have made in trying to get into the wrong domicile. I soon learned that if my latchkey did not work easily I had better beat a retreat. But on this occasion I must have found the door unlatched—either this or my key happened to fit the lock, for I had no trouble in getting in. If it hadn't been for the wine I had drunk doubtless I would have realized that something was wrong, for in my own house the hall light would have been turned low, while here it was out.

My foot tripped on something, and I stumbled, but caught myself. Placing my hat and overcoat in the hall closet, I was about to feel my way upstairs when I heard a voice in the adjoining room. It was apparently that of a nervous old woman trying to be resolute.

"Go away at once! The house is wired for burglars, and the police will be here directly!"

"What in the world"— I was beginning when the same voice continued:

"I don't wish you to be arrested and go to jail. Do consider! Prison life is awful. Just go right out the way you came in, and you'll save a lot of trouble for yourself!"

It was evident to me by this time that I had made one of my blunders in getting into the wrong house, and, not relishing being taken for a burglar, I was about to apologize and go out when it occurred to me that an apology would neither be believed nor accepted and I had better make an exit without one. Indeed, I was not quite sure but that some man might be waiting with a gun till he could locate the intruder. So I concluded to go at once, but objected to leaving my hat and overcoat to establish my identity. While I was feeling my way to the closet all was silent, but no sooner had I started for the door than an entirely different voice came from upstairs. It was apparently that of a girl.

"If you must take something away with you go to the sideboard, and hanging to a rail behind it you'll find the key to the drawer, and the silver is inside. Take it all and welcome, only go away as soon as possible."

This was too much. I could not forbear reassuring this timid creature, whose voice was melodious.

"Don't be frightened. I'm not a burglar at all. I've simply made a mistake and got into the wrong house. I'm going away at once."

"Police! Robbers! Murder!"

Confound the girl! She'll bring the police down on me and get me into a fix.

"Shut up!" I cried. "I mean, be quiet. Nobody's going to hurt you. I tell you it's all a mistake. I live in this block, and my house is"—

"Don't shoot! Take everything—silver, jewelry, all!"

I hesitated between flight and going upstairs to calm this hysterical young woman and finally concluded on the latter course. It seemed that the voice came from the head of the stairs. I ran up two steps at a time, but was not quick enough. There was a light in this upper hall, but it was turned so low that I could only distinguish a table with a box on it, but couldn't see what the latter was like. If the girl was in the hall I couldn't see her.

I heard a door open and saw something white cross the hall. Then the gas jet was turned up, and I saw a girl in her nightdress under it. What she saw was a young man in evening dress. She put her hand on her heart and staggered.

"Calm yourself," I said. "I've been afraid you would turn an innocent mistake into a tragedy. Do I look like a burglar?"

"If you're not, what are you doing here?"

"Oh, Gwen," cried the old woman's voice I had heard downstairs, "come back. He'll kill you!"

I was puzzled. These persons had been talking to me, and yet they didn't seem to have heard me. And how did the old woman get upstairs?

"Are you two deaf?" I asked, irritated.

Gradually the girl regained her equanimity. Then she smiled. Her smile broke into a laugh.

"What in thunder does it all mean?" I shouted.

"Wait a minute and I'll tell you."

She ran into a bedroom and in another moment emerged in a kimona. She was very pretty in either costume.

"Mamma and I live alone and are in constant terror of burglars, so we got two phonographs, and mamma talked in one and I in the other the words you have doubtless heard. Every night we connect them with a fine wire in the vestibule so that if a burglar broke it with his foot it would set the phonographs talking."

"Well, I'll be jinged!" I exclaimed. "I'd rather be arrested and jugged for a burglar than be made a fool of."

A silvery laugh from the girl rang out, and I added:

"You need a man in this house, and if you want me all you've got to do is to say so."

"Thank you; we get on very well with two phonographs. We don't need a man at all."

"I consider one man better than two phonographs any time."

With that I left. My words were spoken jocularly, but six months from that date I stood in the house not as a burglar, but as a bridegroom.

FESTIVAL TONIGHT.

The Sunday school of the Universalist church will hold its festival and Christmas tree tonight at 7 o'clock, when thes chool will assemble in the chapel. There wil be carol singing, and speaking y the members of the school after which the tree loaded with presnts, will be exposed to view and the gifts distributed. Each member of the school will receive a box of candy and a present.

A Chilly Forecast.

The earth is growing in bulk on account of the meteoric dust that falls on it. It has recently been estimated that 100 tons fall daily over the surface of the globe, and that millions of years hence this will have increased the thickness of the earth considerably. This would have a tendency to bring us closer to the sun. But centrifugal force is augmented at the same time in greater proportion and counteracts this tendency; consequently the earth would be swept away from the sun, with the result that its distance from that body would be considerably augmented. This is spoken of as having possibly happened to some of the larger outer planets, notably Jupiter, in the remote past.—Harper's.

The Physiotype.

This is an English invention for making pictures by impression of leaves, ferns, lace, feathers and various other objects. It depends upon the chemical action of a fine powder. The object of which a representation is to be made is placed upon white paper and pressed, either by the hand or by other means. When the object is removed no impression is visible on the paper, but upon sprinkling the powder over the paper the picture at once appears, sharply defined, and remains permanent. Sections of wood and designs of coins and medals can thus be represented, and the prints can be transferred to lithographic stone, zinc or aluminium, thus producing records from which any number of copies can be taken.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Economy and Consolation.

Her discovery in its way was not less than epochal.

"It is so easy to save when you know how!" she exclaimed. "Oh, so easy! Do I wish to save $25? Very well. I go down town and find something I would like that costs $25, and then I don't buy it. Nothing could be simpler."

She did not deny, however, that her method involved a sacrifice.

"But if the sacrifice is too painful," she went on to explain, "I go and find something my husband would like that costs $35 and don't buy that!"—Puck.

Milk and Ministers.

Milk became a very important part of the food of families in the colonial days of the eighteenth century. In 1728 a discussion took place in the Boston newspapers as to the expense of keeping a family of "middling figure." These writers all named only bread and milk for breakfast and supper. As cows increased in number, milk, of course, became more frequently used. Rev. Mr. Higginson in 1630 wrote that milk cost in Salem but a penny a quart, while another minister, John Cotton, said that milk and ministers were the only things cheap in New England.—American Cultivator.

Writing on a Pillow.

Every one who has had occasion to write while riding in a railway train will be interested in the fact that the disagreeable effects of the jarring of the carriage are greatly mitigated by writing on a pillow. The pillow may be either held on the lap or placed on a table. The pad of paper and the arm which guides the pen or pencil should both rest on the pillow.

In this manner it will be found possible to write legibly and with comfort in a train flying at full speed.—London Answers.

Disillusioned.

"She had played in amateur theatricals and threatened to go on the stage if her parents wouldn't let her marry the duke."

"And what did her parents do after that threat?"

"They let her go on the stage, gave the duke a check for a front seat and were not at all surprised when he sailed back to France the next morning."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Frenzied Arithmetic.

Three-year-old Amy, who had a very lively little brother, was being put through a lesson in arithmetic by her uncle. She had successfully added one and one, but stuck at two and one.

"Your mamma," said her uncle, "has two children. If she had one more what would that make?"

"Oh," cried Amy, "that would make my mamma cwazy!"—Woman's Home Companion.

Sign of Popular Affection.

Weren't you indignant when people you didn't know called you by your first name?"

"No," replied Senator Sorghum, "but I've worried a great deal since they've shown a disposition to stop it."—Washington Star.

Power is a fretful thing and hath its wings always spread for flight.—Wallace.

Not at Home.

Caller—Is your father at home? Little Daughter—What is your name, please? Caller—Just tell him it is his old friend Bill. Little Daughter—Then I guess he ain't at home. I heard him tell mamma if any bill came he wasn't at home.

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The Story of a Rescue

By CLARISSA MACKIE

Leander Kittredge leaned over the fence and scrutinized the inquiring stranger, who carried fishing rods and basket. "What sa-ay?" he drawled, cupping one freckled hand around a large and leathery ear.

"I asked if there was good fishing in the lake," repeated the man patiently.

"Sometimes there is and sometimes there ain't," returned Mr. Kittredge, with an enigmatic smile.

"How's that?"

"It all depends on Faustina Standish," chuckled Leander. "It all depends on Faustina!"

The stranger looked puzzled. "Who is Faustina Standish?"

"She owns the lake and it's her say so whether there's fish to be caught or not."

"Oh, I didn't know it was private property! The people at the hotel said any one could fish there."

"Belongs to Faustina. It's her say so."

"Where does she live?"

"Down in that brambly cottage at the shore now. In the winter time she moves up to her house in the village. Some day Faustina 'll get ketched by a high tide or something and cottage and all 'll float off." Leander shook with silent mirth.

"Tide! I thought it was a fresh water lake."

"It's a bay—nothing more or less than a leetle salt water bay, with just the teeniest outlet to the sound. Standishes have always owned the bay, and now it's Faustina's, and she's got a cottage down there that has its feet in the water sometimes. She and that grampussing old black cook, Cleopatra, have it all to themselves from June to October."

"No harm in asking permission to fish?" ventured the stranger. And, following Leander's guiding finger, he turned into another woody road that led him down to the water's edge.

Davis Emery paused in sheer admiration of the tiny bay, perhaps a quarter of a mile in diameter, lipped by a snow white sandy beach with a background of gently sloping pastures and cedar clothed hillsides. Directly opposite was a rift in the white beach that showed the channel, with a dark rim of the sound beyond. The sky was blue, and the water reflected the pure tint. The tide had been an unusually high one, for bits of dried driftwood were floating away from the high water mark. Long lines of dead seaweed undulated with the swell of the ebbing tide.

Nowhere along the beach was there a sign of a "brambly cottage" such as Leander Kittredge had described. Not far from where he was standing, however, there was a small building, whitewashed outside and in and spicklessly clean. An indignant clucking from a nesting box in one corner revealed that this was a chicken house, and it was evident that the tide had lapped the floor of the building, for the sand lay in little riffled, damp lines.

If this was Faustina Standish's chicken house her brambly cottage could not be far away. But look as he might up and down the beach he saw nothing save a sweep of wet sand and glistening pebbles.

All at once Emery saw it in the most unexpected place. There, bobbing drunkenly in the middle of the little bay, was a small white cottage overrun with red roses. The water swashed around the tiny porch and broke in white foam against the sides of the building. From a small iron chimney smoke poured forth as if this unexpected trip on the water had not hindered the round of domestic duties. Up on a balcony above the porch a woman was sitting composedly, reading a book.

There was only one thing for Davis Emery to do and that was to rescue the damsel as quickly as possible. In order to do that he must have a boat, and, looking about, he soon made the unpleasant discovery that there were three very capable looking small boats adrift on the bay. He raced madly up the shore and found nothing save a broken oar half buried in the salt grass. With this in his hand he went back to the chicken coop and there behind it, resting on the sloping bank, were the outlines of a flat bottomed skiff beneath a covering of tarpaulin and dried seaweed.

After fifteen minutes labor he had the covering cleared away and the boat afloat. Rowlocks there were none, but Emery could paddle even with a broken oar, so he pushed off and went bobbing slowly toward the brambly cottage, which was also bobbing on the tide and headed straight for the narrow, wicked looking channel.

Perhaps the girl had suddenly thought of the channel, for all at once she arose and went to the railing and leaned over and looked long and anxiously at the course of the cottage. She saw Emery just then, and in response to his hail he heard a faint response.

The current was stronger now, and the speed of both cottage and skiff was accelerated, so that Emery did not gain much on the little house, but after awhile his strong, steady persistent strokes counted for results, and just when he was beginning to feel the strain of his hurried efforts a wave brought the skiff to the edge of the porch and he reached out and grasped the edge. In another instant he was standing on the boards, ankle deep under water, and making fast the painter of the skiff to the railing.

As he turned from this task the door opened behind him and revealed the girl of the balcony standing there. Brown as a berry were hair, eyes and brow. Her skin was deep cream, with a powdering of golden freckles across her lovely face. Even in that moment of danger Davis Emery realized her beauty, and he drew a sharp breath of admiration. But the girl's voice, soft and cultivated, brought him back to the urgency of the situation.

"If you have come to help us," she said quickly, "you can best do it by keeping us out of the channel—if you can."

"I'll try," said Emery promptly. "Have you got a heavy rope or a chain aboard—I mean in the house?"

"No, but there is one in my motorboat. See—it is in the same current and will soon reach us! If you can get aboard and start the engine you can easily pull us out of the current."

By the time she had finished speaking Emery was back in the skiff and paddling away with his broken oar. It was a matter of minutes before he had boarded the large motorboat, started up the engine and caught up with the brambly cottage. The girl cheered him heartily as he passed around to the rear of the building, where he fastened a stout chain to a ringbolt in the back porch and, starting up the engine once more, had the satisfaction of feeling that the cottage was drawing steadily in his wake—out of the current and toward a low sandy shore.

All at once a large black face surmounted by a bright bandanna turban appeared at one of the windows.

"Fo' de lan's sake, man, huccome yo' heah?" she demanded belligerently. "Hev yo' ask Miss Faustiny yit?"

"I have Miss Faustina's permission to tow you to safety," laughed Emery heartily.

"Dat's all right, den. But dere's folkses always tryin' to take libyerties wid Miss Faustiny, and her's only too easy wid 'em. But dey don't git by me; no, sah!" Cleopatra withdrew her brilliantly adorned head, and Emery heard her clattering among the pots and pans. Presently her voice sounded once more.

"Man, ef yo' could manidge to git us ashore down by high bar I could git a mess o' clams for dinnah!" she called amicably.

"I'm under Miss Faustina's orders," returned Emery.

At that moment the girl appeared at the back door. "I don't know how to thank you for your kindness in rescuing us," she said sincerely. "If we had gone on the rocks in the channel I am afraid we would have fared badly. When our cottage suddenly drifted off at 7 o'clock Cleopatra and I had just arisen and were upstairs. I thought we would simply float across the bay to the other shore and we could easily be towed back from that point, so I felt no alarm until I discovered we were in the current and making for the channel. We owe a great deal to your pluck in getting us into smooth water."

"I'm mighty glad I happened along," responded Emery. "Now, would it not be a good plan to beach the cottage on the sand here? And when the tide shifts late this afternoon it will be comparatively easy to tow it back to its location with this boat."

Faustina agreed heartily, and in another half hour Emery had skillfully maneuvered the brambly cottage to a temporary resting place not far from the high bar which showed a long strip of mud flat in the falling tide. Cleopatra descended to the sand with clam rake and basket on her arm and trudged to the mud flat.

Emery assisted Faustina Standish to land, and when he had made both house and motorboat secure beyond any encroaching wave he sat down beside her on the sand and explained how he had happened to invade the shore of her little bay. Of course the service he had rendered her and the spirit of the adventure in which they had both taken a part rapidly promoted a friendship that was not broken for many months, and then for a most excellent reason.

Cleopatra presently summoned them to an appetizing clambake, which, combined with the meal she had been busily preparing, quite rounded out a delightful morning.

It was sundown when the brambly cottage was once more securely moored above high water mark near its old resting place. Davis Emery's permission to fish in the bay contained many added privileges, such as calling upon Faustina Standish once in awhile and enjoying Cleopatra's culinary triumphs, for Cleopatra approved of Davis Emery.

His basket was empty and his lines quite dry as he passed Leander Kittredge's back fence at sunset. Leander was there playing with an awkward, long legged colt.

"Hev a good ketch?" grinned Leander sociably.

Emery found himself smiling at a sudden recollection. "Very," he said.

"Found Faustina and the brambly cottage, did ye? I reckoned she'd let ye fish—never heerd of her refusin' anybody yet—but, of course, nobody ever knows what notion a woman'll take into her head!"

"See you again," said Emery in farewell, and as he walked home through the quiet woods he wondered if Faustina Standish would ever "take a notion" to like him better than anybody she had ever met, and it turned out that Faustina did that very thing, and so when their friendship ended love began and remained ever after.

PLENTY OF BIRDS FOR THE PRIZES

Holiday Bowling at the Coliseum Attracted Many

At the Coliseum alleys the following were the winners on Christmas eve:

Name	Score	Prize
C. Carlson	310	12 lb. Goose
Smith	298	12 lb. Goose
Porter	295	10 lb. Duck
Birnie	290	10 lb. Duck
Hanlon	288	8 lb. Chicken
Villegas	286	10 cigars
Lyons	286	10 cigars
Fowler	215	Stein (booby)

MacKenzie was given a prize for setting the winning score.

The following were the Christmas Day winners:

David White, high five string total 515
Morton, high three string total 320
George Grant, high single 122

Kelly, most sevens in one string, six, Brownrigg and Doran tied for most number of nines with six each.

PINS KNOCKED RIGHT AND LEFT

And in the Air By Eager Trophy Seeking Bowlers

The City Square alleys were the home of some high rolling for the Christmas prizes and many strings were higher than 121. The first prize , a gent's gold watch was won by Fred Hanson. A prize cup was awarded to James Dell for the second high score and a turkey went to John Gallagher. Cuff links as fourth prize were won by George Grant and John Gillis took the cigars offered for fifth place. The booby was awarded to A. Ryden.

The Christmas Day prizes were hotly contested for and a box of cigars for the best three string total, 322, was won by David White. His brother George won a gold watch chain with 122 as high single string. A large package was given to Lawrence Barry as the third prize.

A fine score was made by Sprenkel, captain of the Patternmakers of the Fore River League, who rolled a single of 139 and made a six string total of 606.

MRS. GRIFFIN DEAD.

Mrs. Louisa, wife of Patrick Griffin, died Christmas day at her late home, 16 Wittich place after a long illness. The deceased was in her 25th year and has been married about one year.

BURIED IN COHASSET.

Mrs. Mary F. J. Antoine, died at her late home, 49 Webster street, Atlantic this morning. To many of the older Quincy people she will be remembered as Miss Mary O'Keefe. After her marriage she moved to Cohasset where she will be buried Saturday. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Church of the Sacred Heart Saturday morning.

ST. MARYS CHURCH.

Christmas was celebrated at St. Mary's Catholic church by one of its largest congregations. Rev. Fr. Duffy said a high mass at 5.30 o'clock and regulaar masses were at seven and nine o'clock. Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady celebrated a high mass at 10.30 and preached a Christmas sermon. The vesper and Benediction service in the afternoon was conducted by Rev. Fr. Duffy. Music for the day was by the regular choir with iMss Alice O'Neil at the soloist.

SACRED HEART CHURCH.

At the Church of the Sacred Heart at Atlantic, the observance of Christmas Day commenced with the regular masses and concluded with a plain chant vesper and benediction in the evening. A high mass was celebrated at 10.30 by Rve. Fr. J. P. Cuffe.

DISTRICT COURT.

William McPherson, Emil Ruski were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Quincy and William Jarmartic was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

—The government experts have found that the fly carries infantile paralysis. The information comes too late for this year, but should be borne in mind during the next swatting season.

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PROVISIONS FOR CHARTER

Amendments Which Will Be Presented Legislature

CONTINUOUS BODY SUGGESTED

The citizens committee interested in the proposed revision of the City Charter will meet in the Mayor's office at City Hall Saturday night. The object of the meeting is to draw up the petition and bill to be presented to the legislature. Several citizens have been heard to express themselves on the amendments proposed and voted at the committee last Saturday evening and the general opinion seems to be that the remedy sought by reducing the number of members of the City Council will not be obtained by the proposed amendment. This provides that the City Council shall consist of nine members, of which each ward shall have one representative and three at large. The general opinion is that if amended, all nine members should be elected at large. Furthermore as it is advisable to have a continuous council that the first year, three should be elected for one year, three for two years and three for three years and thereafter each year three should be elected for three years. By this method the council would always have six members who have had at least one or two years experience. The chances also are that when the matter comes up for a hearing that there will be considerable opposition to the elimination of party designation.

BOTH DOING WELL.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester H. Clee, at Providence, R. I., Tuesday. Mother and child are doing well. Mr. Clee was formerly boys secretary of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. and occupies a similar position in Providence at the present time.

TENNIS CLUB BALL.

The seventh annual ball of the Quincy Tennis Club will be held at Quincy Music hall this evening and as in the past, all will attend with the certainty of spending a pleasant evening. A select program has been arranged by the committee in charge which will conclude at 11.30 o'clock.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Hayman Sarkin has been petitioned into bankruptcy at the instance of three creditors whose claims amount to $573.

CRAIG FOUND PUNG IN ROAD

Belonged to Weymouth Man, but He Hauled It Home

OWNER WANTS THREE BONES

John J. Craig of Quincy was arraigned in court this morning charged with the larceny of a pung from a Weymouth man named Lavelle at Weymouth. According to Mr. Craig he was driving home one night recently, when he ran into a pung that had been left in the street. He immediately hitched the pung behind his own wagon and drew it to his home in Quincy. The owner of the pung says that he was going home with a load of goods in his pung when he got stuck. That he secured a wagon and took his load home. He then came back after the pung only to find it gone.

This morning he was willing to settle the case if Mr. Craig would pay $3 which it had cost him. The latter however refused and the case will be tried out Jan. 2. Meanwhile Craig is out on his personal recognizance of $100.

Timothy Regan of the Citizens Gas Light Co., is confined to his home 53 South Walnut street with a severe attack of tonsilitis.

COMMITTEE TO REPORT ON DOCK

Council First to Be Apprised of Its Nature

AS MATTER OF COURTESY

The special committee of the City Council and Mayor's committee of citizens who have been considering the subject of the advisibility of a public dock and the site for a dock, met Thursday evening in the Mayor's office at City Hall to prepare its report to the City Council. After the meeting ex-Mayor Shea, chairman of the committee stated that the committee had drawn up a report but that as the committee believed that out of courtesy, the City Council should be the first to receive it and the committee would not give it out to the press at the present time. The report he said would be forwarded to the City Council at the adjourned meeting, Tuesday evening.

☞A 500-vote certificate will be awarded in the Washington contest to the candidate who makes the largest gain for the week ending Monday, Dec. 30 at 9 A. M. This is not a prize for the leader but for gain and may be won by a new candidate.

UNCLE SAM'S MAN AT GATE

Interesting Talk on Immigration to This Country

BY U. S. OFFICIAL

"The man at the gate" was the subject of a very interesting lecture on immigration at the Norfolk Downs Improvement Association, Thursday evening, by Inspector Feri F. Weiss of the United States Immigration service.

Inspector Weiss said:

"When in 1492 Christopher Columbus the great Genoese first landed upon these shores, little did he realize then that he was the forerunner of thousands of immigrants. The fact is that we are receiving today 1,000,000 immigrants per year and this is enough to make us stop and take no-

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—The parcels post will not take for delivery anything which has an evil odor. Certain grades of cheese and game "just right for immediate cooking" appear, therefore, likely to be barred says the Brockton Enterprise.

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KIDDIES HAPPY AT PRESENTING

Desk to Beloved and Faithful Superintendent

ALL HAD GOOD TIME

Over 500 children gathered at St. Joseph's hall, Thursday afternoon to participate in the festival which is annually given to the Sunday school by the pastor of St. Mary's church, Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady.

The most pleasing feature of the afternoon was the gift of a mahogany desk and chair to Miss Elizabeth J. McNeil who recently resigned as superintendent after a long term of active service.

The presentation was made by Father Grady and he said the gift carried with it the love of the children, his gratitude and the appreciation of a parish of 5000 souls. He complimented Miss McNeil on her success and said all were eager to express their feelings.

Miss McNeil was so overcome with the gift that she was unable to make a response while those present united in applause which could be heard some distance away from the hall. Miss McNeil is a most popular West Quincy resident, has been sincere in her parish work and is a teacher of the sixth grade in the Willard school.

Four reels of moving pictures were thrown on a large curtain set across the stage and during the afternoon the children joined with a vim in singing the choruses of the latest popular songs, under the direction of Miss Frances Cronin, the church organist.

Pictures, small articles and "The Following of Christ" by Thomas A. Kempis were distributed to the children, and when the festivities concluded after five o'clock it was a tired but happy crowd of kiddies that started homeward.

The affair was under the direction of Rev. Fr. Grady and he was assisted by his curate, Rev. Fr. William J. Duffy.

☞Since Monday no candidate has gained 500 votes in the Washington contest. Looks like a good opportunity for any candidate to win the prize certificate, good for 500 votes, to be awarded next Monday, Dec. 30, for the biggest gain during the week.

VALUABLE CASTINGS AND PATTERNS DESTROYED BY SPECTACULAR BLAZE

Hall Lock Company Plant at Wollaston Furnished Brilliant Illumination

Foundry Bui ding Only One to Be Totally Destroyed

Passengers on the early evening trains, Thursday too and from Boston saw a spectacular fire as they passed the plant of the Hall Lock Co. on Old Colony avenue, Wollaston. The fire was not in the main building but in the brass foundry situated just back of the main building and but a few feet from it. The fire evidently started among some oil barrels and was discovered by Thomas Blaisdell, the night watchman. At that time the interior of the foundry building seemed to be a roaring furnace. He immediately telephoned to the Wollaston fire station and gave the alarm. That apparatus responded on the still and had hardly left the station when some one rang in an alarm from Box 56 located near the station and a mile away from the fire. By this time the sky was brightly illuminated and people on Wollaston hill thought a conflagration was in progress.

This was at 6.37 and hardly had Box 56 stopped when another sounded from Box 155 situated on the corner of Warren avenue and Newton streets near the fire. This acted as a second alarm and brought out a large number of pieces of apparatus.

In the meantime two streams had been run from a hydrant near by and a great volume of water was being poured into the flames. As soon as the other apparatus arrived other streams were run to the fire but fortunately they were not needed. The steamer was stationed on the corner of Newton street but did not have to be used as the fire was then practically under control. As soon as Chief Litchfield saw the fire was subdued he ordered the surplus apparatus returned to their stations.

The fire started among some oil barrels on the floor of the one story building. The glass ventilators on the roof of the building were soon smashed by the heat thus furnishing a good draft for the flames.

In the building were a number of brass castings that had been made during the day as well as many valuable patterns. Just how much these are damaged, and what the loss will be is hard to tell. It is thought however that it will be heavy. The loss on the building is estimated by Chief Litchfield at $1,000.

It was after 8 o'clock before the recall was sounded.

BUSY PERIOD FOR FERGUSON

Hibernians' County President Will Be On the Move

The month of January will be a busy one for County President Patrick J. Ferguson of the A. O. H., who, with the assistance of officers of Div. 5 of Quincy will install division officers throughout Norfolk County.

A joint installation for Weymouth Div. 6, 9, 14 and 15 and Auxiliaries, 6, 9 and 12 will be held during February. It is expected that Lieutenant Governor-elect David R. Walsh will be the principle speaker.

Dec. 29, a class initiation will be held at Norwood and a number of Quincy candidates will be given the first and second degrees.

The installation dates are:

Jan. 1—Div. 22, West Quincy.
Jan. 4—Div. 4, West Quincy.
Jan. 5—County Board of Boston.
Jan. 8—Div. 5 and Auxiliary 8 and 10 at A O. H. hall, Franklin street.
Jan. 12—Div. 16 and Auxiliary 16 at Cohasset.
Jan. 21—Div. 2 and Auxiliary 2 at Canton.

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TOTAL	85c

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2 CANS HATCHET BRAND PEAS	30c
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2 CANS FLAG BRAND TOMATOES	30c
2 CANS WM. UNDERWOOD'S CLAMS	25c
2 CANS DUCHESS BRAND SUCCOTASH	25c
1 CAN FORT PEARS	28c
1 CAN HATCHET BRAND BLUEBERRIES	15c
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ADRIANOPLE A GREAT PUZZLE

Bulgaria Expected to Consent to Retention by Turkey of Great Fortress—Outline of Turkish Counter Proposals—Fighting Spirit Still Appears to Exist at Constantinople

London, Dec. 27.—The possession of the Turkish fortress of Adrianople, which has been the principal bone of contention since the beginning of the war between Turkey and the Balkan allies, still remains the stumbling block in the way of the attainment of peace.

Compensation from Bulgaria, however, in some other part of European Turkey, probably will in the end remove even this difficulty and enable her to consent to the retention by Turkey of the great fortress. Salonica has been suggested as a possible bait to induce the Bulgarians to abandon their claims to the northern city which the Turks refuse to yield.

Perhaps with some such idea in their minds the Turkish delegates have, it is reported, included in the counter proposals they have offered to the peace conference the stipulation that Salonica shall remain in their hands, a line being drawn from the southern port through Serres and Adrianople to Media.

The maximum demands of the Balkan allies and the minimum offer of the Turks will thus be before the peace delegates when they assemble again tomorrow and a definite basis for bargaining will have been formulated. If the Turks are successful in retaining Adrianople they will doubtless consent to limit their demands to a western boundary running from Adrianople southward along the railroad to Enos, on the Ægean sea, thus leaving the Dardanelles straits in their hands.

Diplomatic circles here consider there is certain to be a gradual approximation of the terms put forward by the Balkan allies and the Turks, and when that stage has once been reached third parties may have a chance to intervene in order to reconcile the remaining differences between the adversaries.

The porte telegraphed to Rechad Pasha the new proposals as decided upon by the council of ministers. The exact nature of the proposals has not been revealed, but the official view of the situation is still hopeful. The Turkish press is unanimous in declaring the allies' conditions are not acceptable.

It is stated on authority that on the resumption of the peace conference Rechad Pasha will refuse to discuss with the allies the proposals, but will bring forward counter proposals, which are as follows:

Bulgaria will receive an outlet to the Ægean sea.

Crete to be ceded to Greece.

The Sanjack of Novi Pazar to be surrendered to Servia if Austria sanctions.

Macedonia and Albania to form autonomous provinces under the suzerainty of the sultan.

Salonica to be a free port under the control of the powers.

Adrianople under no circumstances to be surrendered.

The allies must share the Ottoman debt.

According to stories from Constantinople, the war is bound to recommence shortly. The Turks have got over their panic and are prepared to face the allies. German officers are directing gunners on the Turkish warships and German officers have overhauled the entire defenses at Tchatalja, revising the position of all the heavy artillery and made out elaborate instructions for the guidance of the Turkish artillery officers.

KING GEORGE WELL AGAIN

Private Secretary Says Ruler Only Had a Slight Chill

London, Dec. 27.—King George is said to be recovered from the illness that kept him from the Christmas festivities at Sandringham palace. Sir Frederick Ponsonby, private secretary to the king, said King George had nothing more serious than a chill.

The name of King George did not appear in any of the court circulars in the list of participants in the Christmas festivities at Sandringham, and this gave rise to rumors that he was seriously ill.

Substantial Consolation For Disdain

Florence, Dec. 27.—"As consolation for the well deserved disdain with which I have always treated them," reads the will by which Baron Modigliano bequeathed $5,100,000 to three nephews.

Army Chaplain Dies at Sea

Manila, Dec. 27.—Chaplain Edward R. Chase of the Thirteenth infantry died aboard the transport Sherman from pneumonia, according to a wireless from that vessel.

SAVED ROAD MONEY

New Haven Official Bought Coal From President Mellen's Son

Boston, Dec. 27.—H. A. Fabian, manager of purchases and supplies for the New Haven, testified before Interstate Commissioner Prouty that President Mellen's son was the eastern agent for a coal company, which allowed him a 6 to 10 cents reduction a ton on a five-year contract. The contract amounted to 4,500,000 tons annually.

He also brought out that the president of another coal company, by which his road was favored in making contracts, was the son of Director McHarg of the New Haven road.

This relationship was brought out while Fabian was testifying to the coal contracts. He declared the contracts saved the New Haven road thousands of dollars annually.

CLAIMS SELF DEFENSE

Secretary of Steam Fitters' Union Shoots and Kills Fellow Member

Chicago, Dec. 27.—James Conway, connected with the local steamfitters' union, was fatally shot by Thomas Freer, secretary of the union, in the latter's office. Freer, who was found by the police standing over Conway's body with the revolver in his hand, said he was attacked by Conway and two companions and he shot in self-defense. Conway died in an ambulance en route to a hospital.

The trouble started, Freer said, as a result of the union election, in which Joseh Kane was elected a member of the finance committee. Kane apeared with Conway and Tom Walsh and demanded the use of the union's automobile. Freer disputed his right to it, and the shooting followed.

SISTERS REFUSE AID WHEN SERIOUSLY ILL

Die Together In Want, Though Possessing Ample Wealth

St. Louis, Dec. 27.—Examination of the body of Mrs. Sarah Johnson, who, with her sister, Miss Mary Scott, died Christmas eve of pneumonia, apparently in direst want, revealed a bag around her waist containing $5604 in cash and three gold watches. In Miss Smith's effects were found deeds and papers showing bank deposits.

Little is known of the sisters. They arrived two weeks ago at the address where death occurred, both suffering from colds which developed into pneumonia. They refused to have medical attention, because of the cost, and even declined to go to a free hospital.

The elder woman was about 50 years old, and Miss Scott had remarked that she was "more than 40."

Evolution of the Mortgage.

"Farming methods have changed, haven't they?"

"Yep," replied Farmer Corntossel. "Now a man thinks he's unlucky if he has to borrow money on his place. He used to think he was lucky if he was able to."—Washington Star.

THE BIRTH OF CHRIST.

A glorious night that ushered in
The tidings of the new-born King!
The world in darkness and in sin
May join the anthem angels sing.

Shepheards were in the fields at night
Watching their flocks with tender care
When, lo, the angel came in light,
And glory shone around them there.

The angel said to them, Fear not;
Behold, I bring you joyful word,
For unto you this day is born
A Savior, which is Christ the Lord.

And suddenly the heavenly host
Shout with united voice of praise,
Glory to God, and on earth peace,
Good will to men through all the days.

E. P. Chamberlin

Braintree, Dec. 23

Elisabeth Merritt Goss, of Boston says that 10 per cent of the women of this country want suffrage and 90 per cent either do not want it or are indifferent about it. She also avers that the 90 per cent are being ruled by the other 10 per cent in this matter. Why not settle the matter by referendum? Fix a day for all women to vote on the question whether they wish the right of suffrage, then let the agitation cease for a time. We do not want any British suffragette business in this country. Our women are ladies, not hoodlums. We American men would be ashamed and mortified to have them fall to the low depths of the British suffragettes.—Salem News.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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PLACE

GALEN MAKES BIG GAIN

Edith Cairns, a New Candidate Is Number 18

NO CHANGE AMONG LEADERS

Mr. Bowditch made the largest gain today, his total of 1035 being nearly fifty per cent larger than yesterday. It will be seen that he has four figures now in his total.

Edith M. Cairns of Quentin street, Germantown, is a new candidate today but starts in with 145 votes, and number 18 in the list, ahead of many who started two weeks ago.

Gains were also made by Ethel Randall, Nellie Morrissett, William Wolf, Joseph Barber, Lloyd Lewis, Hannah Sandberg, William J. DeCoste, B. L. Smith, Angus Kerr, George Powers and Carl W. Leaf.

It will be necessary in a few days to drop all with less than 50 votes.

PROGRESS OF VOTING.

The first coupon in the Washington contest was printed Nov. 25 and the progress of the voting is shown day by day in the summary below. There have been four different leaders. First, Sam Prout for a day; then Fred D. Williams for three days. On the fifth day, Fred J. Kessler came to the front, but only for a day, for Fred D. Williams came back, and held the position for five days. Then Sturgis Hunt forged ahead, but he was unable to hold it.

Fred Williams regained the place the next day, and has held it since, 23 days in all out of 26. With the exception of eight dates, the total of the leader was larger than on the previous day. Mr. Williams today has a good lead, but there is still a chance for the others or even a dark horse.

The vote of the leaders day by day was:

Nov. 26	Sam Prout	30
27	Fred D. Williams	150
29	" "	1150
30	" "	1435
Dec. 2	Fred J. Kessler	2015
3	Fred D. Williams	2035
4	" "	2035
4	" "	2235
5	" "	2235
6	" "	2535
7	" "	2535
9	Sturgis Hunt	6805
10	Fred D. Williams	8045
11	" "	9550
12	" "	10050
13	" "	10555
14	" "	10855
16	" "	16840
17	" "	17040
18	" "	17040
19	" "	17040
20	" "	17040
21	" "	17690
23	" "	20940
24	" "	20940
26	" "	20940
27	" "	20940

ANOTHER PRIZE

A larger vote certificate is offered as a prize this week—one good for 500 votes—for the "biggest gain" during the week ending at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 30. Any candidate has as good a chance as another to win this prize.

A certificate good for 1000 votes is given for each year's subscription to the Daily Ledger. Old or new subscribers may pay for one year, two years or five years and thus help their friends in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	20940
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	13120
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	4270
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2915
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	2540
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	2020
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1305
Galen Bowditch, messenger	1035
Ethel Randall, stenographer	600
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	495
Sam Shellman, Granite street	420
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kelvin court	360
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	200
Richard Larkin, High school	185
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	175
Walter Mead, High school	170
Edith M. Cairns, Germantown	145
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	130
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	125
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	100
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	100
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	100
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	100
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	95
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
John H. Hart, timekeeper	95
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	95
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	90
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	90
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
Michael P. Barry Fire dept.	85
Williaim Erickson, F. of A.	85
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
B. L. Smith, Fore River	85
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	80
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod.	80
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	80
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	80
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	75
Richard H. Joyce, West Quincy	75
George Powers, Fore River	75
J. McCullough, shipyard	70
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	70
William Kelley, conductor	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
Carl W. Leaf, Water street	70
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	65
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	65
William Allen, Eagles	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Clara Stoddard, S. of V Aux.	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	60
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
R. A. Falconer, Broadway	55
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	50
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	50
John Evans, Progressive	50
J. Hynes, shipfitter	50
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	45
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	45
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
Alice O'Neil, West Quincy	40
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Horace E. Spear, Franklin street	40
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Catherine Dolan, Atlantic	35
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
James N. Rice, Appleton street	30
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
James Doyle, West street	20
Charles Archibald, L. O. L.	15
Robert Brown, "Wet wash"	10
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
E. Alstein, draftsman	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Capt. Fred Smith, Broadway	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5
A. I. Dixon, Fat Men's Club	5
George Westland, Quincy	5
J. Nathan, Granite st	5

"Vote early and often."

—In Kansas City the Church of the Annunciation has added a marriage bureau to its list of activities, and has received 14,000 letters and has married 400 people. Of those inquiring 85 per cent are women. It is found that the majority of the women asked for a husband with wealth, while not a man asked for a wealthy wife. Evidently the men felt still strong enough to keep on working.

How His Aerie Was Captured

By F. A. MITCHEL

Gallatly as a child was one of those infant phenomena who astonish everybody. His mind ran in a philosophic groove, and at twelve years of age he had found errors in the reasoning of Aristotle that had escaped the notice of Lord Bacon. His parents sent him to college, but he amused himself asking the professors questions they were unable to answer, then answered them himself. In his junior year it became evident that he was wasting his time at a university, and he left to enter upon original research on his own account.

Young Gallatly was so absorbed in his investigations that he could not bear any interruption. He was an object of curiosity, especially among young persons of his own age, who were constantly taking up his time simply to gratify a desire to gaze upon such a wonder. Girls especially annoyed him by trying to attract his attention. Consequently when he entered upon his life work and his father built him a house for the purpose the young man had it constructed as a sort of tower, with only one opening on the ground floor, the main doorway.

Notwithstanding many such obstacles thrown in the way of persons who desired to take up his time to no purpose, Gallatly was driven from the bottom to the top of his building by successive stages till, finding the top not high enough he added three stories and did all his work in the one under the roof. Various ruses having been practiced upon him to effect an entrance through the door on the main floor, he built directly under the roof one of those little pulley sheds common in old mills and had his supplies sent up on a sort of lift.

These precautions so discouraged the curious that at last Gallatly was left entirely alone. Indeed, he might have pursued his studies for a lifetime and given some new and wonderful philosophy to the world had it not been for a chit of a girl who for no other reason in the world than that she couldn't get at him made up her mind that she would. She was neither pretty nor intellectual. Indeed, almost any medium for breaking in upon the phenomenon's studies might be expected in preference to a freckle faced, red headed girl.

But, though Mehitabel Smith was not intellectual, fate favored her. Her father was a builder of aeroplanes. Mehitabel saw in this fact that what was denied to beauty, to intellect, to winning ways, had been given to her—namely, an opportunity to get at the phenomenon. While others were restricted to making attacks from the ground, she might sail in the air and hover about the windows of the great thinker, and how was he going to get away from her? Only by going below to meet a more numerous force.

There was an outpost for Mehitabel to capture before she could take the stronghold. This was her father. She must induce him to allow her to learn to manage one of his aeroplanes. She did this in the same way she proposed to bring down Gallatly—when she got at him. She put her arms around her father's neck and kept them there till she secured the promise she wanted. This faculty in women is not greatly esteemed by men, but has never been known to fail. Mehitabel took rides in an aeroplane beside an operator till she learned how to manage one herself. Then, after some practice, she was ready to put her scheme of conquest into operation.

One morning when Gallatly was struggling in his aerie with a new dimension he heard a whirring without, which he at first mistook for some great bird beating the air with its wings. He was too intent on his studies to notice it till the light was interfered with, when he looked up and saw—

What?

A red headed, freckled girl.

She threw at him the only missile nature had provided her with for her purpose—a pleasant smile.

Gallatly sighed. Here was a point of attack that he had not calculated upon. It would be impossible for him to build his tower so high that an aeroplane could not reach the top. He could draw down the shade, but he couldn't study in the dark. He leaned back in his chair and looked at the girl resignedly. That was all she wanted—for that time. She gave him another smile and sailed along on her way. Gallatly didn't know but that her appearing before his window had been a matter of chance. Her going away without trying to effect an entrance disposed him to this view. Perhaps she would never come again.

But she did come again, just to smile at him and go away. After awhile he began to look for her coming, and when she missed a periodical visit he was disappointed. She didn't give him time to forget her, not by any means, and every time she came she hovered longer.

One day after Gallatly had been expecting her for several days without her coming he descended from his aerie and made a bee line for the house where she lived. After that she didn't fly to him any more.

Presently it was announced that the phenomenon had been captured by a red headed, freckled, awkward, ill favored girl.

"Goodness gracious!" exclaimed the beauties. "How in the world did she do it?"

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An Island City.

Greater New York consists of forty-five islands. It might be called the Island City. Read the names of some of the larger: Manhattan Island, Long Island, Staten Island, Hart's Island, City Island, Riker's Island, North Brother Island, South Island, Blackwell's Island, Randall's Island, Ward's Island, Berrian's Island, Governors Island, Barren Island and Coney Island. Many small ones in Jamaica bay have large names. One inland island, Marble Hill, near Kingsbridge, has been made by the government channel cut through on the Harlem river improvements.

——Vermont is the smallest in population of the New England states but its Senate thinks Vermont's governor should get a bigger salary than $2500. Recently it passed the bill increasing the governor's salary to $4000. Governor Fletcher has let it be known, however, that he will not sign a bill increasing his own salary, and presumably he does not need the money—Taunton News-Herald.

IN THIRTEENTH ROUND

Langford Knocks Out McVey in Fierce Heavyweight Contest

Sydney, Aus., Dec. 27.—Sam Langford knocked out Sam McVey in the thirteenth round in one of the fiercest heavyweight battles seen in Australia in years.

Langford had the best of the fighting throughout the match. He severely punished McVey, who, however, made a plucky defense.

In the fourth round Langford floored McVey with an uppercut to the chin, and from then on McVey simply tried to protect himself but received severe punishment.

Washington Negro Attacks Woman

Washington, Dec. 27.—Race bitterness in this city was intensified when a brutal attack was made by a negro upon a white woman almost in the shadow of the Capitol. The negro, Nathaniel Green, is being closely guarded, while his victim, Mrs. Adeliade E. Grant, is in a serious condition.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

FEBRUARY 28 TO MARCH 7

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28.

Leave Boston at 6.00 P. M., by train for Fall River, connecting with one of the magnificent steamers of the Fall River line for New York. Stateroom provided.

SATURDAY, MARCH 1.

Breakfast on steamer is provided and New York is reached at 7.20 A. M. The forenoon will be devoted to sight-seeing about the city. Luncheon provided at hotel. Leave New York at 2.00 P. M., via the Royal Blue Line. Seats in parlor cars included. Arrive Washington at 7.00 P. M., and transfer to a first-class hotel, where rooms and meals will be provided for the stay at the National Capital.

MARCH 2—3—4 (INAUGURATION DAY.)

In Washington. Under direction of conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4th is Inauguration Day. The Inauguration of the President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle. The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis Cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol Building, in front of which takes place the actual Inauguration ceremonies, including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy and Malitia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson, and down Pennsylvania Avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage. In the evening the grand Inauguration Ball is held in the immense Pension Building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of this building is cleared for this event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine Band and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations and of the officers of the Army and Navy form a brilliant spectacle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5.

On Wednesday a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ Church, where Washington worshipped, and the Marshall House where Ellsworth was killed.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6.

Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9.00 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included and New York is reached at 2.00 P. M. Leave New York at 5.00 P. M., on Fall River Line steamer. Staterooms assigned and evening dinner served.

FRIDAY, MARCH 7.

Arrive Fall River at 5.30 A. M., connecting with train for Boston.

REVISED FIRE ALARM

7 Corner Farnum and Edison Streets.
12 Palmer Street, opposite Bakers.
13 Corner Shelton Road and Sea Sts
14 Church turn-out, Manet Avenue.
15 Germantown, Sailors' Snug Harbor.
16 Sea Street, near Rock Island Road
17 Sea street, near Dunham's.
18 Sea and Palmer streets.
19 Rock Island.
21 Corner Whitwell and Granite Sts.
23 Hancock Street, near Hall's stable.
24 Whitwell Street, near Hospital.
25 Corner Newcomb and Canal Sts.
26 Hancock, opposite City Hall.
27 Corner Elm and Washington Sts.
28 Corner Greenleaf and Hancock Sts.
29 Corner Butler Road and Putnam
31 Phipps Street, near Payne Street.
32 Independence Avenue and Franklin.
34 Corner High and Franklin Streets.
35 Corner Hancock and School Streets.
36 Junction Pleasant and Quincy Sts.
37 Corner Franklin and Water Sts.
38 Corner Liberty and Plain Sts.
39 Corner Penn and Liberty Streets.
41 Corner School and Granite Streets.
42 Corner Copeland and Granite Sts.
43 Corner Common and Copeland Sts.
45 Corner Crescent and Willard Sts.
46 Copeland and Furnace avenue.
47 Corner Bates Avenue and Grove
48 Corner Robertson and Willard Sts.
49 Corner Doble and Willard Streets.
51 Tubular Rivet Factory.
52 Elmwood Avenue and Farrington.
53 Winthrop and Warren Avenues.
54 Hancock Street, near Elm Avenue.
56 Beale, opposite Wollaston Hotel.
57 Corner Beach and Willow Streets.
58 Corner Beale and Adams Streets.
59 Beale Street and Central Avenue.
61 Squantum and Hancock Streets.
62 Corner Atlantic and Hancock Sts
63 Hancock Street, near Atlantic depot.
64 Billings Street and Newbury Ave.
64 (D) Combination No. 2 House.
65 Faxon Road and Squantum Street.
66 Prospect and Billings.
67 Corner Atlantic and Squantum Sts.
68 Squantum.
69 Montclair.
71 Corner Mill and Washington Sts.
72 Washington Street, corner South.
73 Corner Winter and Howard Sts.
74 Corner River and Washington Sts
75 Corner Main and Sumner Streets.
76 Washington corner Wharf.
76 (D) Power House, Q. & B. St. R'y.,
78 Fore River Ship Building Works.
112 Sea street near Willows.
113 Post Island.
114 Engine House, Hougks Neck.
116 Centre road and Darrow Street.
117 Great Hill, Hough's Neck.
119 Rockland and Rhoda, R. I.
121 President's Hill.
122 Chestnut Street and Revere Road.
123 Hancock Street, near Car Barn.
124 Corner Goffe and Adams Streets.
126 Russell Park.
136 Brook Road and Water Street.
138 Corner Brooks Avenue and Centre
143 Station Street.
147 Granite Railway Yard.
151 Billings Road and Beach Street.
152 Corner Billings and Rawson Roads.
153 Farrington near Wol. Foundry.
154 Wollaston Ave. near Sailors' Home.
155 Warren Avenue, near Newton St.
161 Newport avenue opp. Foundry.
171 Whicher's factory, Union Street.
172 Corner Glencoe place and New Rd.
173 Newcomb Square, Quincy Avenue.
174 North, bet. South and Washington
175 Quincy Avenue, near Mrs. Baxter's.
221 Glendale road and Bedford Street.
223 Washington and Foster.
224 Corner Adams and Whitwell sts.
225 Field and Brackett street.
226 Dimmock and Upland road.
227 Hancock and Chestnut streets.
228 Edgemere Road and Putnam St.
242 (P) City Hospital.
272 Corner Washington and Pray Sts
273 (P) Baker Basin.
321 Intervale Street and Brook Avenue
324 Adams St., near Whitwell St.,
331 Franklin and School.
332 Federal and Independence aves.
412 Corner Willard and West Streets.
413 Buckley and Arthur
431 Rogers Street, off Hall place.
432 Willard and Furnace avenue.
435 Reardon and Barry Streets.
441 Smith Street, rear C. H. Hardwick's
442 Quarry Street, near Hitchcock's.
443 Corner Hayden and West Streets.
445 Corner Quarry and Common Streets.
446 Opposite Willard School, Copeland.
512 Grand View and South Central Ave.
513 Foot Beach Street.
515 Quincy Mansion School.
524 Berlin and Woodbine.
552 Brook and Granger.
553 Belmont and Warren avenue.
612 Hancock Street and Billings Road.
613 Hayward opp. Gear Works.
614 Glover avenue and Newbury avenue
615 Oak and Walnut.
617 Squantum and Huckins avenue.
712 Broadway and Commonwealth ave.
718 (P) Johnson's Lumber Yard.
721 South and Chubbuck.
722 Washington and Union.
723 South and Clairmont Avenue.
725 South and Winthrop park.

D—Duplicate. P—Private.

For brush and grass fire, send word by telephone or otherwise, to the nearest Fire station.

SIGNALS—Fire Department.

Ten (10) blows followed by Box number—Second alarm.
Twelve (12) blows, followed by Box number—General Alarm
Four (4) blows—Special call for Hose No. 1.
Two (2) blows—Recall.
Three (3) blows—Chief Engineer's call.
One (1) blow, 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.—Fire Alarm test.
2-2 three times—No school.
4-4-4—Military call.
Seven (7) blows—Electric Light Co to shut off current.
3-3-3—Police call.
Lost Child call. 5-5-5—then one round of the Box nearest to where the lost child lives.
Six (6) blows—Superintendent Water Works call.
Two (2) blows, 8.55 P. M.—Curfew Law.

132—Out of City Call, Braintree.
135— " " " Weymouth
158— " " " Milton.
165— " " " Boston.

SAYS LABOR IS NOT ON TRIAL

Judge Anderson Sums Up Evidence In Dynamite Case

IGNORES TESTIMONY OF BURNS

Evidence of Detective as to Conversation With Hockin Stricken Out—Jury Which Has Listened to Evidence Has Fate of Forty Union Officials In Their Hands

Indianapolis, Dec. 27.—Whatever is to be the outcome of the three months' "dynamite conspiracy" trial, in which forty labor union officials are accused of complicity in the McNamara plots to destroy property, including the wrecking of the Los Angeles Times building, where twenty-one persons were killed, now rests with the jury.

Federal Judge Anderson, a few minutes after 5 o'clock last night, instructed the jury and ordered them to retire. The court then adjourned until today.

All the verdicts, while separate as to each defendant, are to be returned at one time. That the jurors may require a long time was found in the court's instruction to "carefully weigh all the evidence in the case." It has required almost twelve weeks to introduce the evidence.

The defendants, who await the outcome, include Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, of which John J. McNamara, the confessed dynamiter, was once secretary; various board members of that union; Herbert S. Hockin, accused as an accomplice of Ortie E. McManigal, another confessed dynamiter; Olaf A. Tveitmoe, secretary of the California Building Trades council; Eugene A. Clancy, San Francisco, and J. E. Munsey, Salt Lake City, Utah. The three last named are charged with promoting the Los Angeles explosion.

These men are not charged under the federal laws with personally causing any explosion. They are charged with conspiracy to violate the federal laws and with aiding in an allegal transportation of dynamite and nitro glycerin on passenger trains.

After stating the substance of the various offenses charged and mentioning the nation-wide strike of the iron workers' union, which, the government charged, was the motive for a hundred explosions on the work of constructors who refused to recognize the union, Judge Anderson in his instructions said:

"It was not unlawful for the structural iron workers to organize the union to which they belong. It is not unlawful for the defendants to be members of that or any other labor organization. Men have the right to use their combined power through such organizations to advance their interests in any lawful way; but they have no right to use this power in the violation of the law. Organized labor is not on trial here, nor is the right of labor to organize in issue, but members of labor organizations owe the same obedience to the law and are liable to the same pnishment for its violations as persons who are not members of such organizations.

The defendants are not on trial for causing the various explosions and the consequent loss of life and property throughout the United States, shown by the evidence. They are on trial for the offenses charged in the indictments.

Of McManigal and Edward Clark, both of whom pleaded guilty and testified for the government, the court said their testimony "should be received with caution and scrutinized with care," and added:

"The witness, William J. Burns, while on the witness stand, detailed a conversation that he had with Hockin, in which he made statements to Hockin about Tveitmoe having been in prison and having a prison record. Such statements made by Burns are not to be considered by you in any way in determining the guilt or innocence of Tveitmoe as to the charges laid in this indictment."

The testimony of Burns about Tveitmoe, referred to by the court, was that Burns had numerous conversations with Hockin shortly after the Los Angeles Times explosion, and that Burns related to Hockin how he expected Tveitmoe would blow him up "because he (Burns) had obtained a photograph of Tveitmoe in the garb of a Minnesota penitentiary prisoner, and had published it in a San Francisco newspaper."

Quits Work and Dies at 109

Copper, Tex., Dec. 27.—Charles Cauley, born in Ireland and until two months ago actively engaged in farming, died at his home near here at the age of 109 years.

A Curious Word.

There is a word in the English language the first two letters of which signify the male, the first three a female, the first four a great man and the whole a great woman. The word is "heroine."—Ladies' Home Journal.

ALBERT B. ANDERSON

Federal Court Judge Who Is Presiding at Famous Trial



WON'T JOIN LABOR UNION

Hub Fire Fighters Reject Proposition by a Large Majority

Boston, Dec. 27.—By a vote of 390 to 245 the members of the Russell Fire club voted against affiliation with the American Federation of Labor. The majority of 145 in opposition to affiliating was a surprise to the members, as they thought the members were nearly evenly divided.

Many of the leaders of the organization said the A. F. of L. always has been friendly to the causes espoused by the firemen and will continue to be so, despite the seeming throw down that the Russell club gave the labor men.

EXPRESS CONCERNS WON'T LOWER RATES

Heads Say Parcels Post Will Fall of Its Own Weight

New York, Dec. 27.—The express companies will not meet the government competition that comes with the establishment of the parcels post on Jan. 1.

Contending that the law, admittedly imperfect, will fall of its own weight, the managers of all the big express companies have agreed to sit tight and make no concessions to the public. Instead they will point out and emphasize the defects in the law.

The heads of the express companies have agreed to do no talking for publication themselves, and they compel all subordinates to refrain from discussing the situation that will confront them next month.

Privately, however, several of the best known of the express officials declare they are certain the law will work out unsatisfactorily.

KELLOGG COMPANY SUED

Suit Brought by Federal Government Under the Sherman Law

Detroit, Dec. 27.—Clyde E. Webster, United States attorney for the eastern district of Michigan, has filed suit here against the Kellogg Toasted Corn Flake company of Battle Creek, and Will K. Kellogg, Wilfred C. Kellogg and Andrew Ross, officers of the company.

She suit is brought under section 4 of the Sherman anti-trust law and aims to prevent "unlawful restraints and monopolies" in the company's product.

The bill is filed at the instance of the department of justice.

TAFT ENJOYS VISIT

President on His Way Home From the Panama Canal Zone

Colon, Dec. 27.—The United States battleship Arkansas with President Taft aboard sailed from Colon last evening for Key West. Colonel Goethals, the chief engineer, boarded the battleship Delaware, which accompanied the Arkansas.

The warships are expected to reach Key West Sunday and the president is due in Washington Tuesday. President Taft expressed great pleasure at his visit to Panama, and said he would appoint the civil governor and subordinate officials on his return to Washington.

Mexican Rebels Defeated

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 27.—Three hundred and fifty rebels under General Salazar have been defeated by General Blanco and 450 volunteers at Jonas, in the Casas Grandes district.

A Picture Show Fan

London, Dec. 27.—Found by the police sleeping in a churchyard, a Scarborough boy said that he had sold his overcoat and boots to get money to go to picture shows.

Had Little Property In England

London, Dec. 27.—The property in England of Isidor Straus, who was drowned in the Titanic disaster, has been valued at $1070.

An Ingenuous Critic

By HARRY VAN AMBERG

At college my essays were always selected to be read before the class, and I was made editor of the university magazine. This led me to choose literature for my profession. I naturally looked to the author whose works were at that time considered the acme of literary method as my guide, and nothing less than the field he occupied would satisfy me. There must be no plot. Plots were for dime novels. There must be nothing demonstrative, for I and the school I proposed to enter considered that (in type) to be gush and fit only for those who cannot appreciate what is high bred. What I aimed at was delineation of character, proposing to take my heroes and heroines apart, examine them through a microscope and put them together again, stamping them with my own imprint, just as an eminent chemist will give a certificate for a brand of soap.

I had written several novels in this vein and had attracted the attention of the critics and persons of refined literary taste. Unfortunately I had no fortune, and I found it unprofitable to write for the few. But I would not lower my standard. As to my characters, they must needs be high bred persons, for I met no others. Not one of those I met in society would show any feeling, and I found myself depicting those who were moving about on life's stage, not as human beings, but as social automatons. Nevertheless the critics and my clientele stood by me, and I was pleased, though financially it didn't pay.

One day while traveling on a railroad train I noticed a young girl in the seat before me. She could not have been more than seventeen years old, was plainly dressed and appeared to be a model of simplicity. What was my astonishment to see her take from her satchel a copy of my last novel and begin to read it. I wondered how a person so low in the human scale could be interested in the philosophic deductions she would find in my work. I leaned forward and asked:

"Can you recommend the book you are reading?"

"I? Recommend it? It's everything to me."

"How is that?"

"I'm in the story."

"You!"

"Yes. I don't know how the author got hold of my case, but he did somehow or other. He's given it perfectly, only he gives a great many reasons for my doing things that I never had at all. I suppose he made them up. I skip them."

"Oh, you do? What causes you to think that the author gives your own story?"

"Why, it's as plain as day. There's Mrs. Jarvis. She's my stepmother. Papa does what he can for me to make her treat me nice. But she won't, and sometimes he looks so tired and worn when she snaps at me—just like Mr. Jarvis in the story—that I put my arms about him and kiss him and say, like Marjory in the book, 'Never mind me, papa, dear, so long as she don't scold you.'"

I was interested. Of all my stories this one was the most human. I had been told by my admirers that in it I had not done myself justice.

"Have you read any of the author's other novels?" I asked.

"I've tried to. After I read my own story in this one I got the books out of the library, one after another, but they were all Greek to me. I suppose I like this one because it is my own story."

"What else is there about you in the book?"

"Well, for one thing I know Edith Effingham. She's just like Edith in the book—a society girl—always going about with her nose in the air. She talks just such unintelligible things as Miss Effingham. She's never going to marry, she says, but devote herself to some high moral purpose—you know, the girl in the book is going to do that—but she can't find a purpose high enough for her, so she only talks about it with young men of a superior type. That's like Miss Effingham too."

"Who is your favorite author?" I asked the girl.

"Mr. Dickens."

I remembered that Mr. Dickens had not in all his books drawn the character of more than two or three persons in high life. I had reversed the order. I had not drawn but one character out of high life, the one this little girl had assumed to be herself. I wondered what would have become of my literary fame when my hundredth birthday would come round.

The train was approaching my station, and as I gathered my belongings I said to the admirer of my story:

"Thank you very much for telling me all about the book. I know the author intimately. I shall tell him all you've said about it, advise him in future to write about all kinds of persons, to leave out the parts you skipped and not to spend his time on the aspirations of such high bred girls as Miss Effingham. Heroines like you are far more satisfactory."

"Goodby, sir," she said as the train was slowing up. "Would you mind asking him how he got hold of my case and write me about it? My address is—oh, dear, I wish I had a pencil or something!"

Those were the last words I heard, for I left the car and the only critic to whom I have ever been indebted for criticism of any value.

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An Oriental Dainty.

Stuffed Figs.—These may be made by slitting the figs and stuffing the insides with fondant.

If you like nuts use instead of the fondant blanched almonds or pecans which have been chopped into small pieces. When the fig is filled with the chopped nut meats roll it in powdered sugar.

Figs stuffed with marshmallows are also delicious.

Apricot Knots.—Take some stiff apricot jam and turn it out on to a baking pan previously dusted with sugar. Sprinkle sugar over the jam and place it in a very slow oven to dry. When dry cut it into strips and twist these into true lovers' knots; then place them on trays and dry again in a slack oven. The trimmings can be made into balls and coated with fondant.

Luscious Sweetmeats.

Fruit Roll.—This delicious sweetmeat affords one a chance to use up the broken nuts and odds and ends of the sort that accumulate when other candy is being made. Chop the nuts and fruit into tiny bits. Roll out a piece of fondant until it is about half an inch thick. Put on the layer of nuts and fruit and roll as you would roll a jelly roll. Let stand until firm and then cut into slices.

Popular Fruits.

Glace Fruits.—Though so expensive and so attractive when sold in the confectioner's, they can be easily manufactured at home and will be liked by those who do not care for ordinary candies. Take two cupfuls of granulated sugar and one-half cupful of hot water. Boil the sugar and water slowly for twenty minutes without stirring. Then dip the point of a spoon into the sirup and into cold water. If a brittle thread is formed the sirup is done. Stand the saucepan containing the sirup in hot water and dip each piece of fruit separately; then drop on a cold dish. Take a long hatpin or knitting needle to dip fruit and do the dipping carefully, so as not to stir up the sirup. Use cherries, white grapes, English walnut meats, bits of pineapple and orange for this.

Anna Thompson.

ON TO WASHINGTON

Suffragists Plan March to Present Petition to Wilson

Hudson, N. Y., Dec. 27.—The suffragette army, now marching from New York to Albany for the cause, will march from New York to Washington next. The trip will be started early in February, in time to reach the national Capitol at the inauguration of President Wilson. "General" Rosalie Jones, leading the band of suffragettes here, so announced.

The marchers will carry a message from the National Association of Suffragists to President Wilson, urging him to enroll in the cause and to support it in a message to congress. How many women will be in line, where the message will be drafted, how many days the trip will require and who will lead the army are matters yet undetermined.

"SAVE YOUR PENNIES"

Rockefeller Gives a Teacher Advice Which Silences Her

Tarrytown, N. Y., Dec. 27.—John D. Rockefeller gave some good advice to a young woman school teacher as he was giving a party of them a sleigh ride over his estate, Pocantico Hills. During the ride the young woman said:

"Isn't it strange and wonderful, Mr. Rockefeller, that you should have all this big estate and three big houses to live in, while we teachers live in a little six by ten room down in a village flat?"

Rockefeller turned to the young woman and said: "Save your pennies."

The young woman had nothing more to say.

LAW NOT YET DONE WITH SLAYER HICKEY

Buffalo Prosecutor Is Seeking a New Trial

Buffalo, Dec. 27.—So great is the dissatisfaction among the people of this city and Lackawanna generally over the verdict of the jury that heard the case against J. F. Hickey, which held him guilty of murder of Joseph Josephs in the second degree, that District Attorney Dudley has resolved to do all in his power to see that Hickey is convicted yet of the premeditated murders of which he himself has said unhesitatingly he is guilty.

Hickey may yet be indicted and convicted and made to atone for the murder he admits committing in New York city, or the one of which he is accused in Lowell, Mass.

Dudley will secure in the form of affidavits parts of the confession obtained in connection with other crimes which Hickey says he has committed.

Dudley will forward the affidavits to New York county, where District Attorney Whitman is considering the advisability of puttting evidence before the grand jury to get other indictments against Hickey.

SHORTAGE IN COAL

Boston Dealers Say It Extends Throughout the Entire Country

Boston, Dec. 27.—Boston is facing the most serious coal shortage since the coal famine of 1902. With the output of the big coal fields showing a shortage of approximately 6,000,000 tons, New England has received, it is claimed, its proportion of the distribution, but no more.

Coal dealers say the shortage extends throughout the entire country, and they charge it is due to the coal strike last spring, during which no coal was mined for two months.

It is asserted the shortage is in anthracite coal. There appears to be enough bituminous coal for immediate supply.

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DITORIAL COMMENT.

e officials are gettting somewhat ved over those pardon matters. e Council fails to frame up very eavy by claiming only half of the redit or criticism of their recent act. here is no dividing the responsibility f those acts. All parties are qually to blame or credit and the ct is not a divided one. It is whole og or none.

It is reckoned that salaried base all players pull down, almost $3,000-00 a year. This does not include, tomobiles, diamond pins, floral orse shoes and other things cast efore them by an admiring and not holly wise public.

ow the movers are doing some-ing in the Sputs. That is an or-anization which should flourish. It s for the society to prevent useless in.

he Suffragettes plan to march on shington to deliver their message. y could save time and energy, by ing it through the mail, the par-s post being fortunately in opera-by that time.

he Express companies say the par-s post will not last as it cannot be f-supporting. Well even if it is not t of that. It will be only the ple spending their own money for selves rather than have the ex-ss company big men spending the dends for something which does ood to the great public.

t Indianapolis jury is carrying a weight on its shoulders.

Boston boys like their proto-of over 135 years ago, main-their coasting rights.

much encouragement in this weather for toboganning.

scalpers have a corner on the o reservations to welcome the ear in. They should be permit-o sit the event out in the solemn dour, which might teach them a e and at the same time indicate he proprietors and waiters, the om of giving something like fair ment to their regular patrons.

e Russell Club considered they e just as well treated by the city Boston as if they joined a labor on.

ongratulations to Admiral Dewey his 75th birthday. He followed a e which has kept him young look-g.

Not the least of President Wilson's ifficulties will be the satisfying of hat vast army of Massachusetts pa-iotic democrats, who really had so ttle to do with his carrying the Bay tate, when it comes to distributing he plums.

A well fitting and neat show, nicely olished adds to the dignity and ap-earance of any one.

Many mere males are going through few days of martyrdom, wearing the ecktie, which, mother, sister, sweet-eart, or wife handed out to them hristmas.

The streets run riot with slush and ain today.

Nothing very slow about China. hey have taken up baseball, wear nglish clothes, create big loans and ave already opened up a department tore.

WILL NOT LOWER RATES.

And now the big express compan-ies of the country claim they will not lower rates to meet the conditions which are bound to be created by the introduction of the parcels post. That may be as they will. It is up to them. They complacently claim that the law under which the parcels post is oper-ated is not equal to the case.

That is a matter very easily ar-ranged. A little practical working of the new system and the defects will be readily discovered and remedied.

The companies point out that the system cannot be operated at a profit. It will prove a big deficit producer in the post office department.

Now the post office has been behind millions for years. Is this the result of the tremendous volume of mail matter, sent out or received by the poor, common every day people, of whom we hear so much about election time? We hardly think. The big busi-ness houses, wealthy people and the like use the mail by far more than the common mould. With the parcel posts the common people will have a look in. They will have a chance of service at a reduced rate which they have long desired, and which has been pre-vented by the big delivery companies of the country.

The big insurance companies a few years ago, contended that they could not do business at rates much below those in operation. Yet they have made tremendous reductions, to meet the savings bank insurance and none of them have been heard to go out of business and their statements do not show any great loss in profits.

Now coming right down to the point of a postoffice deficit to meet the par-cels post innovation. What of it. The people of the country are paying for the maintenance of the government, the post office department and all of its vast machinery. It would be too bad indeed if they could not have a little parcels post matter for their united benefit.

No the parcels post will not go in a short time. It has come to stay. It may require as it will, more men, more cars, more horses, and increase in all departments including quarters. But it will remain. It is a service which the people demand. If money is lost in the enterprise, it is the peo-ple's own money that is being lost. Heretofore this loss, has been just the same to the people, only larger, but the deficit has gone into the express companies, in the form of big divi-dends to a few controllers, and was expended for the benefit of this little circle. The people supplied it. Now they will furnish employment to a great many more people. Another very desirable thing. So that the benefits will be far reaching. The express companies may ridicule the present law, but the system has come to stay and the law will be changed to meet conditions as they arise.

SCALPERS.

The Chicago scalpers have entered a new field. This time they have se-cured a corner on the seats in the ho-tels and cafes of the city where peo-ple gather to celebrate the departure of the old year and welcome in the new. The price they ask is about three times the usual charge. It is alleged that the headwaiters enabled the scalpers to get control of the tickets. That is gratitude. The public in this case will get robbed both ways. They get robbed by the scalpers and then again robbed by the waiters, by way of tips, to insure service. In any case, in com-binations of this kind the poor public stand good to be squeezed. It really seems a shame, but the situation and others like it, give rise to the belief, that the great mass of the public need the services of a well qualified guar-dian who will rise equal to such emer-gencies as here presented and guard the public from this open, bare faced robbery. There are some cafes in the country which when one stops to consider the prices asked, are nothing more than robber's caves with the waiters in the jolly good role of bri-gands demanding ransom. There is more need for the systematic organi-zation of the "Sputs," Society for the prevention of useless tipping than for the recently organized Spugs.

SONG FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE.

William Cullen Bryant.

Stay yet, my friends, a moment stay;
Stay for the good Old Year,
So long companion of our way,
Shakes hands and leaves us here.
Oh, stay, oh stay,
One little hour, and then away.

The Year whose hopes were high and strong,
Has now no hopes to wake;
Yet one hour more of jest and song
For his familiar sake,
Oh, stay, oh stay,
One mirthful hour, and then away.

The kindly Year, his liberal hands,
Have lavished all his store;
And shall we turn from where he stands
Because he gives no more?
Oh stay, oh stay,
One grateful hour, and then away.

Days lightly came and calmly went
While yet he was our guest;
How cheerfully the work was spent!
How sweet the seventh-day's rest!
Oh stay, oh stay,
One good hour more, and then away.

Dear friends were with us—some who sleep
Beneath the coffin lid;
What pleasant memories we keep
Of all they said and did!
Oh stay, oh stay,
One tender hour, and then away.

Even while we sing he smiles his last
And leaves our sphere behind—
The good Old Year is with the past;
Oh, be the New as kind!
Oh, stay, oh stay,
One parting strain, and then away.

FALL RIVER MAN TAKES A BRIDE

Christmas Wedding at the Home of William J. Lea

Miss Annie Lea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam J. Lea of 41 Broadway and Harry Hingham of Fall River were married at the home of the bride's parents on Christmas day by Rev. C. P. Marshall of the Church of the Pilgrimage of Plymouth and form-erly pastor of the Washington Street Congregational church.

The ceremony was attended only by the immediate relatives and friends of the family. A short reception fol-lowed, after which a Christmas dinner was served.

The bride has been employed as a clerk at the Thorp and Martin Co., Boston, and the groom is a weaver and lives at Fall River where they will re-side. Mr. and Mrs. Hingham were both born in England.

ITALIANS HOLD DANCING PARTY

Annual Affair at St. Mary's Hall Proved Enjoyable

The annual dance of the Italian Mu-tual Relief society was held at St. Mary's hall, Thursday evening, and an unusually large number of guests were present from Boston, Braintree, Dorcehster, Weymouth, Milford, N. H., and Barre Vt.

Dancing was enjoyed until early morn, and music was furnished by the orchestra of Carmine Mazzola. Re-freshments were served in the lower hall.

The committee consisted of Peter Josephine, Angelo Fontoni, Daniel DiBona, Carmine DiLucca, Frank DiBona, Alessio DiBona, Joseph Fon-toni, Ernest Ferrazzo, Leonardo Co-lombi, Joseph DiBona.

BATES FAMILY HELD REUNION

Albee Home at Wollaston Scene of the Festivities

The eighth annual reunion of the Charles F. Bates family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Albee, Highland avenue Christmas day. After the dinner was enjoyed, the eight grandchildren and all wel-comed the arrival of Santa Claus, who came on runners for the first time in years, and distributed the gifts at the Christmas tree. Present at the dinner were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bates, Miss M. Elizabeth Bates of Providence, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bates and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. Bates and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Albee, Elizabeth and Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll E. Bates, Dorothy and Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Gallagher, Carolyn and baby William, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester E. Tenney. Mr. Amos D. Al-bee and Miss Isabel Albee were pres-ent at the Christmas tree.

UNION SERVICE.

The Official Board of the Hall Place M. E. Church has voted to unite with the Wollaston M. E. church in holding special services for two weeks in January. The first week the ser-vices will be held at Wollaston, the second week they will be held at West Quincy. Interesting speakers will be present.

—French and German journals have information though meagre, about a newly discovered manuscript found not by Europeans but by Egyptians in a tomb, or possibly in the ruins of an ancient church. There has been con-siderable mystery regarding the dis-covery, but it seems to be agreed that the large papyrus scroll is inscribed with the larger part of the book of Deuteronomy and the book of Jonah, besides the entire book of Acts. Ac-cording to the opinion of those wise in such matters, the manuscript dates from the close of the second century or the beginning of the third, which would make it perhaps the oldest Bible manuscript yet found—Chris-tian Register.

CHURCH'S THREE ANNIVERSARIES

Hall Place Methodists to Celebrate Jan. 1

BANQUET A FEATURE

The Anniversary Committee of the Hall Place M. E. Church has decided to observe the 45th, 40th and 38th An-niversaries, Wednesday, Jan. 1st, from 6 to 10 o'clock.

It is the 45th anniversary of the organization of the Sunday school, the 40th anniversary of the forma-tion of the church and the first ser-mon preached under Methodist aus-pices and the 38th anniversary of the dedication of the church. These an-niversaries occur on different dates but as they cover a period of time it has been decided to celebrate them all on this date as it was on Jan. 1st, 1873 that the Sunday School, then under the control of the Congregation-al Church of Quincy, voted to go over to the Methodist Church.

The celebration will commence at 6 P. M. with a banquet. Only five of the former pastors of the church are living at the present time and have been invited to attend. Invitations have also been sent to all those who were connected with the Sunday School at that time. Several per-sons who were teachers in the Sun-day School at the time it was placed in the care of the Methodist church are still residents of Quincy and are expected to be present that night. The pastor of the Bethany Congrega-tional church has been invited as the Sunday school was under their charge.

The repairs on the church are not yet completed but as it would be im-possible to finish them before Jan. 1st the committee will strive to make it as attractive and pleasant as possible for all.

A pleasant, profitable and enjoyable evening is expected.

About one half of the membership of the Hall Place M. E. Sunday school were present at the annual Christmas tree celebration Tuesday evening. Santa Claus was present and distri-buted gifts to all.

Robert Newcomb was presented with a purse of money as an expres-sion of thanks for the many hours of faithful work he has put in on the church.

The Ladies Aid presented the pas-tor with a fountain pen and ink eraser.

Paul Martin acted as Santa Claus.

Three dozen chairs were received as a Christmas present from manufact-uring friends of the Pastor at a for-mer pastorate. One dozen of these chairs were presented to the Choir, each chair bearing the name of the member of the Choir to whom the chair belongs so long as they shall remain a member. The other two dozen are for the Primary department.

All members not present at the Christmas tree may secure their presents by calling at the Parsonage or they will be given out in Sunday School, Sunday.

YOUNG PEOPLE MAKE MERRY

With Whist Drive and Music at Home of Claude Brown

A party of about 40 young people, English and Scotch held a very enjoy-able time Christmas night, at the home of Claude Brown, Cotton avenue, East Braintree. To begin the pro-gramme there was a short whist drive the remainder of the evening was oc-cupied with games, singing and danc-ing.

R. W. Parnaby carried off the gen-tleman's prize, H. Sudvon taking the Booby in good manner. Miss M. Pe-derson winning ladies' prize. Among those present were: Mr. Mullinger, H. Sudvon, Jack Collins, T. Woods, W. Shaws, William Jackson, J. Reed, A. Christopher, Elwin Arnold, Claude and Campbell Brown, Ernest Sterling, Fred Pringle, R. W. Parnaby and B. Parnaby. Misses Arnold, Greenhalgh, Pederson, Knight, Collins, Guthrie, Atkinson and others. Miss Arnold was assisted at the piano by R. W. Parnaby. Everyone agreed that it was a very enjoyable evening.

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TALK ON IMMIGRATION

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tice. The question that arises first is what will become of our country if this continues. I will say that if our theories are correct, the United States would reach in four generations or more exactly speaking 134 years, the density of China and we would have more than 100,000,000 immigrants. What that means no one can imagine, but don't be afraid we are not going to receive 1,000,000 per year in the future, particularly if this new bill now before Congress, which will go into the hands of the President for signature very soon, passes, we will have a smaller number of immigrants than now but the fact remains that we are getting them at present. Now why are all these immigrants coming to America is a question that would interest us. You remember in the years past that the United States was a refuge for the oppressed. We held our doors open for anybody who wish-ed to come. Even George Washing-ton the father of this country said, 'We can not get too many immigrants who are skilled in trade and have some profession,' but times have changed since then considerably.

"There are the farmers in the West who want the help and they claim they can not get too many. As Theodore Roosevelt said: 'We can not get too many good immigrants but we can not afford to get a single bad one and that's the whole story in a nut shell. The state of Texas alone would ac-commodate all the inhabitants of Ger-many and perhaps some of the other countries in Europe added but the trouble is that the people who come to the United States today are not will-ing to go where they are needed and wanted. Most of the immigrants who come here now settle in either of four cities, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore or Boston, and these cities are getting more than they can stand. I would define the issue clearly in one word:

"Any person who is brought up from a baby to the age of 21, in other words to the age when that man is able to serve in an army, costs the state $100.00 in education, clothing and other items each year. In other words when that boy is 21 years of age, he is worth in cold cash $2,000.00 If an immigrant is healthy and strong and comes here of his own free will and is able to do a good days work for a good days pay, then it can be said that he is worth $2000.00 to the United States. Of course, it is al-ways understood that he pays his own passage and that he has money until he finds work.

"In 1882 Uncle Sam realized that there were so many people coming in that he put a man at the gate. This man who was to watch and see who should come in or should not come in-to the United States was the Immigra-tion Service.

"There is one question that pre-sents itself and that is, why are all these immigrants coming here at the present time? You understand that up to 1882 most of the immigrants were from England and particularly from the British Isles or from the northern part of Europe, Scandinavia, Germany, Denmark and from coun-tries akin to us for as we see in his-tory to Massachusetts came the Eng-lish, to New York came the Dutch, to Deleware came the Swedes, to Vir-ginia came the Cavaliers, to Florida came the Spaniards to Louisiana came the French and all their blood flows in our veins and it is the work which they have done which has created this country the greatest country on earth.

"Now what is it that brings so many of the races here today different from those? Why is it that we are getting now Turks, Armenians, Syrians, Italians, Russians, Slavacs, Bohemi-ans and all other Asiatic races and Balkans of which you perhaps never heard before until the recent Balkan War. The reason for this is that we have five different agents in the field. They are not paid by Uncle Sam but they labor untiring. These agents are first:

"The mechanic who coming from Europe has established himself and made a little money and then goes back home and spends in two weeks sometimes what took him months and maybe years of hard labor to ac-cumulate and gives the impression that this is a land of wealth and promise.

"The second is the American mil-lionaire. Now I don't know who is more at fault, the mechanic who spends his money that he has well earned or the millionaire who spends his that he has not earned by labor, and spends it more freely. It is an open question as to whom is the great-est offender. As a matter of fact there are $300,000,000 sent or taken by the working men from here. With this money they are building up whole villages in places that have been entirely desolate and have never had a chance to get ahead before and they have grown up with this capital and this is certainly a very sad state of affairs and I certainly hope the new law will stop this.

"The steamship companies have sub-agents all over the continent and these agents for $2. will influence a peasant to come over with stories of this country and then they come over and are stranded and don't like it and one reason why the steamship com-panies are doing such a business is that they get them both ways. They drop them into America and then drop them back into Europe. The steam-ship trust is the greatest trust in the world and the reason for this that the steamships take human freight, the most valuable freight in the world, because it walks on at Liverpool and it walks off at Boston and it does not cost anything to load or unload. The last of these is the rela-tive of the immigrant. All the people that I have ever seen give in their let-ter very glowing accounts and the people reading these letters of course think that they must come and find out.

AN UNEXPECTED GUEST.

John would have liked to go hunt-ing with the older boys after school. The school was out earlier on Tues-days and the snow was just right to track the rabbits. But John was on the program at the L. T. L. meeting and so, with a disappointed air, he gave up the hunting trip and attend-ed the meeting.

He was walking home with his sis-ter Bessie and her best friend Alice, when Bessie said: "Let's all go in and see why Cousin Lola wasn't at school today."

They found Lola among the pillows on the couch in the cozy sitting room for she had been sick all day.

How glad she was to hear the voices of her schoolmates, for she had had a lonesome day, and she told them she would rather stay at home from school any other day than L. T. L. day.

"Tell me about the meeting. What did you do, and who gave the talk, and who spoke pieces? Tell me everything," said Lola.

"Well, for one thing, we each brought home a pledge and we are to see if we can't get some one to sign it, and I brought one for you, Lola," said Bessie.

"And I shall bake a cake for the first one who gets a signer," said Lola's mother.

"I'll tell you. Let's play Legion," said Alice. "I'll start the songs, and John, you speak your piece, and Bes-sie, you tell us what Miss Stuart said today, and we'll give Lola the whole meeting."

They were singing "Where There's Drink There's Danger," when a knock was heard at the door. When Lola's mother opened the door a poorly clad man asked for something to eat. She set him a lunch on the kitchen table, but he could hear the program from where he sat.

"I know I was not invited to this little meeting, but won't you let me tell you a story?" said the stranger.

"Oh, yes, yes, do!" shouted the chil-dren.

Then he told them a story of his own boyhood and closed by saying: "So you see it was my first glass of drink that brought me to the place where I had to beg for a bite to eat. My wife and children are at home now and don't know where I am. Hand me that pledge, boy, and I will sign it. My children have as good a right to be happy as you have, and, God helping me, they will be." He sign-ed the pledge and with tears in his eyes he left the house.

"How glad I am I gave up the hunting trip," said John.

"Yes, and you've won the cake." said Alice.—Edna G. Young.

Resigned.

"Mrs. Dibble wears a resigned look."

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DOINGS ON THE STAGE IN

BOSTON AND VICINITY

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE.

The only new operas to be added to the current repertory during the week of Dec. 30 have been reserved for the closing performance of the week,—that to be given at popular prices Saturday evening,—when the ever popular double bill, "Cavalleria Rusticana" followed by "I Pagliacci" will be sung. Excellent casts will be assembled for both operas, for in the Mascagri work Elizabeth Amsden will be the Santuzza, Dorothy Wilson, the Lola; Bertha Heyman the Mamma Lucia, Rodolfe Fornari the Alfio and Raoul Romito, the young Neapolitan tenor whose concert debut was so sensationally successful last season, will appear for the first time in opera as Turiddu. In "Pagliacci" Miss Barnes will sing Nedda and Mm. Gaudenzi, Blanchart and Everett will appear respectively as Canio, Tonio and Silvio. Mr. Moranzoni will direct the entire performance. Monday evening is promised a repetition of the delightful "Haensel und Gretel" and the first act from "Coppelia." The title roles in the joyous Humperdinck opera will be assumed by Mme. Swartz and Miss Fisher.

New Year's night "Aida" will be sung for the second time with Miss Amsden as Aida and Mme. Gay and M. Zenatello in the roles familiar to them,—Ameris and Radames.

Friday evening will mark Mme. Tetrazzini's third appearance and her first repetition in "Lucia." The old opera takes on new life when this famous coloratura sings it, for she imparts new values dramatically as well as vocally.

BOSTON THEATRE.

Eddie Foy starts on his last week at the Boston Theatre in his musical comedy offering "Over the River" which is undoubtedly one of the biggest and most pretentious musical offerings of the year. "Over the River" derives its title from the fact that convicts sent to the penitentiary in New York are said to be doing time "over the river." Mr. Foy plays the role of Madison Parke, a wealthy man about town who has had an escapade and is sent to the House of Correction for thirty days. His wife, unable to understand his absence, goes in for charity work and one day with other



EDDIE FOY
In "Over the River."

friends arrives at the penitentiary How her husband escapes detection, and afterwards explains his absence furnishes the rich comedy material for three acts.

The funniest scene is the one showing the interior of the prison with Eddie Foy doing the lock-step. His red hair has been clipped close and a suit of prison stripes envelop his heroic figure. An unthinking man may wonder what becomes of the chorus and ballot during this act, but have no fear. The musical comedy author always finds a way. Beautiful Salvation Army lassies who can sing and dance bring flowers to cheer up the prisoners, and there you are. Eddie Foy in stripes with is mournful prisen face turned into smiles as the little girls decorate him with flowers and kisses, forms a picture to convulse any audience with laughter.

The music is of the lasting jingle and a "I-want-to-be-remembered" touch, particularly so being "Ring Ting A Ling," "Raggety Man," "When There Is No Light At All," "Mexico" "New York Isn't Such A Bad Old Town" and "Chop Stick Rag."

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

"Jack" Mason, has again conquered the Boston theatregoing public and his return to the Hollis Street Theatre with his new play "The Attack" awakened a demonstrative response from his legion of admirers. Boston has surrendered to "The Attack" as unconditionally as New York did. The play is probably the most powerful drama in which John Mason has ever appeared. Any play from the pen of Henri Bernstein, one of the foremost dramatics of France is sure to command attention, if only for the hope that once again Bernstein may turn out as splendid and human a drama as "The Thief." It is not too much to say that "The Attack" equals if not surpasses Bernstein's previous great success.

But it was "Jack" Mason that Bostonians wanted to acclaim, when they crowded the Hollis Street Theatre on Mr. Mason's opening night. Large audiences, representative of fashion and culture have thronged the Hollis on every subsequent night, and it is a source of regret that his engagement cannot be prolonged beyond the time set for it and the farewell performance of his present visit must therefore take place on Saturday, January 4th.

M. Mason appears in the character of a man of fame and wealth, a widower of fifty-three, one of the leaders of political France. He is so eminent that envy seeks to pull him down. A scandal-mongering sheet accuses him of having stolen money when a youth. He is compelled to sue the author of the report for libel. He wins his suit. But the story was true, and he confesses this to the young girl who has given him her love. He puts himself on trial before the judgment of this young and trusting creature whose faith in him is perfect, and for whom he has reverence as for a holy being.

Although Mr. Mason carries the burden of the play on his staunch shoulders, he has the artistic co-operation of a very fine company. The young Swedish actress, Martha Hedman, a discovery of Charles Frohman's is one of the most charming and beautiful ingenues seen here this season. Matinees on New Year's day and Saturday.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE.

For the first week of the New Year at B. F. Keith's Theatre, a surpassing array of brilliant star attractions has been engaged. Joe Welch, perhaps the most famous Hebrew comedian on the American stage, and without question one of the greatest delineators of the Hebrew character that ever trod the boards, will appear in his latest act, "A Study From Real Life." Mr. Welch does not burlesque the Hebrew, he rather depicts him just as one meets him on the street, and his impersonation is a vivid and realistic picture. Mr. Welch comes to B. F. Keith's Theatre with a brand-new fund of experience, and all who visit Keith's next week may rest assured the week will be Homer Lind, former the week will be Homer Lind, former baritone of the Metropolitan and Henry W. Savage Opera Company, who will appear in a musical playlet in three scenes "The Opera Singer." This comedy deals with life behind the scenes, and Mr. Lind appears as a broken down operatic singer who has been obliged to play the cheaper theatres to eke out a precarious living. He is supported by a capable company. Ralph Smalley, America's greatest cellist, formerly of the Boston Symphony orchestra, will return after a long absence, and other big features will be Kluting's Animal Entertainers, a wonderful troupe of dogs, cats, rabbits and pigeons; Wood and Wide, two newcomers with something good; Caron and Herbert, comedy acrobats; Warren and Conley in a dainty vaudeville mixture; Lena Pantzer, queen of the wire, and many others.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

The expected has happened, and "The Gingerbread Man" has made a hit at the Castle Square. Its second week begins on Monday, and the coming week will be crowded as was the past week. The school children have been having the time of their lives, it being vacation, and the matinee performances especially have been crowded with them. They have heartily applauded and laughed over their favorite Mother Goose personages as they are seen on the stage, and the glimpses of fairy land disclosed by the beautiful scenery has been the cause of no end of delight.

There are novelties to "The Gingerbread Man" in plenty. In addition to the play itself and its music, there are two interpolated scenes that are causing an immense amount of laughter. The first is called "Preparing Madame X for the Axe," and its humor will be appreciated by all who saw Mr. Craig's production of "Madame X" a few weeks ago. Mabel Colcord appears in a burlesque interpretation of Madame X, and she is assisted by Henrietta McDannel, Sylvia Bladen and George Trader. Following this scene "Othello up to Date," with Mr. Meek as the Moor, and Al Roberts as Mrs. Othello.

Next week there will be an added feature in the appearance of Miss Virginia Tanner in her famous Egyptian dances. Mr. Meek is making a hit in the title role, and with Mary Young as Jack Horner, Florence Shirley as Margery Daw, Laurett Browne as Mazie Bon Bon, Walter Walker as Santa Claus Carney Christie as Simon Simple and Wilson Melrose, the cast is one of the best ever given a holiday production at the Castle Square.

BUFFALO JONES.

After an absence of a year from Boston, Buffalo Jones returns Monday, appearing at Tremont Temple, Boston every afternoon and evening for the entire week. He has had a long and wide experience as a hunter and tamer of wild animals, and as keeper of Yellowstone Park, he has had the charge and care of almost every variety of beast known on the American continent. Col. Jones is not a slayer of animals; he teaches kindliness in their treatment, and in the course of his lecture at Tremont Temple he will give many anecdotes of his experiences both among the Rocky Mountains and in Africa. During his expeditions he has had taken many wonderful motion pictures and these will be displayed and used to illustrate the principal points of his lecture, which will be given at 2.30 in the afternoon and 8.15 in the evening.

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RUSSO ACTIVE IN COURT CIRCLES

Charged With Assaulting His Wife Today

FAILED TO GET BAIL

Michael Russo was arraigned on two complaints before Judge Pratt in the district court this morning. One complaint charged him with assaulting his wife Rosa and the second was for threatening assault. Russo has figured in several court cases, one for non-support, and the last case was for selling leased property for which a fine of $50 was imposed. He was given time to pay up but has failed to do so. The chances are therefore, that when the cases come up Saturday morning the old cases will also be brought up. He was committed this morning in default of $500 bonds.

CLUB TO ATTEND SHOW IN A BODY

Granite City Members Will Be the Guests of Col. Kincaide

The centre of the auditorium of the new Kincaide theatre will be occupied by the members of the Granite City club tonight, as the club has accepted Col. Kincaide's invitation to be his guests. The members are looking forward to a pleasant evening. The club is fast reaching its membership limit and it is expected that the limit will be reached at the January meeting. The club now has 117 members and on the bulletin board are posted the names of several business men which will be acted upon at the next meeting. As the membership limit is 125 it probably will be reached at the January meeting.

HICKEY MAY GO TO THE CHAIR

Belief that Whitman Will Take Up New York Case

AND REINDICT THE MAN

Buffalo, Dec. 25.—That J. Frank Hickey, formerly of Quincy, self-confessed murdered of boys, may not yet escape the electric chair became evident here when District Attorney Dudley called into his presence the newspaper men to whom Hickey is said to have made a confession of other murders than the one of the Josephs boy, for which he was found guilty of murder in the second degree and sent to Auburn prison for 20 years.

The district attorney had the newspaper men make affidavits of the confessions that they said Hickey made to them while he was being taken to Auburn prison, and he also had the deputy sheriffs who say they heard the confessions, made in a bragging manner, make similar affidavits.

The affidavits, so Mr. Dudley announced, will be sent to District Attorney Whitman of New York in order that he may reindict Hickey and so that Hickey yet may be found guilty of first degree murder in connection with the killing of a boy in that city.

MERRY MASKERS HIDE IDENTITY

Until the Hour of Revelation Arrived

A highly successful masquerade party was conducted at Faxon hall Thursday evening by Court John Ericson, Foresters of America. There was a large attendance of Swedish speaking people.

The cistumes were many and varied.

The first lady's prize went to "The Princess," Mrs. G. Hermanson, Gust. Brunstrom as a "Comical Lady" secured the first gentlemen's prize. Mrs. A. Glandt as an "Indian," was given the second lady's prize, and Sven Johnson as "Augustus Mutt," took the second gent's prize.

The grand march was led by tax collector, Oscar Sandberg, Miss Hannah Sandberg and over 160 couples followed. Dancing was enjoyed, music being furnished by Wilson's orchestra. Refreshments were served in the annex.

The affair was in charge of Axel Glandt, Swan Cedarstrom, S. Johnson, Conrad Swenson, Algot Ekblom, Thure Carlstrom.

McDONNELL WILL RECOVER

It Will Be Some Time Before His Hands Heal

It was stated at the City Hospital this morning that James McDonnell, who was severely burned by the fire in the rear of the old aluminum factory on Granite street Christmas morning was comfortable and doing as well as could be expected. Unless something new sets in he will be able to be out in a few days although it will be some time before his hands are entirely healed so that he can use them again.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

A Christmas tree observance was held by the East Milton Congregational church, Thursday evening and was well attended. Games were played and refreshments were served during the evening. Pretty pins were given the girls and stick pins and cuff links were given the boys by Santa Claus. The affair was in charge of Supt. Marr of the Sunday School, assisted by the teachers.

Rev. G. H. Woodsum of the Baptist church directed the Christmas tree which was held at the church Thursday evening. A large attendance of Sunday School pupils enlivened the occasion. Refreshments were served and gifts presented to the pupils.

The East Milton patrons of steam and trolley service were seriously inconvenienced by the storm of Tuesday. Belated passengers reached their homes in the wee hours of the morn and the section had a disagreeable appearance. Considerable adverse comment has been made since then regarding the poor service of steam and trolley service. It is thought that a committee will immediately commence to air what has been long known as perpetual grievances, and that an effort will be made to secure additional train service, extended railroad tracks down Granite avenue and other needed railroad connections.

Commencing Jan. 9, a whist, checker, pool tournament will be held by the Thursday Evening club at their rooms in the Ellsworth block. Suitable prizes will be awarded and a finely finished pool cue will be given the man who makes the best showing in pool. An admission fee will be charged and entries must be made with George Arnold on or before Jan. 2.

The basket ball team of the Cunningham gym has been going the limit in the game and are planning to play at Portland on Washington's birthday. It is thought that they will play the Portland A. C. and the Westville Seminary before they return.

William Hyslop who has been ill at his home on Squantum street for many months and is now doing well. He is a member of the Mt. Wollaston Lodge and Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F.

Christmas Eve the members of the Mission of Our Saviour joined the mother church, St. Michael's at Milton, in a celebration consisting of a Christmas tree for the children and a concert and entertainment for the older folks. There was a large attendance.

The topic of conversation during the past week at East Milton has been the selection of Rev. Theodore Irving Reece, a former pastor, as Coadjutor Bishop's team are close seconds. of the Trinity Episcopal church of Columbus, Ohio, and in East Milton made friends in all denominations.

A match that will stimulate new interest in Cunningham gym bowling circles is scheduled for Tuesday evening when the Clark team rolls the Bishop team. Clark's boys have made the best record to date having secured 26 out of a possible 28 points. Bishop's team are? close seconds. Paolucci, Clark and Bishop are tied for high single string at 123 and it is thought that during the match between the contenders that some of the three will reach a higher score and cop the prize which will be awarded at the end of the season.

Boston Young Men's Christian Association gave an exhibition of gymnastics at the gym last Friday evening. The work was of a high grade. An event of interest is the annual gymnastic exhibition which will be given at the gym on Jan. 11 by the Boston Y. M. C. A. team.

Jan. 17th the annual dance of the Walter Baker base ball team will take place at the Town hall. Minton's orchestra has been secured for the occasion and a merry party will no doubt be held. The affair is of interest to many Milton and Dorchester residents who follow closely the showing of the team on the diamond.

Dr. A. O. Paolucci, the popular East Milton dentist is the recipient of a handsome celluloid rattle which was delivered Christmas morning. He says the cuiprit is still at large.

Walter F. Maguire, well known in interscholastic athletic circles and a prominent member of Cunningham gym did not accept the offer made him by the Lynn Y. M. C. A. whereby he would be made athletic instructor of the boys department.

A Gentle Hint.

"I'm hungry," said the out of a job tragedian.

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In the state insurance of Wisconsin the cost is $31.07.

The Wisconsin premiums, however, are calculated on a three per cent reserve basis, while the rates prepared by the State Actuary of Massachusetts for use of the Insurance Departments of the Savings Banks, are on a three and one-half per cent reserve basis.

It will be interesting to see whether Wisconsin under a scheme of state insurance can do better than Massachusetts under savings bank life insurance.

LEAVES $500,000 ESTATE

Suit Case Containing $90,000 In Bills Among Effects of Woman Recluse

Winsted, Conn., Dec. 27.—In searching the effects of Mrs. Emeline G. Mills, who died at her home here last Saturday, aged 94, a suit case containing a large sum of money in bank bills was found. It is said that the value of the money found is about $90,000.

Mrs. Mills lived the life of a recluse, and although she was commonly reputed as wealthy, she denied the fact. Her will has just been probated and the estate was valued at more than $500,000.

She was the widow of Daniel H. Mills, who died a number of years ago, after making considerable money in Wall street.

SUCCESSOR TO LOEB

Gossip Has It That Edwards Will Be New York Port Collector

New York, Dec. 27.—Collector William Loeb, Jr., having confirmed the report that he will give up his position as head of the customs service of the port of New York, gossip is busy with his probable successor. Everywhere it is reported that William Edwards, New York's street commissioner, will get the job. He is a close friend of President-elect Wilson and did yeoman service for him in the last campaign.

Collector Loeb says he will take up his new duties with the Guggenheims not later than March 4, and probably sooner.

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TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.19
Length of day	9.06
Moon sets	3.45
High water, A. M.	2.00
High water, P. M.	2.30

Days increase 0 hours 2 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 2.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	39 degrees
Dec. 27 1911,	44 degrees
Dec. 27, 1910,	32 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

Miss F. B. Doane of Worcester is spending the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. T. C. Martin of Hall Place.

Paul Martin, a Junior at Wesleyan is spending the holidays with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. C. Martin of Hall Place.

Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin A. Willmott of Presidents hill entertained a house party at their camp at Townsend, Mass., over Christmas.

Mr. William Troup of Princeton, N. J., formerly of this city, is spending Christmas week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Troup of Plymouth street, South Quincy.

AT ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S.

Christmas was observed at St. Chrysostom's church with the usual special and impressive services at 7 A. M., the rector Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra celebrated Holy Eucharist. At 10 o'clock there was morning prayer, Holy Communion and sermon filled with Christmas spirit. The mixed vested choir rendered an inspiring musical program with Mrs. George B. Curren, organist. The church was elaborately decorated with ropes of laurel evergreen and wreaths, not only the sanctuary but the entire body of the church was effectively and appropriately decorated.

On the altar were two large brass vases with calla lilies on either side of the crucifix and with the white embroidered hangings always symbolic of the Christmas season and this great festival presented a beautiful appearance.

The annual Chritmas tree and festival was held Saturday evening at 6 o'clock for the Sunday school. The scholars brought their Advent Mite boxes, their Christmas gift to the Parish house fund. After the tree a Merry Christmas party was given them in the parish rooms with a good time for every one.



—The nation's signal corps wants $3,000,000 for aeroplanes. Yet it was only the other day that there was printed a story from Washington that army officers no longer cared to be assigned to aeroplane service because of the inordinate dangers connected with the work.

OVER 40 YEARS AN INSTRUCTOR

William Briggs Passed Away After Long Useful Life

William Briggs died at his home 93 Appleton street, Atlantic, Dec. 21, after a brief illness of pneumonia in his 75th year. He had a large family and leaves a wife, Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Briggs, three daughters, Mrs. Frank Arthur Emery, Miss Beatrice M. Briggs, a teacher in the public schools of Milton, Miss A. Maud Briggs a teacher in Boston and two sons, George H. Briggs and Archie Briggs of the Quincy High school of 1897.

The funeral services were held from the residence of his daughter Mrs. Frank Arthur Emery, 131 Billings street, Atlantic, Monday at 2 o'clock, Dec. 23., Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector of the Episcopal church, Wollaston officiating.

The musical selections which were very feelingly rendered, by Mrs. Mary Hastings Slade of Quincy were "Abide with Me," "Lead Kindly Light," "Face to Face."

The body was taken to Cedar Grove Cemetery for burial.

Mr. Briggs was born in 1837 at Wyke, Yorkshire, England. He married in Leeds, England, Miss Ann Elizabeth Meek, a sister of William Todd Meek, Manager and second tenor of the famous Ruggles street church male quartette of Boston.

Commencing in 1858, and after a career of 14 years as schoolmaster in Wyke and Leeds, England he came to America in 1872 and was immediately appointed a teacher in the Massachusetts Normal Art School, when it was first organized by Prof. Walter Smith, principal of the school and art director of Massachusetts.

This was the beginning of Art and Industrial Education in America.

Following a period of 11 years in this work, he went in 1883 to Fitchburg Public Schools, where as teacher of art, drawing and manual training, he made an enviable reputation as teacher for 26 years, when he retired in 1909 at the age of 72 years.

The Class of 1909 Fitchburg High School, dedicated to Mr. Briggs its Class book as a token of esteem, giving on one page a fine large portrait of Mr. Briggs, with the following testimony:

"To our esteemed friend and teacher, Mr. William Briggs, who for 26 years has been a faithful and efficient teacher in the schools of Fitchburg, and whose ideal in his chosen profession have been of the highest. We, the class of 1909 dedicate this book."

Mr. Briggs was superintendent of the Boston Normal Art school and with Walter Smith, organized that institution. He compiled a drawing book, creating many designs, which he put together and were published by the Prang company and used for many years all over the country in the public schools.

GETS A PROMOTION.

Wallace P. Mercer, who has many friends here, having been superintendent of the Braintree electric light department, and who has been general manager of the Delphos and Van Wert Ohio, electric light plants for the past two years, has been given a nice promotion and will in the future have general supervision over a number of plants in different states.

The capitalists who own the Delphos and Van Wert plants have control of more than twenty electric plants in the United States. They own the plant at Urbana, Ohio, and have the management of those at Dunkirk, Forest, Upper Sandusky and Kenton. They have purchased four plants between Philadelphia, Pa., and Salem, New Jersey, and Mr. Mercer will have charge of the work of building up these institutions. While considerable time will be taken up in his new field of labor, he will continue to visit the Delphos and Van Wert plants and will still be general manager of the same. In his new position he will take over a part of the work of E. W. Lothrope, president of the company. He will enter upon his new duties on January 1st.

Clarence Bellharz will continue as superintendent of the Delphos plant, and Fred Wise will be superintendent of the Van Wert plant.

Sensitive Man a Suicide

New York, Dec. 27.—Worrying over the first complaint against him, John Kelly, a letter carrier for twenty-five years, committed suicide.

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CHILDREN MADE HAPPY.

The Christmas entertainment of the Park and Downs Congregational Sunday school was held, Thursday evening, and proved a source of enjoyment for a large number of children. Rev. Dr. Hawkins delivered a most interesting stereopticon lecture on nature subjects. Dr. Hawkins hunts wild animals with the camera and the many pictures of the denizens of the forest in their native haunts were of high interest.

Moose, bear and other animals were shown in wild surroundings and the pictures of the beavers at work were novel.

Following the lecture the children had a good time in the vestry. Here they found a reproduction of an old fashioned fire place with its old plates candles and other accessories on the mantel. Artemus Dingwell as Santa Claus made each child happy with a stocking filled with candy.

In the afternoon the children of the infant department were entertained by their teacher, Mrs. J. A. Boone. John Dingwell was the Santa Claus.

Through the kindness of Mrs. Boone, the youngsters sat down to a dainty supper in order that they might not have to go home before the nature talk.

SMALL FRUIT GROWERS.

Our readers who are in any way interested in the growing of small fruits and berries should send for Bulletin, No. 4, of the State Board of Agriculture, entitled "Small Fruits and Berries." Applications should be addressed to J. Lewis Ellsworth, 136 State House, Boston, Mass. The second edition of this publication has just come from the press and it is a very valuable treatise on the subject, consisting of 157 pages, including an index and bibliography of other available literature relative to the subjects treated in the bulletin.

The Bulletin contains articles by practical growers on the following topics:—"Fruits for Local Markets;" "Fruits for the Home Garden, Varieties and Culture;" "Peach Culture;" "Plum Culture in Massachusetts;" "The Culture of the Pear;" "Quince Culture;" "Grape Culture;" "Bush-Fruits;" "Strawberry Culture;" and "Cranberry Culture." The bibliography is a new feature in the bulletins of the Board of Agriculture and is a very valuable one, as it gives a list of available reliable literature on the various subjects dealt with in the bulletin, both for free distribution and for sale.

The growing of each crop is taken up in detail and methods of setting out, subsequent culture, and fertilization are fully dealt with. Spraying for insect pests and fungous diseases is also fully discussed in each instance and methods of harvesting and marketing receive their full share of attention. It will be readily seen, therefore, that no one who is actively engaged in growing the crops which are treated in this bulletin should be without a copy.

A GOOD RECORD.

Spokane, Wash., —After a year's trial of the motto "good teeth, good health," pupils of the Bryant school in Spokane report a score nearly perfect, the principal's records showing that 97 per cent of the children use the tooth brush regularly. This is supplemented by reports from a board of physicians that there is now no indication of disease or ill health among the pupils. The plan was inaugurated by the principal, Miss Florence Kent, who secured pledges that the pupils would use the tooth brushes daily. Each child was then equipped with a tube of tooth paste, a brush and a card containing the motto "good teeth, good health." Miss Kent says the pupils now need no urging in the care of their teeth.

LARGE PARK.

One-hundred and ninety-four acres of land within two miles of the business heart, including the canyon which for generations has been the tribal home of the Spokane Indians, has been donated to the city of Spokane, Washington and will be devoted to park purposes. Only a few Indians now have their tepees in the historic beauty spot near the falls of the Spokane, and it is believed these will be permitted to remain undisturbed, giving visitors an opportunity to view some of the survivors of a once great tribe. The land now is worth probably a half million dollars, but is more valuable for parks and boulevards than for anything else. It lies high above and within easy view of the river. From the business district paths and a boulevard skirting the river will place the new parks within easy walking distance, while automobiles will be able to make the trip in five minutes.

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A Newspaper Enterprise

By LOUISE B. CUMMINGS

When the present czar of Russia was crowned, Elizabeth Moran, a young woman who had entered the profession of journalism, was sent to Russia to report the coronation ceremony. Arriving in Moscow, she discovered that no one was allowed within the church where it was to take place. The journal she represented had obtained for her from the Russian embassy at Washington a few letters to officials in Moscow who might help her. One of these was Dimitri Svensky, a young man of very prepossessing appearance, who the moment he saw Miss Moran proceeded to fall in love with her.

Svensky had authority to grant passes into the church, but only to certain persons connected with the foreign legations. He told the young woman that it was possible for him to secure her an admission, but, considering the care taken to keep out any one who should be present for the purpose of assassination, if he should admit her and it were discovered the act would be punishable either with death or life imprisonment.

Elizabeth hesitated to accept such a risk for the young man. But there is in woman an inherent desire to put the devotion of man to the test, so she told him she would accept his offer. Before she quite realized what she was doing she had placed him in jeopardy. The attempt was unsuccessful, and both were arrested.

Fortunately the American minister was present and learned that one of his countrywomen had endeavored to effect an entrance to the ceremony by corrupting an official and bestirred himself in the matter. It required months for him to convince the czar that Miss Moran was a newspaper correspondent and her only object was to send a report of the coronation ceremony to an American journal. Then she was released and ordered to leave Russia at once.

Before her departure she learned that the man whose love for her had induced him to take such a terrible risk had been sent to the mines of Kara, in Siberia. There are few women who would not be won by such a sacrifice. Miss Moran's whole heart went out to her unfortunate lover, whose fate was worse than death, and she resolved to free him.

But no such attempt could be successful without adequate preparation. She returned to America, where news of her arrest had preceded her. Indeed, it was largely through the efforts of the multimillionaire newspaper proprietor that her liberty had been obtained. She told him of her resolve to free Svensky and claimed his influence and financial support in her effort. After vainly trying to induce her to relinquish her intention he agreed to help her. At her suggestion he secured through the Russian ambassador at Washington permission for one of his staff to investigate the Kara mines and write an account for the journal. When this was finally accomplished unlimited means were placed at her disposal, and, armed with the written permission that had been issued to Victor Kenworthy, she returned to Europe.

One morning a rather delicately organized person presented the Kenworthy order to the governor of Kara and was admitted to the inspection of the prisons. Not long after that Dmitri Svensky was transferred to the "free command" on the ground that he was afflicted with an incurable disease. The free command consists of persons who for some especial reason are permitted to live in houses, or, rather, huts, by themselves. Svensky was astonished at thus being transferred and could not divine the cause of such a favor.

Kenworthy, or, rather, Miss Moran, spent several weeks in making her inspection and writing her report, which she submitted to the governor. He was much pleased that it gave a very favorable account of the condition and kindly treatment of the prisoners.

One day Kenworthy appeared in his carriage at the outer guard station of Kara and told the commander that he desired to pass out without a permit. The commander was about to express a curt refusal when Kenworthy handed him an envelope. The officer opened it, but before taking out the contents saw that it was a money order of some kind. Without removing it he saw enough of it to assure him that it was a certified check on a bank in New York for $10,000. Closing the envelope, he told Kenworthy that he might drive on. Before doing so Kenworthy told him that the next evening he would desire to pass again and with some papers, reports on the condition of the prisoners, which he did not wish examined. He would have with him another envelope.

Kenworthy was permitted to visit the prisoners of the free command. He called on Svensky and made himself known. Svensky was thunderstruck. In a brief interview it was agreed that the latter was to come the next evening to a road leading to the main gate, where he would find a carriage.

The last act was Kenworthy stopping in his carriage at the gate, handing the officer stationed there another $10,000 check and driving on. Svensky was concealed under robes.

A chartered vessel was at anchor in Kara sea, which took aboard the fugitives and landed them in Sweden, where they were married and continued their journey to New York.

WANTS PEACE IN HIS PARTY

Wilson Profiting by Conferences With Influential Men

HE WANTS MANY THINGS DONE

Present Problem Is How to Get Them Done Well—Finds That Filling of Offices Is Unpleasant—Discourages Idea of Plenty of Places For Democrats After Fourth of March

Washington, Dec. 27.—The Democrats in congress day by day are gaining a clearer idea as to the plans of President-elect Wilson. When the leaders received invitations to go to Trenton for a conference they assumed that the incoming president



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GOVERNOR WOODROW WILSON

desired to discuss patronage with them; they took it for granted that he could not have much on his mind at this time except the personnel of his cabinet and the contests for the more responsible positions in his administration outside of the cabinet.

Every representative of the party who has made this trip to Trenton comes back with the story that the make-up of the new cabinet, the office-filling business in general, was the last subject approached by the president-elect, and then was brought up in an indifferent sort of way by him.

"The attitude of Wilson's mind may be summed up in this statement," said one influential Democratic senator who has been over to see him: "He wants the administration to stand for something; he wants a great many things done and he wants them done well. The problem with him at this time is how to get these things done.

"It is not his intention to attempt to drive the congress. He is working day by day through conferences with the leading men in the party to bring about a situation that will result in the carrying out of the policies of the administration without any friction. I should say that if any of the Democrats in either house or senate should become unruly, Wilson would not hesitate to whip them into line. But I know he does not expect to have to do this."

Those Democrats who have had their hours of talk with the president-elect say it is true he is giving some thought to the makeup of his cabinet and to other important positions in his administration, and they add that evidently the office-filling business is thoroughly distasteful to Wilson.

"It's a good thing for the Democrats throughout the country to get their bearings on this matter before the new administration comes in," said a member of the Democratic national committee. "The business of providing jobs for Democrats will be incidental with Wilson. He is a thorough civil service reformer and he is discouraging those Democratic senators and representatives who call on him from letting the impression get out among their constituents that there will be plenty of good places for Democrats after the fourth of March."

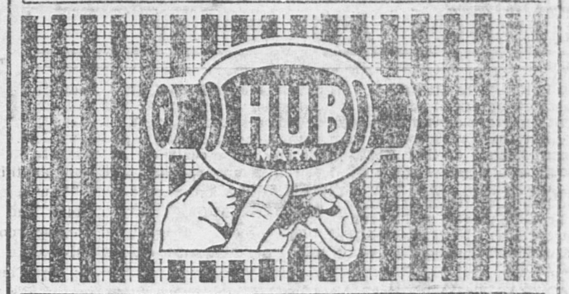
On the whole, the feeling among the Democrats here is that President-elect Wilson is doing some very effective work these days by calling the influential men of his party to him, and in a quiet way telling them what his plans are. The outlook is, say those Democrats who have been over to see him, that by the fourth of March or by the time the special session begins he will have created a situation that will make things comparatively easy for him.

The Two Garricks.

George Garrick, brother of the celebrated David, was the latter's most devoted slave and laborious pack horse. On coming behind the scene he usually inquired, "Has David wanted me?" It being asked once how George came to die so soon after the demise of his famous brother, a wag replied, "David wanted him."

Most of our misfortunes are more supportable than the comments of our friends upon them.—A. Dumas.

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HELD WITHOUT BAIL

Joseph Collins Charged With Slashing Brother-In-Law to Death

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 27.—Charged with the murder of his brother-in-law, Joseph W. McLaughlin, Michael J. Collins was arraigned in the local court. He pleaded not guilty and, at the request of his counsel, the case was continued until Dec. 31 for a hearing. Collins was held without bail. The prisoner's brother, John Collins, was held in $300 bonds as a witness.

Collins slashed McLaughlin twice with a razor on the left side of the neck, inflicting wounds four inches long which severed arteries and caused death.

Woman Burns to Death

Lawrence, Mass., Dec. 27.—The body of Miss Sadie Durant, aged 48, who was burned to death, was found last night in the dining room of her home here. A large hole burned in the dining room floor marked the spot where she had evidently fallen prostrate while rushing through the house after a kerosene lamp had exploded in her hands.

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r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	c	8 03 r
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r 8 09	abcd	8 31	9 45	a	10 01 r
r 8 29	a	8 46	10 15	ihgfedcba	10 41 r
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7 29	ab	7 46	6 14	Exp	6 36 r
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West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton) 6.22, 6.56, 7.19, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07, 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.06, 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton) 6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.11, A. M. 12.14, 1.25, 4.14, 6.20, 8.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.27, 11.25 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 3.45, 5.5, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.20, 1.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.18 A. M. 12.18, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

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Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.20, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return, leave Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 **A. M. then same as week days.**

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.35 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.53 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.56 7.25, 8 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

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THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

BILLY'S TELEPHONE GIRL.

The city editor sat at his table hard at work, the green-shaded electric lamp which hung by a stout cord from the ceiling throwing a white circle of light on the paper over which his pencil traveled. Banwell smoked a cigar; he was always well provided with cigars. The chief of a local staff on an afternoon paper may always be recognized by the fact that you can extract good cigars from almost any part of his clothes. On the opposite side of the table from where Banwell sat was a big cane-bottomed chair with arms on it. Into this chair slid Billy McGuffy, the youngest reporter, somewhat apologetically as far as demeanor went. Banwell cast one brief glance at him through the smoke saw who it was and went on with his work without speaking.

Billy, evidently embarrassed, said nothing for a while, until his presence there began to irritate Banwell, who cried sharply:—

"Well, what is it?"

Billy cleared his throat.

"Mr . Banwell," he bagan at last, "could you let me have passes for two to the 'All for Love' company at the Spectacular theatre for Christmas eve?"

"Passes for two?" repeated Banwell shoving the shade over his eyes far upon his forehead, and gazing across the table at Billy.

"If you please."

"For two?" reiterated Banwell, with unnecessary emphasis on the last word.

Billy's eyes in some confusion sought the floor.

Banwell, the unmerciful, raised his voice and shouted:—

"Oh, Jonesey, come here quick! Billy's gone wrong! He wants theatre tickets for two!"

Jonesey appeared from the next room and stood leaning against the door, looking in at Banwell and McGuffy. He was in his shirtsleeves, lank and lean with a corncob pipe black with use, between his teeth. Jonesey was the criminal reporter, briefly known to the rest of the staff as "The Criminal."

"What's the matter with our Billy?" asked the Criminal, without removing his pipe.

"He wants tickets for two," explained Banwell. "That's unusual; one has sufficed up to date. This means a girl, Jonesey."

"Oh, I would'nt go so far as to say that, Banwell. Perhaps Billy wants to take his mother to the theatre. Let's hear what the culprit has to say for himself before we pass judgment. Who is she, Billy? But remember, you are not bound to incriminate yourself?"

Billy was blushing like a girl himself. He looked appealingly from one of his tormentors to the other. He would have fled, but he knew he could not escape, for Jonesey stood in the doorway.

"Banwell," continued Jonesey imperturbably, "I fear that heightened color in Billy's face gives him away rather. We must prepare for the worst. Now, if my frightful example has no effect upon him, perhaps he is not too far gone to scorn my good advice. Billy, I have one wife and six children. That's the awful example. My advice is that it's just as easy and as pleasant to fall in love with a millionaire's daughter as with a shop-girl. I consider I have lost at least $200,000 by not knowing that when I was young, and I have never been able, somehow, to make it up working on a newspaper. Billy, be warned in time."

"Look here," cried Billy, anger at last coming to his rescue, "if I'm not to get the tickets, say so."

"Oh, you can get the tickets, Billy unless they're all gone, and if they are I will give you a letter to the box-office. Let's see—Christmas eve that's the 24th this year, isn't it?"

Banwell pulled open a drawer and took out a handful of long pasteboard tickets with the corners clipped off, and selecting two flung them over to Billy, who put them in his vest pocket, murmuring his thanks.

Jonesey stretched his arms across the doorway, saying, "Billy, my son, pause and reflect."

But Billy, crying, "Oh you go to the deuce!" dodged under and escaped.

Both men laughed and Jonesey went back to his room.

Billy made his way out of the Argus office into the street. The night was cold and the pavement crisp with frost. It was not snowing exactly, but flakes here and there filtered through the electric light, and fluttering down on the street. Billy walked briskly for a block or two and glanced up at a tall building that rose from a corner. The bulk of the building was dark, with an isolated window lighted here and there, but the whole of the upper story was ablaze with electric lamps. As Billy looked up he could see against the sky apparently all the wires of the city, from every direction, concentrating on the roof of this tall building. He entered and walked down the dimly lighted hall to the elevator standing at the end of the passage, waiting, for there were few upward travellers, at that hour. The night-boy evidently knew where Billy was going, for he winked and without a word pulled the wire rope, shooting the elevator to the top story, where Billy got out.

The young reporter went up still another flight of steps and paused at an open door, looking into a great brilliantly lighted room. Facing the walls, on high stools sat some dozens of girls, apparently playing games with pegs on a continuous brass checker board that extended like a yellow dado around the room. Their voices reached Billy as he stood by the door. "Hello!" "Did you get them?" "What number did you say?" "Six-naught-four?" Are you through talking?" "I'm afraid there's no one there." "Ring off when you've you finished," and such like phrases formed the babel caused by the girls' voices. The girls had small round discs fastened to their ears, and each heard only what was intended for her to hear. Each had her hands free to place the pegs or ring up a subscriber. It was the city telephone exchange.

Perhaps it was the free magnetism of electricity in the place; perhaps it was Billy's earnest hypnotic gaze concentrated on one girl that made her turn her head, seemingly without cause, and glance toward the door. Billy nodded, and she, calling an assistant to take her place, slipped gracefully down from the tall stool and went quickly out into the hall.

"Hello, Billy," she said cordially, "what's up?"

"I am," answered Billy flippantly "up about fifteen flights of stairs."

"The elevator hasn't stopped yet, has it?"

"Oh, no; I caught the elevator all right. But I had to climb the last flight. I just dropped in to let you know that I got the theatre tickets all right."

"Good for you," cried the girl. "Gallery?"

"Gallery?" said Billy, with great contempt "not likely! Best seats in the house—three rows from the front—end seats in the row,"; and to prove his amazing contention, Billy produced the tickets from his pocket and exhibited them. The telephone girl took them to look at, and asked many questions. Why were the corners clipped off she wanted to know. That was so they would not be counted as cash when the receipts were made up, Billy explained. Suddenly something on the tickets caught the girl's attention, and stopped her talk.

"Why, Billy," she said after a pause "these tickets are for the twenty-fourth."

"Of course—Christmas eve. That's all right, isn't it?"

"Aren't they good for any other night?"

"I guess not. Can't you go that night?

It was evident that Billy's telephone girl had a temper of her own. She threw the tickets on the floor and stamped the foot angrily. Billy meekly picked up the bits of pasteboard.

"Of course, I can't go. I'm on duty Christmas eve. Why didn't you telephone to me and ask what night I could go? You knew I was at the end of your wire and you would have done it if you cared anything for me."

"Look here, Sadie," protested Billy. "I can't talk to you over the wire. The fellows in the local room can hear everything I say, and that brute Jonesey guys me enough already. But it doesn't matter. I can get the tickets changed."

"You don't need to bother changing them for me. I guess you wanted to take some other girl anyhow."

"I shouldn't wonder," said Billy, exasperated at the unreasonableness of women. "But there's lots of girls would be glad to go."

"All right," said Sadie, with decision. "Invite 'em to go, then; and look here, Billy McGuffy, don't you ever come to see me again."

Sadie turned with dignity and left Billy standing there. The quarrel had come on him so suddenly that he hardly realized it was all over. Knowing that he dared not follow her into the busy telephone exchange to explain things, and not being quite sure what there was to explain, he concluded to think over the crisis and see if there was a way out. He walked slowly down the numerous flights of stairs and went out into the keen air. Instinctively his steps turned towards the Argus office. The local room was empty, all the boys being out at that hour attending to their duties at various parts of the city. Billy knew that he ought to be out as well, but he sat in his chair with his head in his hands. The bottom had unexpectly dropped out of the universe, and even Billy's allegiance to his paper wavered under the shock of the catastrophe. For fully five minutes Billy did not care whether the opposition sheet scored a triumph over him or not. Things are pretty black when it comes to this with a young reporter. At last he rose, went to the telephone, and rang the bell.

"Hello, Sadie," he said, "may I speak with you a moment?"

"What number please?" came the sweet but unrelenting voice of Sadie; "I do not want any number; I want you, Sadie."

"If you do not want any number, what did you ring for? This is the telephone exchange. If you don't want anything, I'll turn you off."

"You've turned me off already, Sadie; and I do want something, I want to know what night you can go with me to the theatre."

"Look here, Mr. McGuffy—I suppose that's who it is talking—I won't go to the theatre any night with you. Take the other girls you were bragging about."

Before Billy could say anything more he heard the ominous click that "turned him off." He had done all he could, so with a sigh, he buttoned his overcoat about him and went out to his work.

When he came back at eleven the local rooms were full of men busily writing. The city editor was at his table, with the green shade over his eyes. Billy placed two tickets on the table before him and said somewhat huskily:—

"I'm much obliged, Mr. Banwell, for the tickets , but I've changed my mind, and perhaps some of the others would like to go that night."

"What!" cried Banwell. "Wouldn't she go, or is she going with another fellow?" Then glancing up and seeing the look of pain on Billy's face, Banwell, who was a kindly man, added, "That's all right, Billy. Any other night, you know."

"I'll—I'll remain on duty Christmas eve, if you don't mind," said Billy.

"Good for you," cried Banwell, enthusiastically, to cover Billy's evident confusion. "We're short-handed that night, and Jonesey wants to get off, of course. That's what it is to be a family man. Billy, you're a brick."

The editor reached up for his assignment book and wrote down the fact that McGuffy would be on deck Christmas eve.

At half-past nine on Christmas eve Billy entered the Argus office. There was no apparent reason why he should be there, and there were many reasons why at that moment he should have been on his own beat. He looked quickly around the rooms and satisfied himself that they were empty. Then he hastily rang the telephone bell.

"Sadie," he whispered into the tube.

"Well?" came the answer.

"I just wanted you to know, Sadie, that I am on duty tonight."

"Oh, is that you, Billy? I thought you was in the end seat, third row—or was it the fourth?"

Billy thought he heard something like a curious combination between a sob and a laugh—one can never tell exactly what sound it is that comes over a telephone wire; electricity plays such tricks with its customers.

"Sadie, may I call you up as soon as it strikes 12 and wish you a merry Christmas?"

"Billy." There was a long pause, then the whisper, with something of a banter, continued. "Anybody can call up anybody else on a telephone, you know. Good night."

Sadie sat at her work as the night went on, and now and then glanced at the little watch which formed part of the bracelet surrounding her dainty wrist. Midnight came, but there was no ring from Billy. There came many calls from people who wished "Merry Christmas," over the wires, and Sadie listened to them and wondered why hers did not come. She sighed, and told herself that she did not deserve the greeting, for she yearned for Billy and wanted to tell him how sorry she was; but, of course she could not make the first move; and merely because she had been in the wrong, Billy would have to smooth the way with extra deftness. It was nice of him to telephone to her when the play was going on so that she might be sure he was not sitting there with another girl, whose company, after all, he would have been perfectly justified in seeking, considering the way he had been treated.

For half an hour after midnight Sadie was kept very busy, then the calls almost ceased. It was nearly 1 when a sharp ring came in. No it was not Billy's voice.

"Give me one-nought-six-four, quick!"

Now, it invariably irritates a telephone girl to be told to be quick. She is always quick. It is worse than swearing, for when a man swears over the wires, the girl may shut him off and report him. The "quick" aroused Miss Sadie's temper, but she said nothing; 1,064 was the number of the Blade editorial rooms, and Sadie knew that the Blade was the rival of Billy's paper, the Argus. Sadie always called the Argus Billy's paper, although as a matter of fact, it belonged to a company.

"Hello! Is that the Blade editorial rooms? Is Barker there? Well, ask him to step to the 'phone, will you please? Tell him to hurry up. It's Stokes."

There was a pause. Then Sadie heard Barker's heavy step and finally his "Hello! That you, Stokes? This is Barker."

"See here, Barker, there's the biggest thing on tonight, and we've got the deadwood on the Argus if we work it right. There's been a Christmas eve jamboree in the Italian quarter at 768 Brenner street. Fellow named Mileni—M-i-l-e-n-i, got that? pulled a knife. Two men are dead and one's so bad he'll die before morning. A woman brained Mileni with a chair."

"Who's on that beat for the Argus?" cried Baker, breathlessly.

"Oh, I've fixed that all right. Billy McGuffy is the Argus man, and he's as green as they make 'em. I had a fellow with a buggy call for Billy, and tell him a cock-and-bull story about a frightful railway accident out at Bloomfield, three miles beyond the city limits. Billy's gone with him and won't be home until morning. Billy thinks he's going to make his eternal reputation on that railroad disaster. Now, if you've got your pencil sharpened, I'll give you the particulars of the Mileni murder."

Stokes talked and Barker took it all down, punctuating the narration with "Yes," now and then, Sadie with the telephone receiver over her ears, listened and also took it down on the flyleaf of a book she had been reading. Her lips were set in a firm line as she thought of poor Billy on his wild goose chase through the bitter night. That, then, was why he had not telephoned to her. At last Stokes finished his account of the tragedy.

Sadie had made up her mind what to do, although she knew it was wrong and that she would lose her place if she were found out. But she thought of Billy and not of her position. She knew the value of time on a morning paper, for she had been on the newspaper wires for some months. There was no use in waiting till Billy called her up, it would be too late then, so she put in the plug that communicated with the Argus office and rang the bell. When the "hello" came she asked who was there.

"Banwell, city editor. Who's that talking?"

"This is Billy—Billy McGuffy."

"Hello, Billy, what's the matter with you? Where have you been all the night?"

"Say, Banwell, there's been a frightful tragedy up here—No. 768 Brenner street— got that down?"

"Yes. Hurry it along. Billy, I can tell by your voice you're scared; you talk like a girl."

"That's all right. It would scare anybody. There's two men dead and another on the way.""

"Heavens and earth! Wait a second, Billy, till I whistle up the foreman to save us a couple of columns."

There was a pause of a few seconds, then Banwell's voice again: "Now, Billy whoop her up."

Sadie gave full particulars and then added: "You'd better send a man up to Brenner street as soon as you can. I am done out and am going home."

Hold on," cried Banwell. "Hold on Billy. Where are you?"

But the telephone had been rung off and Banwell's question was unanswered.

Sadie sat back and looked at herself in the little bit of glass she kept by it. "Well, I don't care," she said to herself. "I've done it, and I'm not the least sorry though I suppose I ought to be." The face that looked back at her was rather pale, and in spite of her defiant assertion to herself, she felt just a little afraid, for she knew that she had broken the most stringent rule of the company's code.

About 4 o'clock in the morning a call came. It was from the Argus office and Sadie's answer had a tremble in it.

"Hello!" said the voice. "Is this you, Sadie? A Merry Christmas I'm a little later than I expected to be."

"You are, Billy," replied the girl. "How's everything out at Bloomfield?"

"Gracious! How did you know I was at Bloomfield? I've just got back and came to this office and to the telephone the first thing."

"That was a bad railroad accident they had out there, wasn't it, Billy?"

"Great heavens! Sadie, you're a witch. How in thunder did—"

"Billy, you mustn't use language like that to the central. I'll report you if you do. Oh, I forgot. The same to you, Billy. Is Mr. Banwell there?"

"No; they've all gone home and I can hear the presses in the basement running off the paper. Sadie, may I go over there?"

"No, Billy; not just now. I'll be free at 6 o'clock, then you may come over and see me home. You draw up a chair near the phone and go to sleep, like a good boy. At 6 o'clock I'll ring you up as if the house were on fire. I'll wait for you at the door downstairs. Remember, I must see you before you meet Banwell or any of the rest."

"All right," said Billy.

He drew up a chair and threw himself into it. It seemed to him that he had hardly seated himself when he was awakened by the long ring of the telephone bell at 6. He stumbled downstairs, trying to button up his overcoat and rub his eyes open at the same time. Downstairs the watchman handed him a copy of a paper damp from the press. The morning was crisp and clear, and the street was strangely silent. Billy glanced at the first page, and instantly his eyes opened wider than they had done for all his rubbing. He read the startling head-lines:—

Frightful Christmas Tragedy.

Drink, Anger and a Knife Work Fearful Havoc in Brenner Street.

Two Men instantly Killed and a Third Dies this Morning.

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear! oh, dear!" wailed Billy. "I'm a goner this time sure. I knew it would come some day. Right in the middle of my district too! and me fooling around the suburbs—jackass that I am. I winder who got it, and Banwell so short-handed. Well, it's all up with Bill McGuffy. I'll not wait to be fired, I'll send in my resignation before noon."

He jammed the paper into his overcoat pocket, and hurried along the frosty pavement to the telephone exchange building where he found Sadie standing at the door waiting for him. She looked so pretty in the clear morning air, with her natty fur-bordered cloak around her, that Billy almost forgot his trouble as he gazed admiringly at her. She was the first to speak.

"Oh, Billy," she cried, coming rapidly towards him, "I've done the most dreadful thing!"

"So have I," said Billy.

"But I'll lose my situation, if I'm found out."

"I'm found out now," replied Billy, with a sigh, "and my situation's as good as gone already. But tell me about your trouble first."

And Sadie told him as they walked together up the deserted avenue.

Billy, being innocent and young at that time, had never suspected that he had been sent beyond the city limits by the villians of the opposition press until Sadie finished her story. The man in the buggy had been so sorry he had been misinformed, and he had been kind enough to take Billy back to the very door of the Argus office at 4 o'clock in the morning.

"Yes, Billy," admitted Sadie, when Billy accused himself of being a fool (they were standing in the porch of the house where the young woman lived, and she was trying to find her pocket and the latch key). "Yes, Billy, you are green. You never know enough to do the right thing at the right moment."

"Oh, don't I!" said Billy; whereupon to her infinite surprise, he kissed her as she stood there.

"Oh, Billy," she cried, catching her breath, "I didn't think you had the courage."

All of which goes to show that a young man on a daily paper learns many things as time goes on, which thought passed through Billy's mind as he modestly and silently listened to Mr. Bandwell's compliments that afternoon on his enterprise and wide-awakeness of the night before.—Luke Sharp, in Detroit Free Press.

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Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

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Whereas, George H. Brown the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the thirteenth account of his trust under said will: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County, on the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

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TWO GOOD GAMES BOOKED AT GYM

Chick Holmes Will Try to Maintain His Clean Record

OTHER GOOD FEATURES

The Y. M. C. A. first and second teams will meet two strong teams Saturday night when they go up against the crack Lawrence Y. M. C. A. team and the Tilton A. C. of Winthrop.

The Lawrence team gave the locals one of their greatest fights two years ago, being defeated by the close score of 36 to 33: now that they are in a much larger and better "gym" and have a larger membership to draw from, they expect to get away with a victory. The locals have been practicing for this game for the last two weeks and are determined to start the new year with a victory. "Chick" Holmes, who has not had a basket scored on him in the four games that he has played will endeavor to keep his record clean.

E. G. Gay, who was formerly General Secretary of the local Association is expected to accompany the Lawrence team.

The Second team will play the Tilton A. C of Winthrop, one of the strongest amateur teams now playing the game. This team has been together for the past four years and have met with but few defeats. Two years ago they played on the local floor and it took 12 minutes of extra playing for the Quincy team to defeat them. Two or three new men are expected to come out for positions on the teams Saturday night.

Harry Stone of Somerville will referee the games, of which the Lawrence game will begin at 8.15 sharp.

BIRTHS

CLEE—In Providence, Dec. 24, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Lester H. Clee, formerly of Quincy.

WOODSUM—In Springfield, Dec. 25, a son to Mr. and Mrs. H. Clifton Woodsum, nee Nina Belle Gage, formerly of Braintree.

MARRIAGES

HINGHAM—LEA—In Quincy, Dec. 25, by Rev. C. P. Marshall of Plymouth, Mr. Harry Hingham of Fall River to Miss Annie Lea of Quincy.

MACKIE—CRUIKSHANK—In Quincy, Dec. 24, by Rev. J. A. Matheson, Mr. William Rae Mackie to Miss Margaret Jane Cruikshank, both of Quincy.

DEATHS

TEASDALE—In West Quincy, Dec. 26, Mrs. Catherine, widow of Mr. Robert Teasdale, aged 77 years.
Funeral from her late residence, 13 Furnace avenue, Saturday, Dec. 28, at 8.30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Dec. 26-2t

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BOYS IN ANNUAL STATE MEET

Will Gather at Quincy Y. M. C. A. For Games

BRIGGS' LOSS FELT

The seventh annual Boys' meet will be held Saturday afternoon at the local gymnasium. Entries from Boston Salem, Norwood, Lynn, Cambridge, Somerville, Hyde Park, Clapp Memorial, Malden, Everett, N. Abbington, Wakefield and Quincy have already been received and several other Associations are expected to send in a list of names. Over 75 boys will take part in the different events which are graded according to age.

The meet has been won by Quincy four times out of the six years it has been held, Malden and Cambridge each winning the trophy once. This year it is doubtful if the local Association will carry off the honors as the best point winner of the Junior Class, Kenneth Briggs, has not sent in his name.

The first event, 15 yard dash for Class A will commence promptly at 2 o'clock.

BRIEFS

Miss Catherine Callahan of South street wil spend the winter season at Richmond, Va.

Rev. Edward Norton, pastor emeritus of the Bethany Congregational church officiated at the Thursday evening service.

The hard rain which commenced early this morning has made walking anything but pleasant. The rain has turned the snow into slush and wet feet were the rule of many who had to be about in the storm.

Granite Lodge, No. 193, Order Sons of St. George will hold a social in Clan McGregor hall, Monday evening. The Carol singers will attend and take part in the entertainment. The regular business session will commence at 6.30 o'clock .

Miss Marion Bolster of the water department is expected to resume her duties at city hall next week. She was ill at her home on Bradford street with a severe cold and has practically recovered. Miss Bolster is a popular member of St. Margaret's Guild of the Christ Church.

BURIED WITH A MASS.

The funeral of Louisa, wife of Patrick Griffin, who died Christmas Day was held from her late home 16 Wittich place this morning. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Marys church by Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady. Burial was in the St. Mary cemetery. The deceased was in her 25th year and was married but one year.

☞That's a timely ad of Holmes & Hall, for even now some of the Christmas toys must need repairing.

DYNAMITE JURY OUT ALL NIGHT

Had Not Reached a Verdict Up to 3 This Afternoon

FORTY DEFENDANTS

(Special to the Ledger)

Indianapolis, Ind. Dec. 27.—The three months trial of the 40 men charged with dynamite conspiracy practically closed here, Thursday. On that day the jury retired at five o'clock. They were out all night. Up to three o'clock this afternoon, they had not reached a verdict.

There are 40 persons inplicated among them many labor men all on separate indictments and the verdicts while separate on each case are to be returned at the one time.

DEWEY OMITS LATE BANQUETS

Rides Daily, Which Account for His Fine Condition

AT 75 YEARS OF AGE

Admiral George Dewey, hero of the battle of Manila Bay, celebrated quietly his 75th birthday, Thursday. He said he never felt better in his life, and friends who called to congratulate him declared that he looked "like an ensign."

The Admiral attributed his splendid physical condition to constant riding and to the fact that he keeps away from midnight banquets. He said that he abandoned attending banquets long ago. "So should any man," he declared, "who wants to feel as young as I do when he is 75."

Admiral Dewey spent a few hours at his office as president of the General Board of the Navy. Later he went for a drive with Mrs. Dewey. There was an informal family dinner at the Dewey residence at midnight.

CHILD FELL DOWN STAIRS

Doctor Had to Take Stitches in the Cut on Head.

Mary, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Norris of 202 Whitwell street fell down stairs this morning and cut her head quite severely. The little one was playing on an upper landing when she slipped in some way, and bumped down the stairs to the bottom, before aid could reach her to stop the impromptu journey. The wound on her forehead was quite a severe one and Dr. N. S. Hunting took several stitches in it. The little girl is getting along as comfortable as could be expected under the circumstances.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL.

There was a large attendance of children and parents Thursday evening at the Christmas festival and tree of the Sunday school of the First Universalist church. The festival was held in the chapel which was prettily decorated for the occasion. Commencing at 7 o'clock there was a brief entertainment, which included the singing of carols by the Sunday school and recitations by several members of the school.

Then came the Christmas tree. It was a large tree and its branches were bent low under the weight of the many presents. There was a box of candy and a present for each member of the Sunday school. These were distributed by his Majesty, St. Nick who was impersonated by Freeman Hyland. It was a good time for all and was fully as much enjoyed by the parents as by the members of the Sunday school.

☞Upon payment of yearly subscriptions to the Daily Ledger, certificates good for 1000 votes in the Washington contest are issued in blank, and may be forwarded to any candidate. The vote can be held back.

CITY FINANCES CAUSE ALARM

Correspondent Suggests a Halt and Consideration

OF IMPENDING CRISIS

Editor Daily Ledger:

In view of our high tax rate one is led to ask the question, is not the present condition of our city finances cause for alarm? We are fooling ourselves to cry dog if the wolf has us by the heels. The past five years experience shows us that although our assessed values have increased from $27,000,000 to $34,000,000 which increase should have served to keep our debt down, in spite of this increase our debt, exclusive of temporary loans, increased $250,000 and the past year has been no exception. It has been said by men who should know figures better that our assets are twelve times our debt. Let us see, our total valuation for 1911 was $2,072,000.00. I believe a careful investigation will prove that 60 per cent. of this amount is covered by mortgage, being borrowed money, this would leave 40 per cent as our net assets, less than $14,000,000 of which our public debt now nearing $3,000,000 is equal one fifth, with an increase of 2.00 per thousand for current expenses and no relief from interest and bonded debt, our tax rate for 1913 should be very much higher than the present. Would it not be well for our incoming city council before approving the budget or making appropriations to carefully consider these matters and see where we are drifting; our city is facing a crisis that in the near future we must meet, with a possibility of a return of conditions of 1896, are we in condition to meet it? We are sowing dangerous seed, what will the harvest be?

A. L. Baker,
17 Winthrop Ave.

IMMIGRATION BILL.

Congressman James M. Curley is receiving the moral support of most of the Jewish residents of New England and throughout the country in his opposition to the passage of the Burnett-Dillingham bill with the illiteracy test which is designed to bar Jews from the United States.

At the Hotel Bellevue Sunday morning there will be a conference of the congressman and other parties and the committtee working against the bill which consists of Jacob De Haas of the Jewish Advocate, David A. Lourie, Jacob J. Silverman and Carl Gerstein.

This morning Joseph B. Grossman, one of the younger Jewish residents of the city received an invitation to attend and take active part in this conference. He is also requested to bring two others with him. As yet, the Jewish residents of Quincy have not united on any stand but at the present time a movement is afoot which will centre an opposition here.

TALKED ON PRESIDENTS.

Robert L. O'Brien, managing editor of the Boston Herald entertained the members of the Men's Club of the Washington Street Congregational Church, Thursday evening with personal recollection of four presidents, Cleveland, McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft. Mr. O'Brien talked for an hour but did not discuss the policies of the men and was loudly applauded. A business meeting was held and a luncheon was given.

TRIED TO EMBRACE GIRL

Treasurer of New York Theatre Arrested and Fined $500

New York, Dec. 27.—Because he tried to embrace 15-year-old Florence Terry after selling her two theatre tickets, Lewis Kalisky, treasurer of a theatre, was fined $500 in the court of special sessions.

The girl swore Kalisky offered to show her where the seats were and when she went with him he tried to put his arm about her.

One View of Free Dinners

New York, Dec. 27.—In an attack on free Christmas dinners, Rev. William M. Grosvenor said he was in favor of more religion and less charity.

Too Late For Classification.

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WEYMOUTH'S BIG BOWLING SCORE

Total of 1421 With a Single For 510

DOWNS ALSO WINNER

The Coliseum team lost three points to Weymouth at the Coliseum alleys Thursday night in the Old Colony League match.

Harry Smith made high single of 116 and four men tied at 291 for high total. The rolling was good throughout the match. The summary:

WEYMOUTH.	1	2	3	Totals
Harry Smith	92	116	83	291
Tirrell	80	98	90	268
Burrell	103	94	84	281
Kiley	97	113	80	290
Hub. Smith	101	89	101	291
	473	510	438	1421
COLISEUM.				
Grant	95	93	91	279
Carlson	94	113	84	291
Dackers	81	78	90	249
Burke	92	103	96	291
Bliss	91	82	91	264
	453	469	452	1374

The Norfolk Downs team beat the City Square five, three out of four strings, at the City Square alleys, Thursday night. The Norfolks put up a strong and persistent game, and had a total of 1312. Stobart was high single string with a score of 107 and led in the individual total with 290.

The score:

NORFOLK DOWNS.	1	2	3	Totals
Guyner	89	95	80	264
Gillen	80	73	79	232
Hobart	107	94	89	290
Hoyt	87	92	91	270
McGeaghan	93	76	87	256
	456	430	426	1312
CITY SQUARE.				
Erickson	85	89	77	251
Olsen	87	86	82	255
Galvin	84	84	97	265
Wentworth	80	87	84	251
Hanson	78	94	79	251
	414	440	419	1273

CLEVER BOWLER.

George White of the Citizens Gas Light Co., although one of the younger bowlers of the city, is rapidly rounding into a speedy boy, and aside from participating in the prize distributions at the City Square and Coliseum alleys he is bowling with a Boston League team weekly at the Brunswick alleys.

Thursday evening he was on the score pad with 83, 97 and 113, for a total of 293. Rolling such a score on a strange alley and amidst unfamiliar surroundings demonstrates cool bowling ability.

DISTRICT COURT.

Michael Russo was arraigned for assault on his wife and for threatening assault. Cases continued under $500 bonds until Saturday.

Thomas Leary was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy. Case placed on probation until March 5.

Julius Silver was fined $5 for violation of the city ordinances at Quincy by leaving his horse untied on Newbury avenue.

George Belware was arraigned for violation of the plumbing ordinance at Quincy. Case placed on file.

Michael Guess was arraigned on two complaints. One charged him with drunkenness and the other with evading fare on the railroad. He was fined $5 on the first complaint and ordered to make restitution of fifteen cents for his car fare and this complaint was then placed on file.

John J. Craig of Quincy was arraigned for the alleged larceny of a pung valued at $45 at Weymouth. Case continued on $100 personal bonds until Jan. 2.

The continued cases of Adisto Pagnani, Antonio Pagnani, Frank LaPresti, Dani Raffo and Henry Pagnani for assault on Officer Curtin and for mutual assault occupied a greater part of the morning session at the district court and it was 1.30 before the cases were finished. Antonio Pagnani was fined $25 and the others $10 each.

—A Southern divine declares that profanity is the blight of the nation. Why doesn't he go further back and say something about automobiles that won't go, and political landslides?—Taunton Herald.

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THORNE CAPTURED POST OFFICE BURGLAR AT POINT OF REVOLVER

Richard Knight Awakened in Time to Relieve the Officer From Predicament

Man Gave His Name as William Braun of Union Street

Officer Henry W. Thorne captured a post office burglar, red handed at the point of his revolver early this morning at Quincy Point. The place entered was sub station No. 156 located in the store of H. H. I. Smith at 644 Washington street. When searched at the police station 28 one cent stamps and 25 two-cent stamps which had been taken from the office were found on the man's person. He gave his name as William Braun aged 33 years of Union street and he claims to be employed at the Fore River ship yard as a bolter up.

The sub station is located in the grocery store of Mr. Smith, whose custom it is to leave a small gas jet burning in the store near the window at night so that the officer in passing may readily see what is going on inside. This morning when Officer Thorne passed the store at 2.30 going toward the bridge he saw that the light was burning and that the door was locked.

After ringing in his box near the bridge he started back up Washington street. As he passed the store he saw that the light was out. This aroused his suspicions. Thinking that perhaps it had gone out accidentally he went up close to the window and by the aid of the moon saw that the cock on the fixture had been turned so as to shut off the light. This led him to believe that some one must be inside.

Going to the rear of the store officer Thorne found that the large pane of glass in the rear door had been removed by cutting out the moulding on the sides and end. Looking into the store Officer Thorne saw a man in the act of trying to climb up to one of the front windows. He had a large meat clever in his hand and evidently intended to smash the window.

Running around to the front door again Officer Thorne pulled his gun and going to the window where the man stood demanded him to get down. The officer was in somewhat of a predicament however for if he tried to go in after the man by the rear door, the fellow would jump out of the front window or if he attempted to force his way in the front the man would run out the back way. Keeping the burglar covered with his gun the officer succeeded in arousing Richard Knight who came out and stood at the front door. Office Thorne then went to the rear door and climbed in through the hole in the door where the burglar had removed the glass. Holding his gun in front of him the officer advanced and soon had the burglar under arrest.

In his pockets at the time of his arrest was 28 one cent stamps and 25 two cent stamps that had been taken from drawer back of the counter. Investigation also showed that the cash register had been smashed open and 22 cents in change had been taken. Further investigation also showed that the fellow had not been idle during the short time he had been in the store, for he had also tried to get into the safe.

He had removed the two ornamental pieces over the hinges by striking them with the cleaver and had smashed the handle of the door off. He had also tried to drive out the two bolts in the hinges, and had succeeded in getting them part way out when interrupted.

In conversation with Officer Thorne it came out that the man had also taken some cigarettes and tobacco from the store. He also said that this was the first time he had done anything of this kind for eight years. Then evidently remembering that he was talking to an officer he denied ever having done a similar job. It is believed however that he has a record and efforts will be made between now

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DYNAMITE JURY FOUND GUILT AGAINST 38 OF 40 DEFENDANTS

International President Ryan, Young and Higgins, Two Boston Men, Convicted

Case on Trial Three Months, Jury Out Over 24 Hours

(Special to Ledger)

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 28. The jury in the famous dynamite cases, returned a verdict of guilty against 38 of the 40 defendants. Among those convicted, are Frank M. Ryan, International president of the Bridge and Iron Structural Workers Association, Michael J. Young and Frank J. Higgins of Boston.

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TENNIS CLUB ANNUAL BALL

Harsh Weather Did Not Cause Discordant Note

IN HARMONY OF PLEASURE

Under adverse weather conditions, the Quincy Tennis Club held its seventh annual ball at Music hall Friday evening and the affair was one of the most select society events ever held in this city. The gowns of the ladies were moderate in style and beautiful in appearance. Guests were present from Boston, Milton, Brookline, Newton, Weymouth and Braintree.

The matrons were Mrs. Henry M. Faxon who wore a cerese satin dress with fancy trimmings, Mrs. Anna Hobart who was dressed in pink satin and Mrs. Edwin E. Davis who wore a black spangled net dress.

The receiving party stood in a corner of the hall while those assembled were ushered to the spot by 23 of the most popular young men of the city. The decorations were mild in tone but very pretty and consisted of potted plants, streamers and bunting.

Orchestral selections were furnished early in the evening by Poole's Orchestra. This orchestra also furnished the music for dancing which was enjoyed until 11.30 o'clock.

The patronesses were Mrs. Edwin E. Mrs. William R. Bateman, Mrs. Homer Lane Bigelow, Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur Mrs. E. Tyler Brigham, Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, Mrs. John D. Buckingham, Miss Charlotte Burgess, Miss Grace L. Burke, Mrs. Walter E. Burke, Mrs. Horace R. Drinkwater, Mrs. William Edwards, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mrs. J. Brooks Keyes, Mrs. Henry L. Kincaide, Mrs. Theophilus King, Mrs. Henry H. Kitson, Mrs. Thomas Lacey, Miss Georgiana C. Lane, Mrs. L. F. LaRose, Mrs. Jesse I. Litchfield, Miss Maude W. McFarlane, Mrs. N. Gorham Nickerson, Jr., Mrs. James M. Nowland, Miss Minnie Packard, Mrs. Richard R. Freeman, Miss Avah R. Gilson, Mrs. George F. Hall, Mrs. Harry W. Hall, Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick, Mrs. Charles E. Haskins, Miss Irene T. Hibbard, Mrs. Anna F. Hobart, Mrs. Henry R. Holden, Mrs. Charles Allan Howard, Mrs. Nathaniel S. Hunting, Mrs. Edward E. Jameson, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. Henry W. Porter, Mrs. James Ring, Mrs. Walter L. Sargent, Mrs. Carl R. Sheppard, Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, Mrs. James H. Slade, Mrs. Frederick H. Smith, Mrs. Maurice P. Spillane, Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, Mrs. Laurance H. Sturtevant, Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth.

The following men were ushers: Paul Blackmur, Walter E. Burke, Harold L. Davenport, Carl C. Davis, L. Kenneth Edwards, William C. Edwards, L. H. Gilson, Henry R. Holden, J. Brooks Keyes, Delcevare King, Hobart A. Lawton, George E. Pfaffmann, John S. Pfaffmann, Henry W. Porter, Charles A. Price, Walter C. Rogers, Carl R. Sheppard, James H. Slade, Morton Smith, Laurance H. Sturtevant, Moreton T. Swallow, William P. Thompson and L. Brewster Walker.

LAST SESSION OF COUNCIL

Sea Street Building Order May Be Acted Upon

OTHER IMPORTANT MATTERS

There will be no session of the City Council Monday evening but there will be a meeting on Tuesday evening which is necessary to pass three or four orders that require two readings. There are still several important matters pending, notably the order for the widening and building of a part of Sea street. The chances are that an attempt will be made to pass this order. Should the council be in session until midnight it will celebrate the advent of the New Year although the chances are against such a lengthy meeting.

HOSPITAL FUNDS.

The Treasurer of The City Hospital of Quincy is making strenuous efforts to get all money due the institution collected before Jan. 1st in order to pay all bills due that date.

As a few subscriptions to the $35,000 collection made in the fall that were promised for payment December 1st are yet unpaid, the contributors will greatly assist the Treasurer, N. G. Nickerson of Wollaston, by sending him check at once.

A SLIP IN FIGURES.

A. L. Baker of Wollaston writes to correct a slight error in his letter published in Friday's Ledger. He states that in taking down the figures for the valuation of 1911 he took the wrong figures although the result was the same. The valuation for 1911 should have been $34,000,000 and not $2,072,000.

☞Sandberg Bros., announce a sale of watches and jewelry beginning next Monday.

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STREET CAR MEN ELECT OFFICERS

John C. Faircloth Elected President Third Time

OTHER LEADERS CHOSEN

The annual election of officers of the Quincy Division of the Street Carmen's Union was held at the Johnson



JOHN C. FAIRCLOTH, President.

building, Thursday evening. John C. Faircloth was given the presidents office for the third time. The local consists of men from Quincy, Weymouth and Braintree barns. The officers chosen were:

President—John C. Faircloth.
Vice President—William H. Gould.
Recording Secretary—John J. Kelly.
Financial Secretary and Treasurer,—A. L. Blanchard.
Conductor—J. E. Carey.
Sentinel—Thomas Ferguson.
Warden—J. K. Banks.
Executive Board— John C. Faircloth, William Gould, William Kelley,



JOHN J. KELLY, Recording Secretary.



A. L. BLANCHARD, Treasurer.

Walter Belyea, John J. Kelly, John McManus, A. L. Blanchard, James B. Ford and Patrick W. Kearns.

Auditing committee—James E. Carey, Frank Eldridge and Thomas Forrest.

☞The Randall estate on Adams street wil be sold at auction next Tuesday.

WATER DEPARTMENT BALKED AT STOPPING ATLANTIC OCEAN LEAK

Cellars at Adams Shore and Houghs Neck Flooded By the High Course of Tides

Alarmed Ones Wanted Cellars Pumped Out By Fire Engines

A high tide overflowed the banks of Adams shore Thursday and Friday evening and in many places it worked its way through the banks and into the cellars of the houses set near the water edge. Many residents became fearful of property damage and one woman telephoned the central fire station asking that the steamer be sent down so that her cellar could be pumped out.

Another became excited and called the water department office at city hall and said that her supply had sprung a leak and that her property was being rapidly damaged. Frank Carleton was immediately dispatched to give first aid treatment and was gone but a short time when he returned and reported that he had been sent down to repair a leak in the Atlantic ocean.

Along the Houghs Neck coast the waters reached the highest mark to date and several properties which were set on low land were flooded. Most of the boats have been taken from the water but a few that were moored offshore for fishing purposes were thrown high and dry on land. Every day this week the course of tides has been exceptionally high.

SILVER WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. August Williams of 18 Buckley street observed their 25th or silver wedding anniversary of their wedding, at thier home, Thursday evening. They were assisted in a proper observance of the event, by a large circle of their friends and neighbors, including pretty near all the Finnish people of the city and people of other classes with whom they had become acquainted and friendly during their residence in Quincy.

While it was the anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Williams they were content for a time to play second to the central figure in the scene, their granddaughter baby Evelyn Elsie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antoine J. Kuhlberg. Mrs. Annie Kuhlberg is the oldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Williams. As both families live in the same house, one upstairs and one down stairs, it was found both convenient and necessary to utilize both apartments to accommodate the large number of guests. The main reason for Baby Evelyn taking such a prominent part was the fact that she was baptized by Rev. John E. Lillback, pastor of the Finnish Congregational church.

Master Fred Kuhlberg is the only other grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Williams but they have three other children, Elsie, a pupil at the Bridgewater Normal school, Rolfe and Ruth Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams were married at their native home in Finland, by Prof. Nyholm. They came to this country, 22 years ago, and settled in Milford, for a year and a half then went to Fall River and remained there seven years, but for the past 13 1-2 years they have resided in Quincy. Mr. Williams is a blacksmith by trade. He takes an active interest in the affairs of the city and likewise politics. He served for several years on the Republican Ward committee.

During the evening of the celebration, there was feasting and speech making. Among those who spoke were Rev. K. F. Kendrickson, a former pastor, Rev. Andrew Rocketti, 75 years, the oldest Finnish pastor in the United States and Rev. John E. Lillback.

The couple were congratulated upon their prosperity and happy life and all expressed the hope that they would enjoy many more years of wedded happiness and companionship.

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LONG TIME FOR CONSIDERATION

Jury In "Dynamite Conspiracy" Case Has Difficult Task

A TOTAL OF 1040 CHARGES

Defendants Assembled In Courtroom Twice In Expectation That Their Fate Would Be Made Known—Spectators Not Connected With Trial or Not Relatives of Defendants Barred

Indianapolis, Dec. 28.—Fifteen hours' deliberation by the jury in the "dynamite conspiracy" cases up to last night had failed to result in the return of any verdicts.

Federal Judge Anderson, after convening court to receive any report from the jurors, ordered an adjournment until today.

While government officials expressed confidence that the jury would report today, attorneys for the defence stated that it may require a longer time. There are twenty-six offences charged against each of the defendants, and the jury, if it chooses, may ballot on each charge as to each defendant, making a total of 1040 charges thus to be disposed of.

All the deliberations of the jurors are conducted in a room near their living quarters on the third floor of the federal building, which is reached by a private stairway cut off from the rest of the building. That there may be no basis for any reports as to the jury's progress, every approach leading to their quarters is guarded.

Twice yesterday the forty labor union officials, headed by Frank M. Ryan, president of the Iron Workers' union, who are charged with complicity in the McNamara dynamite plots to destroy the property of the "open shop" contractors, were assembled in the courtroom in expectation that their fate at the hands of the jury would be made known.

Crowds of women and other spectators, who had been permitted in court or in the lobbies for the last three months, were prevented by guards from even approaching the courtroom, so that only those who had been in connection with the trial or were relatives of the defendants were present. These included the wives and children of about thirty of the men on trial.

The sessions of court were brief. At 9:30 a. m. the defendants occupied their accustomed three rows of seats behind their lawyers' tables. Four defendants were brought in as prisoners from the county jail. These were Edward Smythe, James E. Ray, Herbert S. Hockin, accused as "the Iago of the conspiracy," and John T. Butler, vice president of the Iron Workers' union, all of whom were taken into custody because their bonds were set aside. Smythe and Ray have been in custody for almost two months. Butler was ordered imprisoned after he had testified in his own behalf that he knew nothing of any $1000 a month appropriated out of the union's funds to be used by John J. McNamara, the secretary, for dynamite.

As a final token that the trial had ended, so far as testimony was concerned, bailiffs entered, while the defendants were waiting, and removed almost a ton of revolvers, guns, alarm clocks, pieces of exploded bombs, nitro-glycerin carrying cases and articles shattered by dynamite, which the government had introduced as exhibits.

CRANK HAD EXPLOSIVE

Calls at Postoffice and Demands $10,000,000 From Postmaster

Westfield, N. Y., Dec. 28.—The contents of a bottle with which Harry Payne threatened to blow up the postoffice has been examined and found to contan nitro-glycerin.

Calling at the stamp window where Assistant Postmaster Douglass was at work, Payne, who is about 35 years old, quietly said: "The government owes me $10,000,000, and I want you to produce it at once."

Employes went around the building to the front, and as Payne placed the bottle on the edge of the stamp window he was seized and turned over to the police.

GEM THIEVES BUSY

Big Hauls Made by Expert Hotel Raffles In New York

New York, Dec. 28.—That New York has a hotel Raffles, who has been baffling the police department and detective bureau, became known when Miss Frances B. Barnes, who declared she was robbed of $10,000 worth of jewels, offered a reward of $1000 for the return of her jewels.

About three weeks ago James H. Gill, who lives in the same hostelry, found that $3000 worth of jewels had been taken from his apartment.

Convicts Earn $71,719 For State

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 28.—A check for $71,719.58, proceeds of the sales of cotton and cottonseed from the big convict farm in Sunflower county, was received by the state treasurer.

THE W. R. C. CANDIDATE

Makes Largest Gain Today in Washington Contest

AND PASSES MR. KESSLER

About 1500 votes were cast today in the Washington contest, and Mrs. Marnock, the W. R. C. candidate made the largest gain. She has overtaken and passed Mr. Kessler, who on one day was leader of the list.

Fred Williams, after laying low since Monday, made a gain of 400. Miss Morrissett is forging ahead, and there are signs of activity in the camp of Mr. Bowditch who is making daily gains.

Harry Burr is leaving the other High school candidates behind. Gains were also made by Miss Ruth Cahill, Miss Jennie Taylor, William Allen, Richard J. Gray, Alice O'Neil, E. Alstein, and others.

Some changes may be expected Monday, as many candidates would like to secure that free certificate, good for 500 votes.

STATE, WAR AND NAVY.

The State, War and Navy building at Washington is of granite, with a frontage of 342 feet on Pennsylvania avenue and a dept of 505 feet. It has 500 rooms and two miles of marble halls.

The War department occupies the west wing, the Navy department, the east wing, and the State department the south, Models of the uniform of the United States army at various periods are shown in the War department; models of the war vessels in the Navy department; and in each department portraits of former secretaries and others.

The State Library on the third floor is the most interesting. In addition to 50,000 volumes there are the national heirlooms. Foremost among these is a fac simile of the Declaration of Independence, also the original of Thomas Jefferson's first draft of the instrument, with interlineations by Franklin and John Adams. Also the sword of Washington, the staff of Franklin, the great seal of the United States, the Hull relics, medals, etc.

ANOTHER PRIZE

A larger vote certificate is offered as a prize this week—one good for 500 votes—for the "biggest gain" during the week ending at 9 A. M. Monday, Dec. 30. Any candidate has as good a chance as another to win this prize.

A certificate good for 1000 votes is given for each year's subscription to the Daily Ledger. Old or new subscribers may pay for one year, two years or five years and thus help their friends in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	21340
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	13120
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	4270
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	3015
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2915
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	2175
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1305
Galen Bowditch, messenger	1110
Ethel Randall, stenographer	600
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	495
Sam Shellman, Granite street	420
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kelvin court	360
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	260
Richard Larkin, High school	185
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	175
Walter Mead, High school	170
Edith M. Cairns, Germantown	145
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	130
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	125
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	110
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	100
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	100
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	100
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	100
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	95
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	95
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	95
John H. Hart, timekeeper	95
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	95
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	90
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	90
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
William Allen, Eagles	85
Michael P. Barry Fire dept.	85
Williaim Erickson, F. of A.	85
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
B. L. Smith, Fore River	85
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	80
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod.	80
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	80
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	80
Richard H. Joyce, West Quincy	75
George Powers, Fore River	75
J. McCullough, shipyard	70
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	70
William Kelley, conductor	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
Carl W. Leaf, Water street	70
Alice O'Neil, West Quincy	70
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	65
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	65
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Clara Stoddard, S. of V Aux.	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
R. A. Falconer, Broadway	50
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	50
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	50
John Evans, Progressive	50
J. Hynes, shipfitter	50
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	45
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
E. Alstein, draftsman	40
Horace E. Spear, Franklin street	35
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Catherine Dolan, Atlantic	35
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
James Doyle, West street	15
Charles Archibald, L. O. L.	10
Robert Brown, "Wet wash"	10
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Capt. Fred Smith, Broadway	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	5
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5
A. I. Dixon, Fat Men's Club	5
George Westland, Quincy	5
J. Nathan, Granite st	5

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WOULD NOT SWALLOW BEAN

Wisconsin Indian Tied to a Tree and Left to Starve

Lacrosse, Wis., Dec. 28.—An Indian, on the verge of death from starvation and cold, was found by Game Warden Cautsch, tied hand and foot to a tree fifteen miles north of LaCrosse. The Indian had refused to swallow the mysterious bean of a sect of religious Indians and was tied and left to die.

Indians claim the bean will prevent further consumption of firewater. The warden says lying outdoors in a Wisconsin winter is of almost equal value, but that this particular Indian may recover.

POPULAT ON WIPED OUT

Papuan Villagers Massacred by Band of Hostile Visitors

Sidney, N. S. W., Dec. 28.—News of the massacre of men, women and children, composing virtually the entire population of a native village on the island of Papua, has been received at Port Moresby, British New Guinea, according to a message received here.

The massacre took place while Lemma natives were passing through it en route to their own settlement. The Lemmas attacked the villagers, and perpetrated terrible cruelties.

Tacking Explained.

"What do people mean when they talk about tacking?" asked Bobby, who had listened to a detailed account of his sister's first experience in a sailboat, but in considerable confusion of mind.

"Oh, you'll know when you're a little bit older," said his sister, but the small round face wore an expression of injury, and she had to explain further.

"Why, it's just turning halfway round," she said, with slight hesitation, "and then—and then you sail on the bias."

FOOTBALLS.

They Are Not Made of Pigskin and the "Bladders" Are Rubber.

When you refer to football players as pigskin chasers, state that Smithy can boot the pigskin, you display considerable ignorance, said a member of a firm which manufactures the spheroids used on many of the big and little gridirons.

For the football is not made of pigskin at all. In fact, no part of the lowly but luscious porker enters into its construction.

Football covers are made from the material that goes to make your best shoes—calfskin. And only the very best grade of skin is used for good balls. Cheap balls, such as kids buy at the corner store, are made of sheepskin. The bladder which is in the ball is rubber.

A visit to the factory where the greatest number of footballs are turned out elicits more interesting information. For instance, a shop sage says that the reason the ball is called pigskin is that in the old days a pig's bladder was used to give buoyancy to the ball. The bladder has been discarded and rubber substituted.

The regulation intercollegiate ball weighs from thirteen and one quarter to fourteen ounces. The soccer ball weighs from thirteen to fifteen ounces.

Skins for football covers are carefully inspected and are sent to the factory after special treatment. The slightest flaw in a hide means rejection.

In the cutting room skill is required to prevent waste. Cutting is done with machinery. The cutter divides the hide into as many oval sections as possible and sends the pieces to the girls who take up the next stage, which consists of carefully lining the leather with cotton twill. This is the only work intrusted to girls. It is slow and must be done perfectly.

The liners are stitched together on one machine and the covers on another. From the last machine the covers come wrong side out, and the better grades are reversed by hand. The cheaper are turned right side out by machinery.

Turning a football cover by hand requires great strength. Some men do nothing else and as a result become exceptionally strong of hand, wrist and arm.

The rubber bladder is inserted, and when inflated the oval begins to look like the finished product now seen on many fields, but the ball is not ready for delivery. It is stamped on a not press and "worked" until its outer surface is ready for the kickoff.

Although the game has changed greatly, the ball remains about the same as the old Rugby.

Changed Times.

In a meadow a half dozen young women golf players were practicing putting. They looked very smart in their trim golf suits, their skirts of rough homespun and their scarlet jackets. An old farmer and one of his farm hands approached.

"Boss," grumbled the farm hand, "them girls in the medder is scarin' our cows."

The old farmer shook his head and sighed.

"Ah, Timothy," he said with profound truth, "times is changed since I was young. In them days the cows scared the gals."—Washington Star.

The Troubles of a Giant.

George Cumberland saw the famous giant Obrian Boro in the Strand in London in 1784, and in "The Cumberland Letters," edited by Clementina Black, gives this note on him: "His hand, from the ball of his thumb, actually measures eleven inches and a half and is large in proportion. When I stood up I could just with my forefinger touch the bottom of his chin—in a word, he is eight feet three inches high, and his bones are in proportion large—but the poor devil seems to be dying for want of air and exercise. He is nineteen years of age and expects to be nine feet high."

Curious Russian Law.

Russia has a law which to outside observers seems almost to put a premium on theft by which stolen goods become the property of the thief if he can prove that he has had possession of them for over five years. In the thieves' market—which is, of course, licensed by the police—goods that admittedly have been stolen (more than five years before) are openly offered for sale, and the place is a veritable Mecca for the light fingered gentry and their enterprising friends, as also for the more honest members of society, who secure many a tempting bargain.

Same Thing.

Gillet: See here! Did you tell Budd I'd been cheated again? Perry: No; I merely said you had made another of your characteristic investments.—London Mail.

RAYMOND POINCAIRE

Premier of France Seeks the Presidential Chair



YIELDS TO FRIENDS

Poincaire Will Become Candidate For President of France

Paris, Dec. 28.—Premier Poincaire, yielding to the insistence of friends, has consented to be a candidate for the presidency of the Republic.

SANTA CLAUSE MYTH, DECLARED MINISTER

Firemen Come to the Aid of Disappointed Children

Hackensack, N. J., Dec. 28.—Even though Rev. H. A. Freer of North Hackensack does not believe in Santa Claus, the firemen of Riverside hose company 1 do, and that is why the children of that suburb, disappointed at the non-appearance of their favorite fairy at their Sunday school Christmas exercises Wednesday night, will have another celebration this evening, with at least one and possibly two Santas.

"Santa Claus is a myth and has no part in religious exercises commemorating Christmas," said Freer when he refused to permit the genial Santa to appear at the exercises in the Reformed church.

The firemen heard about the children's disappointment and raised a $75 fund. North Hackensack business men are also interested, as well as a number of women.

WILSON IN OLD VIRGINIA

Celebrating Birthday Anniversary In House In Which He Was Born

Staunton, Va., Dec. 28.—Virginia welcomed home last night Woodrow Wilson, the eighth of her native sons to be chosen President of the United States.

From the moment the president-elect crossed the state line at Alexandria in the afternoon, until 9 o'clock last night, when he reached the little parsonage here where he was born fifty-six years ago today, the reception given him was one of great enthusiasm, noisy demonstration and spectacular display.

Escorted by troops of cavalry, militia companies and a torchlight procession, Governor and Mrs. Wilson motored through the streets of Staunton to the home of Rev. Dr. A. N. Fraser, pastor now of the Presbyterian church where Rev. Joseph R. Wilson, father of the president-elect, lived in1856.

WILL SURRENDER OPTION

Jack Johnson Gives Millionaires a Chance to Bid Against Him

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Millionaires who form the Lake Geneva summer colony will be given a chance to bid for the property of Judson C. Sherman, on which Jack Johnson, negro prize fighter, holds an option.

Attorney Anderson, a negro, who represents Johnson, announced he had consulted with Sherman and he had agreed to surrender the option if the property were put up at auction. Johnson will bid for the place, but if there is a decided opposition to his moving to Lake Geneva, the millionaires there will have an opportunity to bid against him.

Cholera Killing Off Pilgrims

London, Dec. 28.—An Odessa dispatch to The Post reports an alarming epidemic of cholera in Mecca, Arabia, where 10,000 pilgrims are now gathered. In the past four days 1714 have died.

King George Goes Hunting

London, Dec. 28.—King George, who was suffering from a cold, was so far improved yesterday that he went shooting, according to his private secretary, Sir Frederick Ponsonby.

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TEN PERCENT RAISE FOR "L" EMPLOYES

Extra Pay For Any Platform Time Over Nine Hours

Boston, Dec. 28.—The officials of the Boston Elevated Street Railway company announced last night that their employes will receive what will be virtually a 10 percent increase in pay, beginning the first day of the new year.

Under the present law, one of 10-hours-in-12, the motorman and conductors receive, when beginning work, $2.25 a day. Beginning Jan. 1, they will be paid by the hour and will receive to begin 25 and 6-10 cents an hour, this being an increase over the 22 and 1-2 cents an hour as at present.

Motormen and conductors on the surface lines will from now on receive a rate per hour varying from 25 6-10 cents to 28 9-10 cents, according to the number of years of service with the company, and on the elevated lines motormen will receive a rate per hour varying from 28 2-10 to 31 7-10 cents in accordance with the years of service with the company.

Furthermore, the directors of the company have decided employes shall be "allowed overtime pay for any platform time after nine hours."

Asked About Mrs. Harriman's Credit

Goshen, N. Y., Dec. 28.—A local business man was asked by a nursery house as to Mrs. E. H. Harriman's ability to pay for fifty trees. "Fifty million if she wants them," he wired back.

New Grandson For Kaiser

Berlin, Dec. 28.—Prince August William, the fourth son of the emperor, and Princess August William are the happy parents of a son.

HISTORY AND LITERATURE.

Their Combination Is Urged In an Address by Roosevelt

Boston, Dec. 28.—At Symphony hall last night Theodore Roosevelt, as president of the American Historical association, delivered from manuscript a carefully prepared address on "History as Literature," in which, with a wealth of historical allusions, he analyzed the relation between poets and historians from ancient times, ending with an eloquent tribute to the true historian, who, he declared, makes the past live in the present, and reveals the dreams of the great thinkers of history.

His speech was a plea for a combination of history and literature. He showed it was the literary ability of the classical historians, as much as their historical genius, that has made them live.

THE FIRST WATCHES.

They Had Weights, Not Springs, and Were as Big as Plates.

At first the watch was about the size of a dessert plate. It had weights and was used as a "pocket clock." The earliest known use of the modern name occurs in the record of 1552, which mentions that Edward VI. had "one larum or watch of iron, the case being likewise of iron gilt, with two plummets of lead."

The first watches may readily be supposed to have been of rude execution. The first great improvement, the substitution of springs for weights, was in 1550. The earliest springs were not coiled, but only straight pieces of steel.

Early watches had only one hand and, being wound up twice a day, they could not be expected to keep time nearer than fifteen or twenty minutes in the twelve hours. The dials were of silver or brass. The cases had no crystals, but opened at the back and front and were four or five inches in diameter.

A plain watch cost the equivalent of $1,600 in our currency, and after one was ordered it took a year to make it.—Exchange.

GREAT EXODUS OF FOREIGNERS

May Have a Serious Affect Upon American Industry

MILLS AND MINES CRIPPLED

Class of Men Who Perform Service For Iron, Steel and Coal Concerns Likely to Remain at Home After Having Gone There to Participate In Balkan War—Pinch Already Felt

Pittsburg, Dec. 28.—Will the Balkan war result in a permanent and serious shortage of labor in America? This question is being asked with grave concern by manufacturers and operators of large industries, who have already felt the pinch in the labor market due to the fight against the rule of the Turk.

In the Pittsburg district the iron and steel mills and the mines have been somewhat crippled by the exodus of Greeks and other foreigners who wished to participate in the struggle. Thousands of Greeks are employed in the iron, coal, lead and zinc mining industries of Utah and Illinois and these plants have been seriously crippled.

Immigration during the past year—especially during the summer—has been curtailed to an unpreecedented degree. Where before thousands of immigrants were landed on American shores now only hundreds come.

In fact, the exodus during the present winter is practically as large as the incoming of southeastern European men—an unusual fact regarded in the light of the enormous immigration during the past five or ten years.

Just now, when outdoor work has all but stopped, the annual exodus of single men, who are relied on by American industries as the mainstay of their labor supply, is in progress. The holiday season annually augments this outpouring of men toward native soil.

The question as to whether or not these men will return to America next spring in their usual numbers, when work opens up, is also of extreme importance. It now seems doubtful if their return to America will be in anything like the proportion of their exodus. And this is for several reasons.

Many of these men have lost their lives. The acquisition of vast new territory which is in need of development and cultivation means also that thousands of them will remain at home with their savings to till the soil and otherwise take part in the commercial reconstruction of the Balkans. With their American ideals and American dollars they will be looked upon naturally as leaders of the new movement.

The introduction recently of compulsory education in the Balkan provinces will also have a large influence in cutting down the size of future immigration. This feature applies more particularly to the younger generation than to the more mature.

With the new spirit of the Balkan showing itself on every hand it is altogether likely that boys and young men who formerly would have flocked to America will have a keener desire to remain at home, educate themselves and take a hand in building up their new nation.

BULLET HITS UNBORN BABY

But Little One and His Mother Are Expected to Recover

Windsor, Col., Dec. 28.—Shot in the abdomen during an old-fashioned German wedding celebration and with a visit of the stork but two weeks away, Mrs. Frederick Brunock, 34, was rushed to the Windsor hospital, where she successfully underwent a Caesarian operation. Both mother and baby are expected to recover.

Jacob Lyuchtenwald and John Lyndt are in jail, charged with the shooting. Each declares it was accidental. The aby, a nine-pound boy, received a slight scratch from the bullet.

PAYS FINE OF $20,000

Wool Combing Company Settles For Violating Contract Labor Law

Boston, Dec. 28.—Charles F. Choate, representing the Barre Wool Combing company of Barre, paid to Clerk Darling in the United States district court a check for $20,000 in settlement of the fines of the company for bringing aliens into the United States in violation of the contract labor law.

This disposes of the case which started with the arrest of Francis V. Willey, treasurer of the company, and Arthur T. Saville, an agent, for alleged criminal conspiracy to violate the law.

Dynamiters After Madero

Mexico City, Dec. 28.—An attempt has been made to blow up Chapultepec castle, the national military academy and the national palace. The assassination of President Madero was part of the plot.

CHOOSING A HOBBY.

Make It One That Will Relieve the Tension of Business.

Writing on the advantage and enjoyment that a busy man will derive from a hobby, Arnold Bennett says in the Metropolitan:

"In choosing a distraction—that is to say, in choosing a rival to his business—he should select some pursuit whose nature differs as much as possible from the nature of his business, and which will bring into activity another side of his character. If his business is monotonous, demanding care and solicitude rather than irregular, intense efforts of the brain, then let his distraction be such as will make a powerful call upon his brain. But if on the other hand the course of his business runs in crises that string up the brain to its tightest strain, then let his distraction be a foolish and merry one.

"Many men fall into the error of assuming that their hobbies must be as dignified and serious as their vocations, though surely the example of the greatest philosophers ought to have taught them better! They seem to imagine that they should continually be improving themselves in either body or mind. If they take up a sport, it is because the sport may improve their health. And if the hobby is intellectual it must needs be employed to improve their brain.

"The fact is that their conception of self improvement is too narrow. In their restricted sense of the phrase they possibly don't need improving, they possibly are already improved to the point of being a nuisance to their fellow creatures; possibly what they need is worsening. In the broad and full sense of the phrase self improvement, a course of self worsening might improve them.

"I have known men—and everybody has known them—who would approach nearer to perfection if they could only acquire a little carelessness, a little absentmindedness, a little illogicalness, a little irrational and infantile gaiety, a little unscrupulousness in the matter of the time of day. These considerations should be weighed before certain hobbies are dismissed as being unworthy of a plain man's notice."

PICTURESQUE HAVANA.

A Foreign City In Every Sense, With Its Own Odd Charm.

Americans driving to their hotel through Havana's narrow, noisy streets invariably exclaim that it seems to them "as if they were abroad." The question—to borrow a phrase from the widely traveled but unemotional Mr Baedeker—"need not detain them long." They are abroad. Havana is not merely "like a foreign town;" it is a foreign town. It has its own odd look, its special picturesqueness, its own tumultuous life. It abounds in unknown dishes and strange fruits, and upon the hot tropic night it pours out half barbaric music and queer melancholy songs.

The long traditions of the Spanish dominion of the two Americas still cling about Havana's fortresses and the palaces, churches and monasteries of her ancient streets. She was a proud, rich city, the entrepot of the west, when our northern mainland was a wilderness. And now in the Cuban twentieth century she is a crowded, thriving, gay metropolis, with her own pride, her own tropic airs and graces, her own wholly un-American individuality.

She may be crowded in the brief winter season with American tourists, may contain (as indeed she always has contained) a considerable American business colony and may be a refuge for derelicts and vagabonds straight from the pages of O. Henry, Richard Harding Davis and other Kiplings of Spanish America. Still, she is always the old Havana, the Cuban capital of Cuba.—Harrison Rhodes in Metropolitan.

Sir Humphry Davy.

Sir Humphry Davy married a widow as peculiar as himself. His pet affectation was a lack of time. He was always in a hurry. He pretended that he had no leisure to dress himself, and when a change of linen became necessary he simply put one shirt over another until he was known to have on five or six shirts at a time. Of course he could not wear this amount of apparel without appreciably increasing his size, and his friends not in the secret were sometimes surprised to see him fall off in apparent weight twenty pounds in a day. His wife's great anxiety was to keep him "fit for company," but as he did not care a fig for company she had no easy task, and domestic discord was a common thing.

The Light That Failed.

It was by an accident that Mr. Kipling got his famous title, "The Light That Failed." He had almost decided to call the novel "The Failure," although he was dissatisfied with this. One evening as he was sitting in his study reading by lamplight the light went suddenly down—almost failed, in fact. In a second Kipling jumped up, exclaiming excitedly, "By Jove, I've got it!" Pointing to the lamp, he said, "The Light That Failed."

As an Offset.

"That girl has been promoted twice to my once. She has all the luck in this office."

"Well, I notice that she also has most of the work on her shoulders. So I guess she's entitled to the luck."—Washington Herald.

Made Her Laugh.

Tom—Did Miss Roxley entertain your proposal? Jack—On the contrary, my proposal seemed to entertain her.—Boston Transcript.

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QUINCY DAILY LEDGER

MEETING A GHOST

Old Tom Came Face to Face With It Between Decks.

SCARED THE SAILOR STIFF.

Then When He Got Wind Enough to Yell There Was a Lively Time Aboard the Old Sailing Vessel Till a Mate Ended the Mystery.

Of course there is no reason why ghosts should not be found on shipboard as often as elsewhere. As a matter of fact, Jack, who is always superstitious, sees his full share of apparitions. This amusing story, told by the ghost himself, is found in Captain John D. Whidden's "Ocean Life In the Old Sailing Days:"

Whidden, a boy of thirteen, was making his first voyage. The ship was hardly clear of land when a heavy storm set in. Whidden was feeling wretched and in carrying breakfast to the forecastle upset a pan of hot scouse on the head of "old Tom" at the foot of the companionway stairs. The cuffing he had for this did not make him feel any better. An hour or two later, when the men were sent aloft, the boy slipped down the booby hatch and was soon fast asleep among some rope, canvas and oakum that were piled against the forward bulkhead next the forecastle.

When he awoke it was dark, but light streaming through some auger holes in the bulkhead and the sound of voices brought him to his senses. He was surprised to hear the crew talking about him, as if he were dead, and discussing the manner in which he had been swept overboard. He heard old Tom say, "Well, I'm sorry I hit him, but the cub scalt every spear of hair out of my head."

He had another long sleep. When he awoke he heard the crew washing down decks and realized that he was perfectly well and very hungry. He found a barrel of apples in the lower hold, filled his pocket and shirt bosom, climbed back into his nest, ate apples and went to sleep again.

The next day old Tom was sent below to cut a piece of rope from the coils among which Whidden was hiding. While he was sawing at the rope, the boy, disturbed by the noise, peeped out of the coil of hawser in which he lay and met Tom's glance.

"With whitened face and bulging eyes," says Mr. Whidden, "he gazed at me a moment, then dropping rope and knife and emitting a series of blood curdling yells he dashed for the booby hatch and disappeared on deck. Every one was aroused. I heard the second mate ask, 'What's broke loose with you?' and all old Tom could ejaculate was, 'I've seen him! I've seen him!'

"'Seen who?' yelled Mr. Fabens.

"'Oh, the boy's ghost! the boy's ghost!' Old Tom was nearly frightened out of his wits.

"'Mr. Fabens,' said the captain, 'get a lantern, take that fellow below and see what scared him.'

"So Mr. Fabens descended the ladder with half the crew at his back, and old Tom bringing up the rear. As they came forward the mate called out, 'Where's your ghost? I don't see any ghost!'

"Until now I had lain quiet, but feeling that I was discovered I rose up to step out of the coil. Tom gave another yell and broke for the hatch ladder, followed by half the men.

"Mr. Fabens came up, reached over, lifted me out by the collar and marched me on deck, where I was at once surrounded by officers and crew.

"Captain King stepped forward and said, 'Well, boy, where have you been for the last forty-eight hours?'

"'Between decks, sir,' I sheepishly answered.

"'What have you been doing between decks?'

"'Sleeping, sir.'

"'What, sleeping two days and nights?'

"'Not all the time, sir,' I replied.

"'Had anything to eat?'

"'Apples,' I ventured.

"'Where did you get the apples?'

"'Out of the hold, sir. I got the head out of a barrel.'

"'Oh, you did! Do you know you've been broaching cargo?' and then, thinking the farce had gone far enough, for all hands were on the broad grin, he said, sternly:

"'Now go for'ard, boy, and if you cut any more capers like that, you'll get a rope's ending you'll remember all your life.' Then, to Mr. Fabens, he added, 'Keep him up in his day watch below for a week and give him plenty of work.'

"That ended his lecture, and I was glad it was over and that I had escaped so easily. Going forward with the men, I was pleased to see they bore me no ill feeling, not even Tom, although he might have been excused if he had done so."

Uncompromising.

John Bright's voice was unequivocally for peace. Says the London Nation: He was walking once past the Crimean monument in London with one of his sons, then a lad. Every one knows that the word "Crimea" is engraved on the monument. The boy pointed to the monument and to the word upon it and asked:

"Father, what is that?"

"That," said John Bright, pointing also to the word, "is a crime."

It is well there is no one without a fault, for he would not have a friend in the world.—Hazlitt.

NO PARDON JUST YET

Former Boston Financier Must Remain in Durance Vile

Boston, Dec. 28.—The executive council has refused to consider further the petition for the pardon of Cardenio F. King. Whatever hopes the former Boston financier had for his freedom have now disappeared, so far as any chance of the present council taking action is concerned.

The petition to the council maintained that because of a physical infirmity from which he is suffering the prisoner's life is in danger.

King was removed from the state prison to the state hospital. He has a large room at this institution and a special attendant.

The member of the council who recently visited the institution reported that as a result of his investigation he was persuaded King would have much better treatment in the state hospital than would be afforded him if he was released.

A Juvenile Critic.

A small girl of five was walking recently with her mother through the public garden in Boston. The Washington monument attracted her attention, and she inquired what it was.

"That," replied her mother, "is a statue of George Washington."

The little lady regarded it critically for some moments, and then she said, "Washington didn't take a very good statue, did he, mother?"—Everybody's.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The department store girl who died at 104 will have a lot to make up in stories to some of her friends when she meets them on the other side.

"Pull and influence gets pardon," says Mr. Pelletier. Nothing particularly new in that. The person with pull and political influence can come pretty near landing at any time.

Now that the sale is all over the State Board of health has entered a probe in that 24 cent egg movement. Most of the evidence must have disappeared by this time.

Old 1912 has had a tempestuous departure. What with coal famine, railway, money, trust and other investigations and egg sales, the old man has been kept pretty much on the jump the past few days.

Instead of the promised relief thought to be in sight two weeks ago the coal situation in this locality is getting worse.

The New Kincaide theatre is an ideal play house, the pictures are of the best and the acts, clean, entertaining and pleasing.

John D. advised teachers to save their pennies. They did not have the advantages of acquiring other people's pennies by oil manipulation as he did.

By the time those five Salem Greeks hear the call, the war will be over. They must have been troubled with deafness for a few months past.

The plan to filibuster with the immigration bill. If the proposed measure is obnoxious, kill it at once, and save time. A bad measure should never be approved.

Admiral Dewey gives good advice to the late diners, banquet attendants and those who sit down and fritter their time away in idleness and ease.

There is much agitation in certain circles to teach foreign history and foreign languages in the public schools. It is only reasonable to suggest that an insight into United States history and a correct use of the English language should come first.

That bomb which President just missed must have been a hummer to be heard all the way into Boston.

This pardoning business has reached a state where the merits of any particular case are lost sight of in the eagerness of some people to set themselves right with the public.

New York is persistent in its attack upon New England industries. It looks as though Father Knickerbocker had plenty to do at home to keep his policemen beneath the paternal slipper.

One of the best resolves for the new year is to start with all bills paid, as far as possible. The dollar paid early in the day passes through several hands before night helping others to settle their bills.

The home merchants report good trade in holiday merchandise and more customers than in former years. Home trade is improving as the stores improve in quantity, quality and prices. Car fares are saved, crowded stores avoided, and no sleep is lost by anxiously awaiting for purchases left to be sent out.

It has been an exceptionally mild winter thus far but there is an old saying that "as the days begin to lengthen the cold begins to strengthen" and the adage has proven true a great many times. Last January and February were very cold months and on several streets the water mains were frozen, so deep did the frost penetrate. Some of the weather wise are predicting a mild and open winter but if there is anything in precedent we must look forward to several

If some one eager to get before the public individual asserts "Onions are a cure for every known disease," some people would prefer to take their chance with two or three than the cure for all.

Only a few days more and the parcels post will be in operation. It will doubtless seem strange to people to be able to send such a varied assortment of packages through the mail but the innovation will doubtless be welcomed and will be liberally patronized. Just how the post office employees regard the scheme is a question but they will doubtless quickly adapt themselves to it.

EDUCATING THE YOUNG.

Youthful immigrants who come here providing their parents are in a position to maintain them have splendid educational opportunities afforded Even if the young people are old enough to go to work under the laws of this country, they are not deprived of educational facilities as night schools are maintained in all the places where immigration centers.

From certain quarters come a request, in some cases in the nature of a demand, that the study of certain foreign languages and foreign national history should become one of the courses in the public schools. From a political standpoint, the candidate for office and the politician quickly jump into the bearch and proclaim their endorsement of the project.

Now as an abstract proposition there can be offered not too much approval and very much objection to the plan. As those young people come here presumably to make this their future abode, as many of them as soon as the law and their age permit, become citizens, foreswearing allegiance to their native land. they evidently plan to remain here for the rest of their lives and bring up their children to look upon this as their future as it it their native land, there is good reason, why they should have a familiar knowledge of the history of the United States instilled into them first, and likewise a thorough and correct understanding of the language universally spoken in this country.

These things should come first. Then if there is time permitted in the remaining school years, sessions might be devoted to the study of history and languages of other countries. French, Latin, and Greek are admittedly courses installed in the higher grades of the public schools of this country. But they are more for commercial purposes and in keeping with a continued and higher education rather than an effort to infuse the national feeling of those three countries into the pupil.

It would seem strange indeed, if a little party of people from this country, should migrate to Germany, Russia, Sweden, Spain or somewhere and demand that a course in United States history be immediately entered as part of the educational outfit. It is safe to assume that the suggestion would be either treated as a joke or the proposers receive a rebuke they would not soon forget. So that while it is all very well to maintain fondness for the birthland and a desire for the home language when it comes to mixing them too deeply into the affairs of the other country the people of that country should have a little more to say about it than they are accorded at the present time. People who come to the United States and become citizens should be willing to abide by the laws and constitution of this country and its customs. When they go beyond that it is well before the step in that direction is too far advanced to consider the future consequences of such a serious innovation.

THE CHARTER.

It must not be assumed that every time one makes a suggestion, that opposition is engendered, or a rap given to the proposed charter amendment or complete revision of that very important document. On the contrary there are those who believe in charter revision who are supposed to be opposed to the measure simply because they advocate a cautious movement towards a desired end. If some caution had been used in the matter of looking into that Town River Dredging proposition the bill would never have been tagged and wiggled with a public dock proviso. It is not an amendment or revision of the charter which is opposed, it is only to guard aganist possible mistakes, that suggestions are thrown out. Every suggestion on such an important subject cannot fail to present something worthy of consideration.

In the present instance, a committee has taken the matter in hand. It has not been referred to the City Council. It has not been referred to the people. The general idea of the changes are given out. No public hearings have been given on this matter so that the ideas of the citizens at large may be secured. Under those circumstances, is not the legislative committee liable to say to the petitioners, that they had better hold

ERICSON COURT OF FORESTERS

Active in the Work of Charity and Good Cheer

OFFICERS ELECTED

Court John Ericson, Foresters of America held their annual election of officers at Wilson hall Friday evening. Routine business was disposed of and committee reports were accepted.

The charity committee reported that they had expended $40 during the past year for needy families throughout the city.

It was also reported that Vanner Johnson of 31 Miller street was at the Carney Hospital, South Boston, recovering from an operation for appendicitis. John Marsten was delegated to visit Mr. Johnson this week.

Lawrence Peterson of Mattapan, who has been ill for about one year, was reported as having made no improvement.

The committee on charity consisted of Albin Ericson, Charles Ericson, Conrad Swanson and Chief Ranger August O. Johnson.

The officers elect who will be installed Jan. 8 by J. Curtin of Weymouth, district deputy for Quincy, are as follows:

Chief Ranger—August Johnson.
Sub Chief Ranger—Nils Dahlberg.
Treasurer—Algot Ericson.
Financial Secretary—Swan Cedarstrom.
Recording Secretary—Gerna Hermanson.
Senior Woodward—John Almquist.
Junior Woodward—Olaf Hanson.
Inside Beadle—Nils Lodengaard.
Outside Beadle—John Larson.
Lecturer—Peter M. Carlson.
Trustee—Thure Carlstrom.
Physician—Dr. John H. Ash.

TEMPERANCE ANNIVERSARY

Finnish Society Will Hear Noted Speakers For the Cause

The 22nd anniversary of the organization of the Finnish Temperance Society will be observed at the Finnish Society Temperance hall, this evening The officers and members plan for a grand time. Matti Kurrika of New York, the leading Finnish editor of this country will be present and deliver an address. Rev. John E. Lillback and others will speak in the Finnish language while several people from the Anti-saloon league of Boston are expected out to speak in English.

citizens and do a great many other things before the proposed change is offered at an election. If this should be done and it has been done in other cases would it mean nothing more or less than delay in bringing about what every one desires a change that will mean improvement.

MINSTREL SHOW.

The Men's Club of the Washington Street Congregational church will give a minstrel show during January and rehearsals are being held under the direction of Henry M. French.

With 10 well known Quincy Point men sparring for ends the interest is at fever heat as only six can be assigned these parts. Nearly 40 will be in the circle and the latest good and the best old songs will be used during the production.

A continuous one and one-half hour show will be given. The club is made up of English, Scotch and Americans, so that the talent to be drawn from is varied. Popular song hits from across the water will be interpolated by undiscovered performers and several feature dances will be given by the unknowns.

The committee in charge consists of J. Johnson, A. C. Coates, J. Brooks, J. McCullough, W. Forsyth, J. C. Collinwood.

DIED AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

Albert Drew, 61 years of age, died Friday at his home 34 Mechanic street, East Milton, after along illness. The funeral will take place Monday afternoon from his late home

RINGING MAIL FOR FIRE ALARM

Rather Peculiar Mistake of Night Watchman

DELAYED FIREMEN'S ARRIVAL

One occasionally hears of a man trying to mail a letter in a fire alarm box and thus sound a false alarm but until Thursday night it remained to be recorded that any man would try to sound an alarm of fire from a post office box. Yet that is what the night watchman at the Hall Lock Co., plant tried to do that night and as a result of his blundering the department was delayed 20 minutes in reaching the scene it is believed. The watchman was a new man but when he went to work he was taken to the corner of Newton street and Warren avenue and shown the fire alarm box so that he might readily find it in case of emergency.

On the night he discovered the fire he rushed to the box but instead of trying to get the fire alarm box he got the leter box from which he tried to sound an alarm. He could not readily understand why the bells did not sound but realizing something was wrong he ran to the house of one of the officers of the company near by and telephoned to fire station from there. It is figured out that fully twenty minutes was lost in this way.

GOOD CROWD AT THEATRE PARTY

Granite City Club Members Guests of Col. Kincaide

Although the weather Friday evening was rather inclement, a large number of the members of the Granite City club accepted the invitation of Col. Henry L. Kincaide and became his guests at the new theatre. It was the first time that many had seen the interior of the new amusement house and they were gratified to find such an ideal theatre right at home, and Col. Kincaide was highly commended on his enterprise in erecting such a beautiful place.

Those of the party who arrived early were taken in hand by Capt. George A. Wardwell, the manager, and shown about the theatre, which is now complete in every detail. Everything was most orderly in every way. The ushers are neatly uniformed and courteous and the entertainment of a character that no one even the most exacting could find the least fault.

The program was a pleasing one, the bill included the great Nicholas slack wire artist, Warren and Faust singing, talking and dancing, DeStephano Bros., refined musical artists and Nelson and Milledge in a laughable comedy sketch entitled "Glass Put In." In addition to this there were five moving picture films shown; "The slate industry" which was very instructing from an educational point of view, "The branded arm" "The old reporter" "A sailors heart" and "Suitors and suit case."

HOUGHS NECK ASSOCIATION.

The Houghs Neck Associates held their annual election Thursday evening and Henry M. French was reelected president. The following officers were elected;

President—Henry M. French.
Vice Presidents—Patrick F. O'Brien and M. G. Coughlin.
Secretary—Hiram Darrow.
Financial Secretary—David Fenner.

IMBPROVING.

Matti Tappio, one of the leading Finnish residents of Quincy, who was at one time manager of the Finnish Co-operative store, and for some weeks has been sojourning at Lakeville, is in Quincy for the holidays and receiving the congratulations of his friends upon his fine appearance and improved health.

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ADAMS FAVORS SAM McCALL

Former Quincy Man Who Urges Winchester Man

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR

Indorsement of Hon. Samuel W. McCall for United States Senator is made by Charles Francis Adams in a letter written from Washington to Representative-elect Frederick W. Eaton of Concord, in whose district Mr. Adams resides.

Congressman Weeks, also, Mr. Adams holds, is competent to succeed Senator Crane, but Mr. Weeks is Mr. McCall's political junior and is moreover needed in his present place in Congress.

"I do not think," writes Mr. Adams, "either the press or the people of Massachusetts fully appreciate the somewhat exceptional importance at this particular juncture of the choice of Senator Crane's successor."

This importance, he holds, is because the next session of Congress is to deal with tariff revision, currency reform and change of the Presidential term.

"So far as these issues are concerned," he continues, "if Massachusetts is to exercise any influence on the course of events, it can only be by utilizing to the utmost the tried and experienced political characters it has at its present disposal.

"If Massachusetts wishes to use the material at its command to the greatest possible advantage, the position now held by Mr. Weeks could hardly be improved. So far as the important question of currency is concerned, he could, in the coming Congress, be illspared from the House.

"Mr. McCall, on the other hand, is, after 20 years' service, no longer a representative. He is, therefore, in a position where the Commonwealth can avail itself of his services to the greatest posible advantage.

"He would have in the Senate all the great advantage which 20 years of service in the House of Representatives naturally gives, combined with high personal character and long Congressional experience."

EAGLES BUSY WITH PLANS

Initiation Class and Ball Among the Events

Plans for the annual ball, Friday, Jan. 24, of John Adams Aerie of Eagles were completed at the regular meeting held Friday evening in Electa hall. Another class initiation will be held in January.

The degree team will install the officers of the Brockton Aerie, Jan.7. The staff and members will leave Quincy at 6.45 P. M. on a special car.

William A. Smith of Brooklyn, past worthy president of John Adams Aerie paid his fellow mebemrs a visit and addressed the meeting. He received a royal welcome.

QUINCY CATHOLIC CLUB.

The Quincy Catholic Club, composed of prominent St. John parishioners have planned two social events of interest, the first to be a Gentlemen's Night, Monday Dec. 30, on which evening the members of the Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus will be their guests at the New Colonial Hall, and the second is the dancing party which will be held in Alpha hall on Jan. 6.

Originally, the dancing party was to have taken place on the evening of Jan. 7, but plans have been altered so that it will be given on Jan. 6. Music will be furnished by Cuff's orchestra.

The floor will be in charge of Daniel J. Deasey and there will be a corps of ushers as follows:

Edward J. Murphy, Charles C. Hearn, Joseph A. Dasha, Thomas J. Dunphy, Edward D. Barrett, John W. Walsh, Lawrence W. Lyons, J. J. McAnarney, Robert E. Foy, Dr. C. J. Lynch, Michael T. Walsh, Dr. George M. Sheahan, Timothy J. Collins, Dr. D. B. Reardon, John A. McGowan, Dr. J. H. Maloney, John J. Deasy, Harry McGrath, John H. Heaney, William A. Carey, Michael E. Cook, Dr. Joseph Harkins, John W. Mahon, Leo J. Ford, Byron Brown, William J. Walsh, J. William Lynch.

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WOLLASTON FORUM.

The regular session of the Wollaston Good Citizens forum, which meets in the Wollaston Unitarian church after the morning service will be addressed tomorrow by Levi H. Turner on "Proportional Representation."

WOLLASTON MAN DEAD.

George H. York, a well known resident of Wollaston died Friday night at the Westborough state hospital after an illness of about a year's duration. Before going to the hospital Mr. York was engaged in the interior decorating business and was favorably known in the Norfolk Downs district where he resided for about nine years previous to taking a house on Newport avenue. He is survived by a widow. Funeral services will be held from Fay's undertaking rooms Sunday at 2 o'clock and will be private.

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It is apparent that the preparation for printing must proceed on a schedule as arbitrary as that of a newspaper pressroom. If the book is not produced promptly, much of its value is lost. When the closing date is announced, therefore, the printing must proceed with whatever listings are at hand. Those received subsequently must be held over for a later issue.

The patron who rushes in at the last minute with his order may find he cannot be listed in the next book. It may be for one of many reasons, such as the running of additional wires or the setting of new poles or cross-arms; but the reason is a compelling one, although perhaps it might have been overcome had sufficient notice been given.

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The Social Realm

The E. W. Blakes of 261 Safford street entertained a Christmas party of twenty-two from Clifton, N. J., Rocklnad, Campello and Lowell, Mass. The house was profusely decorated with holly and evergreen from the Blake's summer camp at Falmouth. Gifts from a well laden tree were distributed at 5 P. M. after which came games, refreshments and music. Seven of the guests left on 9.42 train. The old, old wish of "Happy New Year" filled the air as they departed. The other guests stayed over night and it was a very jolly house party.

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Horace Jenkins of Hartford, Conn., spent Christmas with his father Frank Jenkins of Billings street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jeffries Barton of Everett announced at the holiday season the engagement of their daughter Miss Florence Edith Jeffries to Carl Gorham Fowler of Wollaston Mr. Fowler is on the staff of the Boston Transcript and was graduated from the Quincy High school, class of 1906.

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William Harding of New York spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Harding of Botolph street.

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Mrs. Ama K. Lee of Wollaston who is passing the winter in Europe, spent the Christmas holidays in Paris and from there goes to Nice for a season.

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John H. Cilley and Miss Grace Berry of Manchester, N. H., and Mrs. W. H. Hill of Raymond, N. H., were guests of Mrs. Sarah Butler of Atlantic street this week.

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Miss Marjorie Melcher who has been in Chicago for several months, is the guest of her father, Abbot L. Melcher of Bigelow street for the holidays.

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Miss Avah Gilson of Linden place entertained at a chafing-dish supper Friday evening after the Tennis club ball in honor of her brother's bride—Mrs. L. H. Gilson of Brockton.

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Mr. and Mrs. James L. Trainor, nee Norma Lowe, who were married Christmas night at the Lowe home 246 Washington street are away on a short honeymoon trip. They are to reside at 19 Sterling street, Weymouth, where they will be at home to their friends after February first.

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Mr. and Mrs. John La Ture and family of Sagamore street, spent Christmas with friends in Meriden, Conn.

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Mr. Henry C. Low and sister Miss Emma C. Low of Brooklyn, New York who came on the first of the week to spend the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Low of Presidents hill, returned to their home today.

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Monday evening the Billiken Club held a Christmas party at the home of Miss Edna Robinson, Billings road. The festivities commenced with the lighting of a large tree with the tinsel trimmings arranged so as to form a Billiken; the tree bore gifts for all. Mr. Arthur Robinson as Santa Claus presented the gifts, some of which when opened, caused much laughter. A dainty luncheon was served and a pleasant evening enjoyed.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Josselyn of Wollaston announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Barstow, to Mr. Samuel Crowell, Jr., son of Dr. Samuel Crowell of Dorchester.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dona Caswell and two children are guests of her mother, Mrs. Kolb of Clive street.

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Mrs. Sylvester Brown of Wollaston announce the engagement of her daughter, Mollie Gilbert, to Mr. Willard Perkins Sheppard of East Braintree.

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Mrs. John Walter and son Spencer of Duxbury are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Appolonio of Botolph street.

Paul Blackmur, Jr., Harvard '15, was one of the members of the Glee club selcted by the mangement to make the southern tour of the Harvard Musical clubs during the Christmas holidays. The schedule provides for concerts beginning Dec. 23 and ending January 2 in the following cities: Philadelphia, Louisville, Ky., Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio, Reading, Pa., Washington, Baltimore and Brooklyn. In each of these cities the local Harvard Club and prominent society people are to entertain the members of the clubs, and the social plans include many dances, teas, dinners, smokers, rides and receptions. This is the first southern trip that the club has ever made.

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Music lovers will be glad of the opportunity to hear the splendid cantata "The Holy City" by A. R. Gaul to be given in Bethany church, New Year's night, by a large chorus of voices assisted by the girls vested choirs of Emmanuel church, Braintree and Bethany church. The concert is so well arranged it may well be classed as one of the best to be given in Quincy this winter. The following well known artists add greatly to the attractiveness of the program: Emma Shufeldt Moore, soprano; Dorothy McTaggart Miller, contralto; Edward E. Bullock, tenor; Albert E. Hayden, baritone; Roscoe R. Ricker, violinist; Daisy Bamis Sampson, pianist; Agnes B. Ruggles, organist.

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James M. Crowell of Hampden Highlands, Maine is the guest of his brother Fred S. Crowell of Elm street.

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Councilman and Mrs. John R. Richards of Centre street are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bowles of Washington, Conn., over the holidays.

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Roland Stenzel of New York City was the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stenzel of Botolph street, this week.

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Walter Grant Thomas came over from New York to spend Christmas and the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George E. Thomas of Newton street.

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The Revels were given a "boom" last night at the Tennis club dance for not onlp was it announced that the date was Friday , Jan. 17, that all those on the floor must be in some kind of fancy costume and that the gallery would be reserved for spectators, but very attractive posters were at either end of the hall, one the work of Mrs. H. H. Kitson, the other of Miss Georgiana Lane. Between one of the dances Mr. Homer with a poster hung on his back paraded around the hall under the guidance of the ever festive Miss Lane, much to the amusement of all present. This was an announcement in keeping with the spirit of the Revels—the merriest event in the social year in Quincy.

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Elizabeth Annis of Lynn is spending a week with Myrle Coombs of Billings street.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Mosman of New Jersey spent Christmas with their son, Charles Mosman, of Walker street.

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Mr. and Mrs. William A. Rogers have closed their Marshfield Hills house and are in Boston for the winter.

WESTLAND HAD APPENDICITIS.

William Westland who was taken to the Quincy City hospital in the police ambulance from his store at 1546 Hancock street, after he was suddenly stricken with appendicitis a week ago, is recovering from an operation and is doing well, although still confined to his bed.

MRS. YORKE'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs. Cinderella, widow of Virgil Yorke, was held from her late residence 122 Billings road Friday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Bixby of the Mattapan Methodist Episcopal church. Burial was in Mt. Hope cemetery. The deceased was in her 66th year. Her son Virgil is an officer at the Charlestown state prison.

McDONNELL IMPROVING.

James McDonnell, who is being treated at the Quincy City Hospital for numerous burns received while he slept in a building which took fire from an overheated stove early Thursday morning is doing well this morning. The building is in the rear of the old aluminum factory on Granite street and one of the rooms was used by McDonnell for sleeping quarters.

Pratt's Vienna Bread

Superior in flavor—crisp, clean, wholesome, delicious.

ALL LEADING GROCERS

QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB

(CALENDAR)

Jan. 1.—Literature Com. Modern Literature Class, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney at 3 P. M., home Mrs. Thomas Fenno, 538 Hancock St.
Jan. 6—Literature Com. Class in Current Events, Mrs. Leila C. Pennock at 3 P. M. at clubhouse.
Jan. 14—Literature Com. Regular meeting of club at 2.30 P. M.
Jan. 15—Literature Com. Modern Literature Class, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney.
Jan. 17—Art Com.—Twelfth Night Revels—Alpha Hall.
Jan. 27—Music Com. Musicale at 2.30 P. M. at Music Hall.
Jan. —Teachers' Reception at Clubhouse.

FINNISH CONGREGATIONAL.

The Christmas observance by the members of the Finnish Congregational church was glorious and opened at four o'clock in the morning by a service in the church which was well attended. Rev. J. E. Lillback preached, taking for his subject "Welcoming the Prince of Peace." Special music was rendered by the congregation.

At five o'clock in the afternoon a children's festival was held in the Finnish Temperance hall. Rev. Mr. Lillback led in prayer and scripture reading and gave a short address.

Matti Ruhimaki, superintendent of the Sunday school then conducted five hours of enjoyment. Piano selections were rendered by Miss Helmi E. Kokkinen and Edward Likander The children gave recitations and songs.

Arthur and John Arinius of Fitchburg, formerly of Quincy, rendered several duets which were well received and there were short addresses by the teachers.

Mrs. Wendla Pyyny, president of the Women's club of the church, presented the teachers with gifts from the society.

The Bible school of the Bethany Congregational church presented 150 boxes of Christmas candy which was distributed to the children, together with other gifts secured through the co-operation of A. F. Bromley of the Y. M. C. A.

The program was lengthy and consisted of 42 numbers. The attendance was over 600. A movement has been started to enlarge the church in the near future.

PINKHAM DEPUTY.

At the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Grand lodge of Masons held at the Temple in Boston Friday, Wor. Walter S. Pinkham of Wollaston lodge was re-appointed as Deputy of the 26th Masonic district which includes Wollaston, of Wollaston, Rural of Quincy, Delta of Braintree, Orphans Hope of East Weymouth and Norfolk Union of Randolph.

BURIED AT COHASSET.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary F. J., widow of Capt. Manuel Antoine of Cohasset, took place from the residence of the deceased, 49 Webster street, this morning. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Atlantic, by Rev. Fr. J. P. Caffe. Music was by the choir.

Mrs. Antoine lived in Quincy in her younger days and will be remembered as Miss Mary F. J. O'Keefe. After her marriage she lived at Cohasset where she was buried this morning.

BIBLE STUDENT BURIED.

The funeral of A. Hale Kingsley was held from his late home 227 Farrington street, Friday afternoon and was well attended by relatives and friends. Services were conducted by C. M. Eliot of the International Bible Students Association of which the deceased was an active member. Mr. Kingsley was well known throughout the state because of his prominent affiliation with the socialist doctrine. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery. The deceased was in his 68th year and leaves a widow, three daughters and one son.

Mistaken Identity.

Mrs Henpeck (to her pet dog)—Go and lie down there! Her Husband (coming hastily)—What did you wish, my sweet little wife?—Fliegende Blatter.

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A DESERT ENIGMA

Mystery of a Vanished Party of Australian Explorers.

LEFT NOT A TRACE BEHIND.

The Leichhardt Expedition Disappeared as Though It Had Been Swallowed Up by the Earth, Which May Indeed Have Been Its Fearful Fate.

There have been recorded many strange tragedies of exploration in lone and distant lands, but no one event of the kind has ever so stirred men's minds as did the total disappearance of the well found and splendidly equipped expedition which Dr. Ludwig Leichhardt, the Franklin of Australia, led into the central deserts of Australia in 1848.

Leichhardt's design was to march right across the continent from the east coast to the west, and as he had already led a successful expedition nearly 3,000 miles through a previously unknown part of Australia, it was generally thought that he would be able to accomplish the task.

Still, there were some who doubted and prophesied disaster, and more than one wealthy friend of the doctor's refused to subscribe toward the expedition on the ground that they were not going to help him to commit suicide.

The members of the expedition numbered six whites and two blacks, an unusually large number for an exploring expedition of this nature, and besides being amply provided with flour, biscuit, tea, sugar and so on, they drove along with them fifty bullocks and 270 goats. They also had spare horses and mules in abundance.

At that time the most westerly station in southern Queeensland was occupied by a squatter named McPherson, who dwelt on Cogoon creek. From there Leichhardt wrote a brief letter as he was about to start into the unknown land beyond.

That was the last ever heard of him or of any of his companions, and this notwithstanding the fact that expedition after expedition was afterward sent out in search of them.

As completely as though they had been swallowed up by the earth, they vanished.

This is the most puzzling part of the mystery—its completeness. Had they been killed by the natives, as was at first wrongly reported, some relics of the explorers would long since have been recovered from them. In some shape the iron work of the implements and arms they had with them would have survived.

And what of the stock? Some of the goats, at all events, must have been left alive, one would have imagined, for these are notoriously hardy animals, able to pick up a living almost anywhere. Yet none of these, nor any of the horses, mules or bullocks were ever traced.

The probability is that the ill fated expedition struck one of those waterless patches of country common in parts of Australia, into which the blacks never venture. It is not difficult in this case to prophesy what would have been their fate.

Their reserve barrels once emptied of their precious contents, the little water carried by the men in their canteens would not last more than a day or so. In the shadeless bush, in that terrific heat, death comes swiftly under such circumstances. About forty-eight hours is the limit of human endurance. Usually half that time suffices.

The explorers, we may be sure, would struggle on to the last, however, husbanding their water to the uttermost drop. The animals would be the first to go, and the desperate expedient of drinking their blood would be resorted to.

Hotter and hotter grows the air as the doomed men stagger further and further into the rainless desert.

Some lose their reason; all lose hope. Then comes the end. They separate and struggle away in ones and twos, and fall and die.

Day after day the terrible and pitiless sun looks down upon them lying there and sees them dry and shrivel into mummies.

And still no rain falls.

But one day, it may be years afterward, there arises a sandstorm of exceptional violence. The wind blows with all the strength and fury of an arctic blizzard, but driving before it sand, not snow.

When it ceases the desert is there as before; the same, yet different. Mountains of sand exist where before were valleys.

The mummies have vanished from human ken forever.—Pearson's Weekly.

Very Encouraging.

"Every time I've called on Miss Gibbleson lately she's been out," complained young Mr. Fathead. "I never seem to have any luck."

"Cheer up," answered young Mr. Nerveen gayly. "I'll tell you how to make sure she's at home. Come with me the next time I call."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Caustic.

"Yes," said the bride of a week, "Jack tells me everything he knows, and I tell him everything I know."

"Indeed!" rejoined her ex-rival, who had been left at the post. "The silence when you are together must be oppressive."

If doctors fail thee, be these thy doctors—rest, cheerfulness and moderate diet.—Latin Proverb.

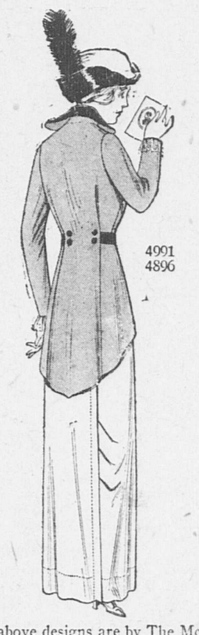
TO SMARTEN FROCKS.

Little Touches Easily Made That Lend a Festive Air to Simple Outfits.

With the holidays over, opera in full swing, everyone is busied with social doings and needs every bit of dainty smartness in attire that it is possible to compass.

SMALL ACCESSORIES.

It is after all upon the small accessories that clever dressers largely depend for the effectiveness and becomingness of their outfits. A few amber chrystal buttons, a string of cut chrystal or pearl beads, an effective sash, or stunning leather belt, a smart bag, or purse in the newest envelope form. These and many other like small belingings give an up-to-date air to a simple frock or suit, worth many times their cost and offer valuable suggestions for practical and pretty gifts for the Christmas stocking.



The above designs are by The McCall Company, New York, Designers and Makers of McCall Patterns.

FIGURED SILK VOGUE.

Figured silks in brocades and printed effects make up into desirable small fixings, as well as into lovely dresses, and fascinating linings for dainty party and theatre coats.

One great advantage of a brocaded fabric is that it "trims itself" as the phrase goes, or makes an effective garniture for a plain material..

THE BUTTON QUESTION.

It is not a question of "who's got the button" now for everyone is using fancy buttons for trimming purposes. Velvet dresses and suits of black or dark hues are given style by buttons covered with brocade, or buttons enamelled in turquoise, green, amber or any other tint that is desirable to tone in with clothes and wearer. Great use is made of chrystals especially of the small ball buttons, that set off a waist or vest piece, to great advantage.

VESTS AND COLLARS.

Vests and turn-over collars that can be worn with various costumes are to be had at the smart Fifth Avenue shops. These are combined with shadow laces and set off with a few pretty buttons and are marked at prices that range to considerable figures, but they are not difficult to make at home now that patterns for such things are supplied in sets. In fact there never was a time when one's piece bag would furnish such a mine of material for pretty accessories. The little nosegays of small buds made of bits of satin and velvet, that are tucked into the belt, pinned in the corsage, or nestle in fur on a hat or stole are prettily made from small left overs of silk, velvet or satin. Nor are the roses, violets and daisies of silk that have been so long in style at all out of the running, but the posy buds are newest.

BANDEAUX AND AIGRETTES.

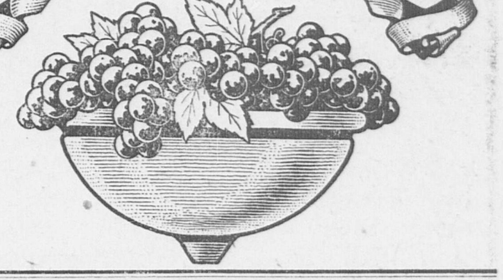
While coiffures are again rather simple, and structures built of store hair quite passe, there is a decided liking for pretty hair ornaments. Bands of handsome embroidery, done on net or light weight tissues, snake-like rolls of irridescent material, with upstanding ornaments of aigrette form add to the attractiveness of dance or dinner toilets, and little theatre toques of tinsel lace and embroidered or beaded nets are decidedly desirable possessions. These latter are still made in small cap-like forms and finished with a band of fur, feather trimming or swansdown. The latter material is being extensively used for evening wraps, negligee and even petticoat trimmings and is very becoming and youthful in effect.

Lucy Carter.

New York, Dec. 1912.

Auctioneer Johnson will sell a 7-room house on Hersey place next Monday.

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Absolutely Pure
The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
Read the Label
Alum Baking Powder will not make healthful food



THORNE CAPTURED BURGLAR

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and Monday to find some trace of his movements.

Further pumping of the fellow brought out the fact that he was the man who entered the grocery store of Howard Rogers in the Des Moines block Christmas night and carried off a lot of crackers and other eatables. The fellow had been drinking but was not so intoxicated that he did not know what was happening. A half pint flask nearly full of whiskey was found in his pocket not more than one drink had evidently been taken from it.

He was arraigned before Judge Avery this morning on two complaints One charging him with breaking and entering the store of H. H. I. Smith and the larceny therefrom, and the second complaint with breaking and entering and larceny from a U. S. Post office. The court ordered an appeal of not guilty entered and the cases were continued under $800 bonds until next Monday. The chances are that he will be held for the grand jury on the Smith case and for the Federal grand jury on the Post office case.

A 500-vote certificate will be awarded in the Washington contest to the candidate who makes the largest gain for the week ending Monday, Dec. 30 at 9 A. M. This is not a prize for the leader but for gain and may be won by a new candidate.

INAUGURATION TRIPS
TO WASHINGTON

To Witness the Administration of the Oath of Office to President-Elect Wilson; also Trips to Mount Vernon, Alexandria, New York, Etc.

A WEEK'S TRIP WITH ALL EXPENSES PAID

THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER proposes to send two people to Washington in March to enjoy the inauguration and sightseeing in our beautiful capital. We have selected one of the best tours on George E. Marster's schedule, and his name stands for a good trip every time. All the expenses will be paid the man or woman in Quincy who receives the most votes.

The winner of contest will be allowed to choose a companion for the trip whose expenses will also be paid.

DIAMOND RING

The person having the SECOND highest number of votes will be awarded a DIAMOND RING.

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F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite St.
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WEST QUINCY—F. A. Skinner.
John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—Capt. Fosdick's.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity. Fair with seasonable temperature, somewhat below the freezing point at night and light to fresh winds Sunday and Monday.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.19
Length of day	9.06
Moon sets	4.35
High water, A. M.	3.00
High water, P. M.	3.30

Days increase 0 hours 2 minutes.

MONDAY'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.20
Length of day	9.07
Moon sets	5.22
High Water, A. M.	4.00
High Water, P. M.	4.30

Days increase 0 hours and 3 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16, 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	38 degrees
Dec. 28, 1911,	36 degrees
Dec. 28, 1910,	44 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

The Christmas tree exercises of Memorial church, were held Tuesday evening. Santa Claus came at seven-thirty and the evening was greatly enjoyed.

Dr. Stewart, who preaches at the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning and evening is to give a course of four sermon lectures on "Religion and Reason or The Naturalness of The Supernatural," in the church Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of next wek. The subject of the sermon lectures are as follows: "The Simplicity of the Christian Truth and Life"; "To Be a Christian is to be Normal"; "The Homing Instinct of the Soul"; "The Naturalness of Conversion." Dr. Stewart has been heard in the pulpits of the largest cities throughout the country. He comes to us with a nation-wide reputation, as a princely preacher of great intellectual strength and with a great message that is thought, refreshing, sane, scientific and convincing.

Herbert Burch of East Squantum street has returned to his home after having an operation performed in Boston and is improving slowly.

Mrs. Louisa, wife of Patrick Griffin, died Christmas day at her late home, 16 Wittich place after a long illness. The deceased was in her 25th year and has been married about one year.

Little Eleanor Holt of Botolph street is ill with the grip.

Watch-night services will be held in the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church Tuesday evening beginning at 8 o'clock. Rev. F. H. Morgan, Rev. W. F. Stewart and Mrs. F. H. Morgan will be among the speakers. An excellent program has been prepared. All are invited.

The Womans Christian Temperance union holds their next regular meeting in Protection hall on Thursday, at 2.30 P. M. Members are especially invited to attend with their friends as business of importance is to come before the meeting. The Faxon Loyal Temperance Legion will meet at 4.15 P. M. the same day at the same place. All children of Sunday schools most cordially invited.

George Richardson of Botolph street returned Christmas eve from a business trip to England.

PRATT'S BREAD is baked by experts in proved ovens. Sold by grocers.

AT ST. CHRYSOSTOMS.

The following music will be rendered at the morning and evening services at St. Chrysostom's church, Wollaston on Sunday:

Magnificat	Barnby
Nunc Dimittis	Barnby
Sing Oh Heavens	Tours
Oh Holy Night	Adam
Glory To God	Rotoli

The choir will be assisted by Mrs. W. G. Spooner soprano soloist and George E. Allen baritone and Mrs. George B. Curran organist and choir director will be at the organ.

CHRISTMAS SLEIGHRIDE.

Christmas was a most enjoyable day at the Free Home for Consumptives, 428 Quincy Street, Dorchester and the good, charitable friends of the institution must receive thanks for the splendid festivity. Santa Claus filled the stockings during the early hours of the morn and at rising time there reigned delight and amusement. A delicious breakfast was served after which the patients had individual pleasures until one o'clock when dinner was served. It was a remarkable repast and nothing that existed to make such a dinner a success was omitted. The turkeys were provided by Mrs. Francis Wright Fabyan of 146 Commonwealth avenue; John F. Cronin, Chestnut Hill provided the remainder of the dinner; Mrs. John L. Little, Brookline, fruit and plum pudding always given by her, and now in memory of Mrs. Bernard Corr of Dorchester; Mrs. Charles B. Morrill of 183 Bay State road, candy and Frank McGrath, the cordial.

At 2.30 P. M. Miss Mary Josephine Amory of 413 Commonwealth Ave., gave a most novel treat to the patients A boat sleigh was supplied and took all the patients able to ride for a sleighride toward the Blue Hills and when they returned a suitable collation was provided by her for the invalids.

The Christmas Tree exercises opened with the appearance of Santa Claus ringing his bell at 8 P. M. A magnificent sight was presented. A tree well laden and a room full of gifts and dainties which Santa Claus presented to the inmates.

A number of donors were responsible including Herbert Sears, 287 Commonwealth Ave., Peter Crowley of Boston, Mrs. F. A. Turner, 340 Marlboro Street, also Wm. Lally & Co. who supplied underclothing, stockings, etc.

Miss Dorothy Forbes of 107 Commonwealth Ave. and Dr. and Mrs. William Appleton of 74 Beacon street have taken a heartfelt, active interest in these annual Christmas exercises and have supplied both heart and money to make the patients happy. The former originated the $2.50 gold piece for each patient and the latter the $1 new bill. The two named friends united in making up both sums.

This year a scramble and money hiding contest were substituted and brought each man, woman and child some spending money. Miss Forbes gave the toast of the day "A Merry Christmas—with kindest regards and best wishes." Many other friends also helped by donations to make the day a cheerful one for the patients of The Free Home for Consumptives who extend gratitude to all.

This Home is free and open to poor consumptives of every age, stage, nationality, creed and color.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The officers of Delta Lodge A. F. and A. M. were elected and installed Thursday evening by Right Reverend Worshipful Brother Hartley L. White of this town, a past master of the lodge and a past district deputy. He was assisted by Roy F. Allen of Whitman as marshall.

The officers elected were:
Wor. Master, Charles G. Jordan.
Chaplain, Josephus Sampson.
Marshall, John N. Rodgers.
Senior Deacon, Henry D. Higgins.
Junior Deacon, Harry J. Beck.
Senior Steward, Charles A. Kohler.
Junior Steward, Arthur W. Hoe.
Sentinel, Willard P. Sheppard.
Tyler, Edward T. Jordan.

Before the installation the fellowcraft degree was exemplified on a class of candidates. Following the business came a banquet and speech making.



SUNDAY SERVICES

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL SOCIETY, City Square—Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, 121 Griffe street, Quincy. Telephone, Quincy 444 M. At Church study 9 A. M. to 1 P. M. except Saturday. Telephone 1290. Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon: "Peace on Earth." Sunday School at 12.00. Henry W. Porter, Supt. Special Christmas music for the day.

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL—Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Rev. Richard E. Armstrong, rector. Holy Communion at 8. Morning Prayer and sermon at 10.30. 7.30 Evening Prayer and Address.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, Pastor 10.30. Morning Worship. Message by the pastor. "Religion, a personal experience." Bible school at 12 noon. 6.15 Y. P. S. C. E. A speaker from the Morgan Memoria of Boston will speak. 7.30, Pleasant Sunday evening Service. Subject: "The Great Investment."

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington Street. Rev. Fannie E. Austin, pastor. Morning worship 10.30. Sermon by the pastor. 11.45 Sunday school. 7.30 P. M. Special evening service for young and old under the direction of the Y. P. C. U. Address by Rev. Edson R. Miles of Dorchester.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cottage ave. Morning service and Sunday school at 10.45. Subject: "Christian Science." Golden Text: "Forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." Philippians 3: 13 14. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M., week days, holidays excepted All are welcome.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION, (undenominational) New Colonial Hall, Hancock Building Quincy Center Lectures every Sunday at 3 P. M. on Bible topics. Speaker, W. T. Doaden of Boston. Subject: "Cast not away your confidence." All are welcome. No collection. Seats free.

FIRST U. P. CHURCH—Fort Square, Rev. A. M. Thompson, pastor. Residence, 198 Whitwell Street. Morning service 10.30 A. M. Topic: "The Transient and the abiding." Sabbath School at 11.45. Bible Classes at the same hour. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Topic: "Missionary needs and how we may help to meet them." II Cor 8:1-9. Evening service at 7. Seats free. Everybody welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH— Corner Quincy and Water streets. Rev. James A. Matheson, minister. Telephone 1524-M. New Year's sermon at 10.30. Bible School and Men's Classes at 11.45. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 o'clock. Evening worship and praise at 7. Christmas music will be repeated at both services. Young People's meeting Thursday at 7.00. Preparatory service at 7.30

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH—West Quincy Rev. T. C. Martin, pastor. Residence, 12 Hall place. Morning worship at 10.30. Historical address by the pastor. Sunday School at 12.00. Junior League at 3 P. M. Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7 P. M Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30. A cordial welcome for all.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Corner Beale and Farrington Streets. Rev. Carl G. Horst, minister. Residence 67 Winthrop avenue. Telephone: Quincy 317-1. Kindergarten for children of three years and over at 10.45 in the vestry in charge of trained Kindergartener. Service of worship with sermon at 10.45. Sunday School at 12.10. Good Citizenship Meeting at 12. F. M. Rollins will preside and Levi Turner will speak on "Proportional Representation." The public cordially invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Joseph Walther, pastor. Residence 81 Prospect avenue. Tel. 341-4 Morning Service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12.15. Junior Endeavor at 3.30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Evening service at 7.00. The Pastor will preach morning and evening

FIRST M. E. CHURCH— WOLLASTON, Corner Beale and Safford streets. Rev. Wesley Wiggin, pastor. Residence 52 Brook street, Telephone, Quincy 378-2. 10.4 . Morning worship, sermon by Rev. Wentworth F. Stewart, D. D., of Boston. 12, Sunday School in charge of F. G. Bennett, Assistant Supt. 3.30 P. M. Junior League meeting. 6 P. M. Epworth League devotional service 7.00 p. m. sermon by Dr. Stewart.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Hancock street, Wollaston—Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector, residence, the rectory, 523 Hancock street. Holy Communion 8.00 Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening prayer and address at 7.30.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Atlantic. Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. 10.45 morning worship. Sermon by the pastor; Theme, "The Opportunities that Remain." Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Address by the pastor. Everybody welcome.

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—The parcels post will start in operation in this vicinity on the first of the new year. Most of us had rather see the delivery of letters and papers improved before the post office department undertakes anything else for we believe that the adding of the express business to the already over-burdened mails will at least not improve the present service. At the outset we find that some of the substations cannot receive any package weighing over four ounces so that for most of the parcels post business we must go to the main post office and take a long walk or pay ten cents in car fare. It looks as if the express companies won't go out of business just yet.—Malden News.

CRITICISED BY PROUTY

Commissioner Says New Haven Road Should Give Better Service

Boston, Dec. 28.—Chairman Prouty of the interstate commerce commission told Vice President Horn of the New Haven road that his road ought to give shippers a more reliable service. It is more important than dispatch, said he.

The possibility of a forced dissolution of the New Haven-Boston and Maine combination was hinted.

The criticism of the New Haven's service was made at the hearing which the commission is giving to the road for the purpose of presenting its defense to the complaints of poor service which the shippers have filed with the commission.

Prouty expressed the opinion that freight could be handled more expeditiously in New England if lighter trains and lighter cars were operated, instead of waiting until a heavy "tonnage train" can be made up and run through.

RESIGNS IN A HURRY

Noted Preacher and Writer Is Suddenly Out of Rectorship

Philadelphia, Dec. 28.—Following a two-hour secret conference with his bishop, based in part upon parish gossip in which the name of a woman was mentioned, Rev. Dr. Alfred G. Mortimer, 64, popular bachelor, Episcopal orator and noted and prolific writer on Christian doctrine, is suddenly and unexpectedly out of the rectorship of St. Mark's P. E. church, where he has been since 1891. Asceticism was one of his favorite preachments.

The resignation, asked for by Bishop Rhinelander and promptly forthcoming, was acted upon with no less alacrity by the official board of St. Mark's.

BOY MURDERS GIRL AND KILLS HIMSELF

Young Weaver's Helper Was Jealous of Pretty Cousin

Millbury, Mass., Dec. 28.—In a fit of boyish jealousy, Charles Adams, weaver's helper, 15 years old, shot and killed his sweetheart, Clara Le May, a 14-year-old mill girl, just inside the door of the Cordis mills. A few minutes later the boy fatally wounded himself with the remaining charge of a double barrelled shotgun. Four hours afterwards he died in an ambulance on the way to a hospital in Worcester. The couple were second cousins.

The police declare the lad must have been crazed by a jealous belief the girl was receiving attentions from other youths in the mill. Relatives of the dead girl declare she was in love with Adams and never was known to accept the slightest attention from any one else.

The extreme youth of the pair, the beauty of the girl and their courtship, made the double shooting one of the most unusual ever called to the attention of the police.

STICKS TO HIS FIGURES

Chance Says He Must Have $20,000 to Manage the Highlanders

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Frank Chance will not manage the New York American league club unless he receives the salary of $20,000 he demands and a percentage of the club's profits. The salary, he says, is the largest ever demanded by a manager of a ball club.

In a letter to Charles Williams, treasurer of the Chicago Nationals, Chance gave the first authentic news of his negotiations with Frank Farrell, owner of the New York club. Chance wrote that he really intended to retire from baseball, but since given the opportunity to manage the Highlanders, he "wants enough money to make it worth while."

MUDGE SURRENDERS

Head of Oxford Mills Was Sought In Alleged Mail Frauds

Boston, Dec. 28.—Benjamin C. Mudge, president of the Oxford Linen mills of North Brookfield, for whom United States Deputy Marshal Bancroft made an ineffectual search a week ago, surrendered himself to the federal authorities in New York yesterday.

Mudge is wanted on an indictment charging him with using the mails in a scheme to defraud in connection with the Sterling Debenture company of New York, fiscal agents for the Oxford Linen mills up to a year ago.

Calero Going Back to Mexico

Washington, Dec. 28.—Senor Calero, Mexican ambassador to the Unted States, admits he will return to Mexico City shortly after Jan. 1 to resume law practice.

The Weather

Almanac, Sunday, Dec. 29.
Sun rises—7:21; sets—4:42.
Moon rises—11:08 p. m.
High water—3 a. m.; 3:30 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Fair and somewhat colder; high northwest winds, diminishing.

DEMANDS NEED SOME PARING

Peace Conference Cannot Otherwise Strike a Bargain

POWERS' FRIENDLY PRESSURE

Will Be Enlisted to Whip Proposals and Counter-Proposals Into Shape—Bulgaria Cannot Control Coast of Marmora Nor Can Turkey Maintain Suzerainty Over Ægean Coast

London, Dec. 28.—The peace envoys, both of the Balkan confederacy and of Turkey, have adopted the attitude of intractability which was anticipated toward their opponents' proposed terms of settlement. Each side declares the other's demands are preposterous. Third parties, who are in touch with both groups of negotiators, share this opinion and intimate that a period of whittling is necessary to transform the proposals and counter-proposals into such shape as will enable the peace conference, assisted by the friendly pressure of the powers, to strike a bargain. This, it is thought, will occur in due time.

As a matter of fact the proposals of the Balkan confederacy by which it would come into possession of the coast of the sea of Marmora is regarded as quite as impossible of achievement as is the Turkish demand that the Ottoman empire be allowed to maintain a suzerainty over the coast of the Ægean sea, including the city of Salonica. The powers, it is pointed out, would promptly veto the project of the allies, which would, if carried into effect, give Bulgaria practical control of the Dardanelles.

The exchanges of cipher dispatches between the administration at Constantinople and Rechad Pasha continues, but the chief of the Turkish plenipotentiaries declines to divulge the nature of the reply which he will present to the allies when the conference reassembles. It is understood this will be as already outlined, with the additional promise that Turkey will apply to the European territories remaining to her the reforms which Count von Berchthold, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, proposed before the war.

The most optimistic of the Turkish military party profess confidence that the Bulgarians will never be able to force the Tchatalja lines, but that, on the contrary, with her present powerful army, Turkey will free Adrianople in a fortnight, and, adding that garrison to the main body, will take the offensive toward Philippopolis and Salonica.

The allies, on the other hand, assert the armistice was arranged to give Turkey an opportunity of making peace terms without suffering losses in the field, and they characterize Turkey's talk of keeping Adrianople, Janina and Scutari and regaining Salonica as simply laughable.

According to the Constantinople newspapers, the Turkish counter-proposals comprise the maintenance of an effective sovereignty over the territory east of the line of demarkation between the Maritza river and the Black sea, including Adrianople; while west of the line the government would be content with the recognition of Turkish sovereignty, with an autonomous regime. The government, however, refuses to entertain any idea of pecuniary indemnity.

The Bulgarian delegates have authorized the Morning Post to state that Bulgaria is prepared to vest the control of the Sultan Selim mosque at Adrianople permanently in the hands of the sultan's representatives and to make all possible concessions to Turkish religious feelings associated with Adrianople.

Bulgaria is preparing to resume the war, according to a special dispatch from Rustchuk, Bulgaria. The correspondent says the Bulgarian war minister has called up the recruits due to be enrolled only in 1914 and has summoned all able-bodied men up to the age of 60 to the colors.

HAS OWN CAR LINE

First Municipal Trolley Put Into Operation by San Francisco

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—San Francisco's first municipal street railway, the Geary street line, extending from Kearney street down town to Golden Gate park, a distance of about four miles, has been placed in operation.

To complete the road from Golden Gate park to Ocean Beach will require several months.

Balloon Sent Up In 1910 Just Found

Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 28.—E. H. Blaisdell has heard from a balloon he sent up tagged from his place of business. Mrs. Mary Shaw discovered the balloon, with the date of April 23, 1910, in a tree.

Receiver For Gulf Steamship Line

Philadelphia, Dec. 28.—S. P. Wetherell, Jr., was appointed receiver for the Philadelphia and Gulf Steamship company by the federal district court.

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e Pope's Hill	r Quincy Adams
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r 6 33	e	6 49	6 30	a	6 47
r 6 40	abcf	7 00	7 15	hgfedcba	7 41 r
r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
r 7 25	d	7 42	7 45	c	8 03 r
r 7 33	Exp	7 48	8 35	ca	8 52
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4 04	a	4 20	4 12	fedcba	4 31 r
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5 06	Exp	5 20	4 57	a	5 11
r 5 30	abcdefg	5 55	5 14	a	5 31
6 12	ab	6 32	5 24	a	5 42
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†7 05	b	7 22	5 43	a	6 40 r
r 7 22	Exp	7 37	5 55	fedcba	6 21 r
7 29	ab	7 46	6 14	Exp	6 30 r
r 8 07	abcdef	8 30	6 31	cdba	6 52 r
r 9 10	abc	9 28	7 00	fedcba	7 24 r
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9 31	a	9 47	12 15	ihgfedcba	12 42 r
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11 05	Exp	11 22	1 30	ihgfedcba	1 57 r
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1 02	Exp	1 17	3 15	ihgfedcba	3 42 r
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r 3 10	abc	3 30	5 15	ihgfedcba	5 42 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 43	6 15	ihgfedcba	6 42 r
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r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 43	8 15	ihgfedcba	8 41 r
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West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton) 6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10 9.03 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.08, 1.19 2.08 3.18 4.08, 5.1 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays** 8.09 9.08 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton) 6.35 7.27, 8.20, 9.35 10 5 11.32 A. M. 12.25, 1.35 2.45, 3.35, 4.35 5.22, 15.47, 6.18 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays** 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.28 9.06 P. M **Sundays** 8.36, 9.36, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.06 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.7 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.5, 4.35, 5.22, 6.35, 9.0, 11.20 P. M, **Sundays** 8.18 A. M. 12. 8, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

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TIME TABLE

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Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Braintree**, 6.25 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 8.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 1.30 P. M. **Sundays**, 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and East Milton, 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays**, 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton**, 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays**, 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return**, leave **East Weymouth**, 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck**, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight **Sundays**, 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays**, 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return, leave Neponset**, 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays**, 7.40 **A. M.** then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M **Sundays**, 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Neponset**, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25 A. M and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays**, 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55 A. M and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11 P. M.) **Sundays**, 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return**, leave **Neponset**, 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays**, 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return**, leave **Weymouth Landing**, 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15, 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.25, A. M. every 60 minutes to 1.25 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.25, 8.25, 9.25, 10.25 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays**, 11.30, P. M. **Sundays**, 7.25, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Return**, leave **Squantum**, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays**, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays**, 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 7.00 P. M.

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A Breach of Promise Case

By F. A. MITCHEL

"My daughter," said Judge Leadbetter to Mr. Ralph Fanning, "since sending you to me to ask for her hand has changed her mind. Not as to her feelings toward you, but she has decided to pursue the profession she has been studying under my tutelage. We are a race of lawyers, and my daughter inherits the family inclination. After giving an affirmative answer to your suit she fell to considering that marriage would necessarily prevent her following a legal career."

"It seems to me, judge, that this is a case of breach of promise. I, too, have inherited legal instincts from a long line of jurists. My great grandfather was an associate United States justice, my grandfather was an eminent criminal lawyer"—

"Enough. You enter a charge against my daughter of breach of promise. You shall have an opportunity to substantiate it and she to plead."

The judge called a maid and told her to ask Miss Margaret to step into his study. The lady came in, somewhat surprised to see Mr. Fanning there and curious to know why she had been summoned.

"My dear," said her father, "Mr. Fanning charges you with breach of promise. I do not understand that it is for the purpose of claiming damages, but I cannot allow you to treat any one unfairly. What have you to say to the charge of accepting him and then throwing him over?"

"I plead not guilty."

"Very well. Now, Fanning, you may proceed to state your case."

"My attentions to Miss Margaret have been noticeable and noticed by our mutual friends for months. She has accepted various trifles from me, especially gifts of flowers, indicating that my attentions were agreeable to her. Last evening I called upon her. We were sitting in a cozy room in this house before a fire of blazing logs. An aroma of the last lot of cut flowers I sent her, arranged in a Dresden vase by her own shapely hands, pervaded the apartment. The cheery firelight contrasted delightfully with the winter gloom without. We sat side by side on a large"—

"I object!" cried the lady.

"The objection is not sustained," ruled the judge.

"Nevertheless I prefer to respect the defendant's wishes," said the plaintiff. "I will omit the rest of what happened except so far as it pertains to the law of contracts. I then and there asked your daughter to be my wife. Her head sank"—

"I object again!" cried the lady. "The plaintiff states in one breath that he will omit what happened except as to a contract he claims to have been made and in the next breaks his promise."

"I beg the defendant's pardon," continued Mr. Fanning. "What occurred was the delight of my life. I was in a whirl of joy"—

"Yes, yes," interrupted the judge. "The court understands all that. He has been there himself, though many years ago. Please confine yourself to the contract."

"Your daughter, her beautiful face buried against my breast, whispered 'Yes.'"

There were a few moments of silence, when the judge announced to his daughter that he was ready to hear her defense.

"Your honor," she began—"I mean papa—I base my defense upon that law which has protected many a minor in an inheritance, the law against exerting undue influence upon a testator. Mr. Fanning sought to deprive the noble profession of the law of my life's services. He took advantage of our pleasant surroundings, the cheerful firelight, the aroma of flowers, the luxurious sofa"—

"Chair?" interrupted the plaintiff.

"Will you protect me?" cried the girl, appealing to her father.

"Another such interruption," said the judge sternly to Fanning, "and I will fine you for contempt."

"I claim," the defendant proceeded, "that Mr. Fanning took advantage of these surroundings to unduly influence me to bequeath myself to him instead of my natural heir, the law."

"And I claim," urged the plaintiff, "that in giving herself to the law the defendant disinherits her natural heirs, a husband and children, besides wrecking the life of myself, the plaintiff in this case."

A silence followed these words, which were spoken with great depth of feeling. It was broken by the judge, who asked of Fanning:

"Do you desire to enter any rebuttal of my daughter's statement."

"No, your honor. I rest my case, which I have summed up in my last words—that if the contract is broken it will result in the wrecking of my life."

"I reserve my decision," said the judge. "The court will take a recess for half an hour, at the end of which time the decision will be handed down."

He retired from the room, leaving the plaintiff and defendant together. In exactly half an hour he returned and, seating himself, appeared to be framing what he was about to say when his daughter spoke:

"You needn't trouble yourself, papa. The case has been settled out of court."

"Indeed!" The judge looked pleased. "On what terms?"

"We're to be married in the spring and go to Europe on our wedding trip."

A BOSTON GIRL'S BUDGET.

A Giant Christmas Tree Braves Storm on Boston Common—New England Capital Officially Recognizes Revived Customs of Merrie England—Library Officials Plan Outdoor Reading Room, but not for Immediate Opening—Teachers are Taught to Teach Pupils to Read—Great Bequest to Lying-in Hospital Arouses Profound Respect for Memory of Francis Amory.

A roof garden for summer reading does not sound particularly alluring just at present, but when one harks back to those days in last July one can appreciate the plan which is now under way for installing a roof garden for reading on top of the public library branch in Boston's North End. The natives of sunny Italy who have been accustomed to looking forth over the waters of the bay of Naples may find the view not quite so picturesquely entrancing, but it does not require much imagination to picture it as a grateful relief from the torrid glare and heat of the crowded alleys and narrow streets of the "dear old North End." The restful, quiet and cool library roof garden will serve not only as a refuge from the intense heat of the streets but, it is hoped, will thus indirectly instill the habit of reading good books in those who can read and will inspire those who cannot to learn to do so.

The great hearted humanity of Francis Amory, known to his recent death as of one of Boston's oldest families, arouses a profound respect. Mr. Amory, who was a bachelor and recluse, in providing in his will for a fund which will amount to more than a million dollars to be devoted to the Boston Lying-in Hospital expressed a sentiment which should stand as a monument to his love of his fellow beings for all time. The clause, which might well be engraved on a tablet and placed in a conspicuous place in the hospital, is as follows:

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Boston's charming revival of the old- time custom of observing Christmas Eve in the older part of the city around Beacon Hill by placing lighted candles in the windows of all the residences and the singing of carols by groups of choristers after the fashion of merrie England was this year for the first time officially recognized and made part of a large municipal programme of celebration. The Mayor decided to have a mammoth Christmas tree illuminated with thousands of vari-colored lights erected on the Common, a band gave a Yuletide concert and the West End choristers after their house-to-house caroling on the Hill joined with the municipal choristers in singing around the great tree. Mingled with admiration of the spirit of making the celebration more widespread there is a lingering regret that the simplicity and quaintness of the old time ceremonies has been interrupted. For five years past the residents of Chestnut Street and more recently of the adjoining streets of the exclusive colonial section of the West End have illuminated their windows and kept open house on Christmas Eve, while the carol singers wandered through the district singing the old time songs and winding up at some one of the residences for an informal entertainment. The custom has attracted widespread attention in the past two years and now has become merged to a certain extent with the municipal celebration, which while more stupendous is lacking in the naive charm of the old English custom. The snow storm of this season rendered the Christmas scene much more realistic than ordinarily though it considerably dampened the ardor of some of the spectators.

Taking the Public Library to the children is a new educational wrinkle at the Hub. Lists of books suitable for children of all ages are being made up, and wil be passed upon by the head of the educational department of the Library as to their suitability, and sets of books selected by a teacher will be sent to her school to be loaned to the pupils. The teachers are also encouraged to take their classes to the Library where they will be given talks on the use of books, their proper handling and the intricacies of the card catalogue. The pictures of travel history, art, industry and other subjects owned by the library will be made up in sets and loaned upon application to classes for exhibition and study. A large collection of lantern slides which has not been used as much as it should have been is to be given wider circulation. The authorities of the Library say that the teachers themselves are not sufficiently acquainted with the treasures stored in their midst and the purpose is to reach them and through them to interest the children.

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of Charles H. Porter late of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address) Hannah A. Porter, Edgemere Rd., Quincy, Mass.
HANNAH A. PORTER, Admx.
Dec. 19, 1912. 21-3t 21-28-4

Commonwealth of Massachuseits.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Corinne E. Wightman late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by William Henry Wightman of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

J. R. McCOOLE.
Assistant Register.
28-3t 28, 30, 6

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The basketball girls of the Stetson High school of Randolph, practice in Stetson Hall, Randolph, under the coaching of Miss Minerva Pray of the Posse gym, Boston, in preparation for the game with Quincy gym girls. Miss Agnes O'Neil, captain and forward of last year5s team, who had decided to give up the game at the beginning of the year will start the game Monday evening as a forward in her old time form. An exciting and well played game is expected and the winner is in doubts. The Stetson girls recognize the Quincy team as the most aggressive opponents of their season.

NEW BY-LAWS.

At a regular meeting of Quincy Lodge of Moose Friday evening at Faxon hall new by-laws acceptable to the organization were adopted. They were drawn by a committee of which Albert Halvosa was the chairman.

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BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Goodridge of Quincy have been the guests of Mrs. M. Wales Baker of Randolph.

Mrs. Alma B. Wales of Randolph, are entertaining Mrs. Walter Berry and son Donald of Quincy.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Guild of Christ church will be held Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Barron of Orchard place, who fell and injured her knee three weeks ago, is still confined to her house.

Reapers Circle of King's Daughters hold their annual meeting Friday evening, at the home of Miss Pollock, 32 Bigelow street.

This week's whist winners at the Ave Maria Council rooms were John Minihan, Napoleon Grignon and Thomas J. Shortle.

Contributors to the Hospital Campaign fund are not taking up their pledges as promptly as the committee could wish, as there is much due now that is needed to meet heavy bills the first of January .

Henry R. Loomis of Springfield has purchased of the Presidents Hill Land Company the attractive lot at the corner of Monroe road and Dimmock street, and expects to build the coming spring. There is much building on Presidents hill just now.

Special Services will be held at the Finnish Congregational church tomorrow and the pastor Rev. John E. Lillback plans a helpful sermon for his flock. It is expected that about one dozen will make a profession of faith and be accepted into the church fold.

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The pins received severe punishment at the Coliseum alleys on Friday evening when two records were broken and four men rolled over 100 for totals.

The Yard men reached the high score of 1452 for an advance of 24 pins on the previous mark and set 519 as the best team single of the year against 493 the old record.

The Pipefitters and Yard split even; the Shipfitters beat the Foundry 3 to 1, and the Government Draftsmen easily beat the Electricians, 4 to 0.

Poehler, rolled three fine strings, making 121, 105, 121 for a total of 347.

The other high totals were Kiley, 329; Burke, 317; Bliss, 312; Smith 306.

The score:

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	1	2	3	Totals
Green	90	92	88	270
Cantwell	72	88	86	246
Summers	97	82	100	270
O'Neill	95	90	86	271
Poehler	121	105	121	347
	475	457	481	1413

ELECTRICIANS.

Malnati	87	76	89	252
Smith	86	99	92	277
Gallagher	95	77	110	282
Edmondson	73	96	74	243
Porter	103	88	95	286
	444	436	460	1340

YARD

White	94	111	86	291
Austin	90	92	95	277
Kiley,	105	107	117	329
Mills	78	92	79	249
Smith	91	117	98	306
	458	519	475	1452

PIPEFITTERS.

Kateon	89	113	96	298
Hough	105	97	95	297
Blake	81	79	99	259
Stevenson	92	88	86	266
Bliss	114	85	113	312
	481	462	489	1432

SHIPFITTERS.

Fields	94	95	88	277
Fraser	78	71	71	220
Hynes	97	97	76	270
Burke	109	113	95	317
Hansen	81	83	85	249
	459	459	415	1333

FOUNDRY.

Charnock	89	87	85	261
Johnston	78	77	80	235
Kerney	73	85	78	236
Simmons	88	103	88	279
Lewis	75	79	93	247
	403	431	424	1258

RED MEN IN FOOTBALL.

Another team will be added to Quincy's hockey showing when the Redmen of South Quincy place a fast aggregation on the ice. Walter Manhire has been elected captain and Carl Carlson has been chosen manager. The best amateur teams in the state will be played. All of the candidates have seen service on the baseball diamond and football field and the most promising of them are Tissa Carlson, James Lennon, Thomas Veale, Henry Moorhouse, Russell Veale and Russell Kenn.

GRANDSONS PALL BEARERS

At Funeral of Mrs. Catherine Teasdale Today

Four grandsons acted as the bearers at the funeral of Mrs. Catherine Teasdale, widow of Robert, and mother of William H. Teasdale, chairman of the Board of Health and Ex-Councilman Robert J. Teasdale, which was held from her late home 13 Furnace avenue this morning.

A high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Mary's church by Rev. Fr. William J. Duffy. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends of the deceased. Burial was in the family lot in St. Mary's cemetery. The funeral was directed by Edward Barrett.

The bearers were Joseph and John Lynch of Holyoke, Carl Anderson of Dorchester, and William Teasdale of Quincy.

She also leaves three daughters, Mrs. Catherine Anderson of Dorchester, Mrs. John Lynch of Holyoke and Mrs. Mary Hart of Quincy.

Mrs. Teasdale was in her 77th year and was a long time resident of West Quincy. She was a faithful attendant of St. Mary's church and well liked on the community.

She was born in Ireland and came to this country in her 20th year. She was married here and resided at 13 Furnace avenue about 57 years.

DEATHS

DREW—In East Milton, Dec. 27, Albert Drew in his 61st year. Funeral services at his late home, 34 Mechanics street, Monday, Dec. 30 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 28-1t

DEWSON—In Quincy, Dec. 28, Mrs. Elizabeth Weld Williams, widow of Mr. Edward H. Dewson in her 79th year. Service private.

YORK—In Westborough, Dec. 27, Mr. George H. York of Wollaston aged 59 years.

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MACKIE—CRUIKSHANK.

Miss Margaret Jane Cruikshank and William Rae Mackie were married Dec. 24 at the home of Alex Munday, 194 Common street, where they both resided by Rev. J. A. Matheson of the First Presbyterian church. The bride is a shoe worker and the groom is a laborer. Following the ceremony a reception was given the newly wedded couple and refreshments were served a large number of guests who were present from surrounding cities and towns.

CHRISTMAS EXERCISES.

The children of the Sunday School of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Atlantic will hold their Christmas Tree exercises Sunday afternoon at the church, under the direction of the pastor, Rev. J. P. Cuffe.

A program consisting of Christmas carols and recitations has been arranged and gifts will be distributed to the children and teachers.

CLUB SPEAKERS.

The following events have been arranged by the Men's club of the East Milton Congregational church: Jan. 15, Illustrated lecture, "Rome," Rev. Andrew J. O'Brien, D.D.; Feb. 19, Ladies' Night and lecture, "Panama and the Big Canal," by Rev. R. Perry Bush, D.D.; Mar. 19, lecture "The American Revolution," by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott; April 16, lecture, "The Manufacture and use of Glass," by Elwood W. Pearce; May 21, lecture, "Prison Reform," by Rev. Herbert W. Stebbins, chaplain of the Charlestown State Prison.

BRIEFS

The Christmas tree of St. Mary's Guild which was planned for Friday evening has been postponed to Monday evening because of the storm.

The State Federation of Women's Clubs, under the chairmanship of Mrs. True Worthy White, of the literature and library extension committee, will hold a conference in the Boston Public Library on Friday at two o'clock, Jan. 3. The speakers are Miss Angela Morgan and Mrs. Josephine Preston Peabody Marks, who will read from their own verse. Miss Alice Spaulding will speak on "Methods of Drama Study," Mrs. True Worthy White will speak, also Mrs. Henry Coolidge Mulligan, president of the State Federation. All club women are invited.

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QUINCY TO GO FOR THE HONOR

If Battle With Lynn Fosse Is Played Today

ISSUE WILL BE SETTLED

Soccer fans of Greater Boston were disappointed Christmas day because of the postponement of all of the scheduled contests. But as many interesting games are down to be decided today and every effort is being made to have the various grounds cleared so that the teams can play.

The principal game on the schedule is the meeting of the Quincy team and Lynn Fosse at Lynn, and as both teams are running a close race for honors, Quincy being only two points ahead of the Fosse, the result of this game should decide the destination of the league's trophy and the championship for the season of 1912.

Quincy's supporters will accompany the Granite city team in large numbers to witness the game. Advice from the teams' headquarters assure strong teams and a rousing game is sure to be the outcome.

OLD RESIDENT PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Dewson Had Been Sick Many Months

Mrs. Eliabeth Weld Williams widow of Mr. Edward H. Dewson passed away at her home 235 Adams street this morning after an illness of some months duration. Mrs. Dewson has been a resident of Quincy for many years and since the death of her husband has made her home with her son and daughter. She leaves four sons and two daughters. Frank Dewson of Chicago, George Dewson of Milton, William I. Dewson who lives at home Edward Dewson of New York, Mrs. William S. Stone of Providence, R. I. and Misses Mary W. Dewson who also lives at home.

DYNAMITE JURY

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The case is one of the most celebrated in criminal annals of the United States and grew out of the famous case against John and James McNamara who after a lengthy trial, pleaded guilty to blowing up the Times building at Los Angeles, Cal. when 21 people lost their lives.

Then the Federal authorities got busy and the 40 men were rounded up from all over the country. Ortie McManigal and Edward Clark two accomplices turned states evidence in all the cases.

DISTRICT COURT.

Harry O. North was sent to the state farm for being a tramp at Milton.

Michael J. Burke was fined $2 costs for drunkenness at Quincy.

William Braun was arraigned on two complaints for breaking, entering and larceny at Quincy. Cases continued under $800 bonds until Monday.

Michael Russo was fined $15 for assault on his wife at Quincy. The case for threatening assault was placed on file. The old case against him was continued until Jan. 2.

Knew Her Hubby.

Mother—Is your letter to your husband ready to mail?

Married Daughter—It's all done excepting the postscript telling him to send me some more money. I'm looking for another sheet of paper.

"Write it across the lines."

"No, indeed. He'll pretend he couldn't read it."—New York Weekly.

Too Late For Classification.

WILL BE SOLD—Maxwell Touring car, seats five. Was recently overhauled and is in first-class condition. Tires new and car fully equipped. S. Scammell & Sons' Garage. 28-6t

WANTED—At once experienced waitress and waiter. Apply at Dennen's Cafe, 1271 Hancock street, Quincy. 28-6t

TO LET—Tenement of 3 rooms suitable for housekeeping, all improvements all furnished. Apply at 15 Cotton avenue off Shaw street, East Braintree. 28-3t

BRAINTREE

Mrs. Flora Lane of Swansea, N. H., is visiting Mrs. Francis T. King of Brookside road.

Letters remain in the post office for Mrs. L. Wetmore, Mrs. C. E. Starkie, Miss Primrose Balfour.

Walter Hastings has bought the house on Maple street, recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thayer.

Mrs. Michael Nichelson of Elliott street arrived home Sunday from Cohees, N. Y. where she has been visiting friends for some months.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Close announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Ethel to Charles Henry Pratt of Mt. Vernon street.

Charles H. French came home from New York, Monday, to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. George French of Stedman avenue.

Helen M. McAnarney a pupil at Mount St. Joseph's Academy, Brighton, is spending her vacation with her mother Mrs. Catharine McAnarney, at 25 River street.

Carroll M. Bill is giving an exhibition of water colors of the Azores, Spain and Morocco, at 9 Beacon street Boston, until Jan. 1. Ladies admitted from 9.30 to 11 A. M.

Mrs. Martha Freeman Fearing for years a resident of Hingham, died at the Home for Aged, Quincy avenue, a few days ago, aged 72. Miss Mary E. Stedman, died at the same place two days later. She was 93 years old and a native of Old Orchard, Maine.

A party of about 40 young people, English and Scotch held a very enjoyable time Christmas night, at the home of Claude Brown, Cotton avenue, East Braintree. To begin the programme there was a short whist drive the remainder of the evening was occupied with games, singing and dancing.

Wallace P. Mercer, who has many friends here, having been superintendent of the Braintree electric light department, and who has been general manager of the Delphos and Van Wert Ohio, electric light plants for the past two years, has been given a nice promotion and will in the future have general supervision over a number of plants in different states.

Miss Susanna M. Thayer passed away Christmas day at her home on Washington street in her eighty-third year. She and her sister Sarah, who died a few years ago, were staunch supporters of the First church and they had a large circle of friends. They owned the home on Washington street opposite River street and the old homestead next door, occupied by Mr. E. G. McGill and family. The funeral will be held this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Arnold of Middle street entertained a large party on Christmas day. There were about thirty, including the children, at dinner. Presents were distributed from the tree at four o'clock. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Cain, Miss Albina Cain, Theron Cain, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cain and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cain and family, Mrs. Jennie Holton, Miss Florence Holton, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holmes and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. John Ruggles and baby, Miss Rachael Monroe, and Harry Holton.

Miss Margaret Sullivan, one of the most popular young ladies of the Wistaria club was tendered a surprise party at her home, 9 Taylor street, last evening by the members of that organization. There was a large attendance, including several of the sterner sex. Miss Sullivan was presented with a gold bracelet, the gift being conveyed in a clever little speech by Miss Nellie McGaughey, the retiring president. The recipient of the token, although somewhat taken aback responded with a few well chosen words of thanks.

On Wednesday, December 18th, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman White of Brockton, formerly of Braintree started for California, intending to make that their home where Mr. White will start in a new business. On boarding the train at the South station, they were surprised by a large party of relatives and friends who had come to see them off, all bringing baskets, boxes and packages filled with a variety of tempting foods and numerous presents, causing them to think they would have to hire another apartment in order to make room for all the donations.

—"There are two kinds of business news—community news, the activities of business and civic organizations. and this news the newspapers are publishing in increasing volume doing their part notably and helping in the great work of rousing the New Spirit in New England. The other kind is the news of individual enterprises, and this news is advertising, which must be published and paid for by the one who profits by the results."—Pilgrim Publicity.

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SOUTH BRAINTREE

Mrs. Joseph Kyte is seriously ill at her home on Pond street.

Mrs. Williard Barclay of Academy street, is entertaining her mother Mrs. Hanson of Milltowne, New Brunswick.

George S. Parker of Hancock street is making an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Merrill of New Vineyard, Maine.

The many friends of Miss Kathleen Murphy who recently sailed on the Saxonia will be pleased to learn of her safe arrival at her home in Ireland.

The Monatiquot Rubber Co., distributed considerable money among the employees at the mill at Christmas, proportioning the gift by the term of service.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Woodsum of Springfield, are receiving the congratulations of their many friends here because of the arrival of a little son on Christmas day.

This week Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Dyer have been moving into their new home on Thayer avenue. Contractor Judson Smith had the building in charge, and O. M. Rogers did the plumbing.

Mrs. Hattie Harris, who has been with her sister, Mrs. I. R. Coy, for several weeks, has gone to Sharon, Vt., to visit relatives and assist in the care of her uncle.

The Slater & Morrill shoe factory closed Tuesday noon to allow their employes who live out of the state a chance to visit their homes and yet return in time to renew their business interests on Thursday.

Miss Agnes Delano a former resident of this town was the guest a part of the week of the Misses Foster of Washington street. On Saturday she expects to return to her home in Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bearse and son Vernon from Hyannis and Francis Coleman of Marstons Mills, Mass., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cobb of Washington street the past week.

At the Herbert Whites, a party consisting of the family Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waters and their two sons, Mrs. Brown and Miss Jessie Brown of Boton, George Cramer of South Braintree, and the six Miss Jenders of Holbrook enjoyed a big and handsome tree on Christmas day.

At the December meeting of the Neighborhood club which was held with Mrs. Charles Waters, a committee consisting of Miss Albina Cain Mrs. Hannah Horton and Mrs. Ralph Cain was appointed to nominate the officers for the coming year, the January meeting being the annual meeting of the society.

Sons of Veterans Auxiliary 16, and Camp 32, S. V., held their regular meetings at G. A. R. hall on Monday evening. After the business meetings a large Christmas box filled with various sized packages was brought into the hall. After the gifts were distributed to each member by N. E. Hayden and P. W. Holbrook, delicious salads, sandwiches, cake, pies and hot coffee were served by the ways and means committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cain and family of Washington street, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cain and son and Miss Bertha Cain of Plymouth avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Cain, Miss Albina Cain, and Mr. Theron Cain were all guests of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Arnold at a family Christmas party on Christmas day. Ralph Cain took the whole party down to Braintree in a big pung with a pair of horses and a jolly ride added to the merriment of a very pleasant day.

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HALL PLACE CHURCH CELEBRATES THREE ANNIVERSARIES THIS YEAR

Pastor Kelly Preached First Methodist Sermon in Quincy 40 Years Ago

Interesting Recital of Facts Concerning That Period

At the morning service at the Hall Place M. E. church, the pastor, Rev. T. C. Martin, read the "Historical and financial Statement as made by Rev. Samuel Kelley, the pastor of the church, Dec. 15th, 1874, at the dedication," in part as follows:

"The first Methodist Sermon was preached by S. Kelley, the Pastor in Enoch H. Doble's Hall, Sunday, April 28th, 1872. A class was formed Sept. 6th, 1872, consisting of 12 persons, which is now in membership and probation 49.

"The Sabbath school met in the afternoon in Mr. Doble's hall and was originated and conducted by members of the Orthodox Congregational church. It was formally transferred to the care of the pastor and friends now composing the present Congregation Jan. 1, 1873. The school at present numbers 159. Average attendance between 90 and 100.

"A substantial proposition for constructing a church was made in June 1873. A subscription book was opened August 1, 1873 and subscriptions solicited and mostly collected by the pastor.

"Joseph W. Robertson donated and deeded to the trustees a half acre of land on part of which the building now stands. Nathaniel Beals donated a building the material of which was used in this structure and valued by the contractor at $700.00 and in addition made a generous subscription of $500.00 toward the church.

"Thomas J. Bowers had the contract for grading the lot and the foundation. Jonas Shackley, the contract for the carpenter work and material. Chas. Mitchel the painting.

"The main building is 40x50 feet with a vestry under the whole finished with three rooms 10 feet in the clear in height. The audience room contains 56 pews. The tower in front at base is 16 feet square and near 100 feet in height surmounted by a spire and weather-vane. In the tower is placed an 8-day clock.

"John L. Hill architect of Quincy gave his services for the general ar-

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BILL AIMS TO PREVENT JAGS FROM RENEWING LOAD

Hultman Drafts a Measure Which May Be Means of Saving Many Drunks

Return of Liquor Always Means Rearrest Soon After

An act for the seizure and forfeiture of intoxicating liquor found on persons arrested for drunkenness has been drafted by assistant court officer Arthur B. Hultman and will be presented at the incoming session of the legislature by Representative-elect Michael T. Sullivan. The bill aims to discourage the use of liquor after a man has been convicted, since it is possible for the man to pay his fine and then claim what liquor is found on his person when arrested.

The bill is the result of the experiences of Mr. Hultman who acted as probation officer for some time. He found that one of the greatest inducements held out to a man to continue drinking after he had been arrested and convicted was to turn over what liquor had been taken from him at the station house.

The object of the bill is not to dispute the ownership of the intoxicants but to remove a possibility from a man's path. Many leading men throughout the state are said to be in favor of its passage. The text of the bill is as follows:

An act for the seizure and forfeiture of intoxicating liquor found on persons arrested for drunkenness.

Sec. 1. Whoever arrests a person for drunkenness within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall certify in his complaint against such person the amount of intoxicating liquor found on the person so arrested and if a person so arrested is convicted the Justice having Jurisdiction of such offense shall issue an order at the time of the conviction of such person so arrested to the officer in charge or to the keeper of the place of custody in which the person arrested was confined that the said officer or keeper shall within 60 days forward all such liquor found on such person so arrested and convicted by commoncarrier to the chief of the district police of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, who upon receipts of same shall

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POMEROY MADE TRY FOR LIBERTY

Had Reached the Corridor

When Found By the Guard

(Special to the Ledger.)

Jesse Pomeroy, made another unsuccessful attempt to break from his life imprisonment of solitary confinement at Charlestown State prison today.

Noticing a scurrying cat in the corridor of the prison about noon today, Guard Thomas Brassill immediately stepped forward and saw Jesse Pomeroy in the corridor. He threw up his hands when the guard levelled a gun at him and was returned to his cell without resisting.

An investigation showed that the three lower bars of his cell had been sawed and that the bolt on the wooden door had been drawn back. It is thought that tin from drinking cups had been fashioned into a crude saw and that the bars were severed in this way.

Of late there has been considerable talk with regard to granting the states most noted prisoner some liberty. Governor Foss with Mrs. Foss visited the prisoner Christmas day and talked with Pomeroy regarding liberty.

Pomeroy's mother lives at North Weymouth in a small cottage house and to visitors she appears to be a mild, modest women who has seen great trouble, but freely expresses the hope that some day everything will turn out all right.

MACKAY MAKES A BID BUT FRED WILLIAMS WINS

Prize Certificate Good For 500 Votes in the Free Washington Contest

Big Gains for Sturgis Hunt and Mrs. Marnock

Tremendous gains were made by some of the candidates in the Daily Ledger Inauguration trip contest today, and there are some changes among the leaders. It was the biggest day yet in voting, over 15,000 votes being cast. Only 1500 of these votes were by subscription certificates so that it is very evident that the Daily Ledger has a large circulation. However not half of the coupons printed have been voted, probably about one in four or five.

At one time this morning it looked as though Sturgis Hunt had made the largest gain during the week as he added 1305 today, but A. R. MacKay, the Heptasoph man, had his eye on that prize certificate, and at 8.30 made a bid of 4,020 for it. This looked

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SCANDINAVIAN SOCIAL CLUB

Entertain Friends at Well Attended Christmas Festival

A Christmas festival under the auspices of the Scandinavian Social club drew a large number to Electa hall, Saturday evening. An entertainment dancing and refreshments was the program for the evening. Guests were present from Milton, Braintree and Weymouth.

Several readings by H. Nelson and piano selections by Mrs. K. Schabouski were well received. A concert by the Colonial orchestra preceded the dancing which continued to midnight.

The affair was under the direction of H. Stenburg, A. Bergstadt, Oscar Carlson, H. Wallin, A. Larson.

PREACHED IN HOME CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Andrew J. O'Brien, professor of Dogmatic Theology at Brighton Seminary and son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael F. O'Brien of Crescent street, celebrated the nine o'clock mass at St. Mary's church Sunday. Rev. Dr. O'Brien was an altar boy at the church until he left to complete his studies at the American College at Rome. He preached an eloquent sermon on the gospel of the day. He is a graduate and honor pupil of Adams Academy and Boston College.

☞PRATT'S BREAD—the staff of life for you and your wife. Get a loaf today.

CURLEY HEADED PROTEST PARTY

At Tavern, No Hotel Bellevue on Immigration Bill

An actice opposition is developing in Quincy to the passage of the Burnett-Dillingham bill, with the illiteracy test, which will come before Congress within a few weeks. Sunday Congressman Curley, the active leader of the opposition, addressed a gathering of interested parties at the Hotel Bellevue, Boston. Among those present were Joseph B. Grossman and Samuel Kadets of Quincy.

A mass meeting will be held this week by all the Jewish organizations throughout the state and committees will be formed to secure signatures to a memorial to President Taft asking for his veto in case the bill is passed.

An effort will be made to have all societies in the state affiliate in one large protest against the bill.

At a meeting of the Quincy Young Men's Hebrew Association Sunday afternoon resolutions were passed agaist the bill and it was voted to ask other Quincy organizations to do the same.

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CHARTER COMMITTEE DECIDES TO WORK THROUGH CITY COUNCIL

Suggests That Three Propositions Be Placed on Ballot at Next State Election

This Form of Revision May Present Some Obstacles

The citizens committee, interested in the movement to revise the City Charter held a meeting Saturday evening in the Mayor's office at City Hall. City Solicitor McAnarney was present at this meeting and Councilman Studley. The others present were the same as at the meeting a week ago.

The several propositions decided upon at the previous meeting were again taken up and discussed. It was the intention of the committee at first to ignore the City Council and send its petition direct to the legislature. This action has caused some criticism with the result that the meeting Saturday night voted to submit the matter to the City Council and have the

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DYNAMITERS SENTENCED

Appeals and Request For New Trials Denied

RYAN GETS SEVEN YEARS

(Special to the Ledger.)

Sentences were imposed by Federal Judge Albert B. Anderson at Indianapolis this morning on the 38 labor officials convicted of conspiracy and promoting the McNamara dynamite plots throughout the country.

The prisoners were taken from their cells in the county jail, each being handcuffed between two deputy marshals.

Frank M. Ryan, International president of the Bridge and Iron Structural Workers Association received a sentence of 7 years.

Michael J. Young of Boston received a sentence of 6 years. Sentences of from one to six years were imposed on the remainedr of the prisoners including Frank J. Higgins the other Boston man.

Judge Anderson denied motions for an appeal, a new trial and a stay of judgement.

MILNE—ALEXANDER.

Miss Ann Alexander of 80 Goffe street and Alfred Alexander Milne of 1 Laury street were married at Belmont, Dec. 12 by Rev. Alexander Blackburn. They will reside in Quincy.

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AL EDWARDS — Comedy Musical Artist
CARDOWNIE SISTERS — Scotch Dances
COMEDY PICTURE "Jack in the Box"

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Begin the New Year right; pay what you owe, demand what is your due and if possible start 1913 with a clean slate. If every business could start each year in that condition there would be fewer failures and greater general prosperity .

If ever there was a justification for the application of refined art in the tar and feather line, it should be handed out to those women who would recklessly endanger the lives of hundreds by shifting train signals in London.

The Dynamiters received their Christmas and New Year greetings at the same time.

The New York ticket speculators magnanimously acknowledge that the Chicago brethern put one over on them by cornering the reservations in the cafe's New Year's eve.

Heroic deeds are being performed by several hundreds of Uncle Sam's men right off the coast, yet little space is devoted to their exploits. They are not pictured as often as the college football hero, no one offered them a vaudeville job and even the yellow journals do not offer them a sou for writing up the story of some daring and hair-raising rescue.

Every little while there is a notice of some person's "battles with crime," which, were they taken seriously would be productive of smiles.

Are the youths getting more bug-house than usual? It used to be a harmless kind of moontide mania that they experienced, but now it is love, stock market, murder and suicide. A hard combination which ever way taken.

"Help from the Hub for the Grand Trunk," is the latest. Yes it should be first aid to the injured in getting the company out of the state and New England, the cancellation of that charter or franchise and active work by Boston men to fill up the gap.

Col. Roosevelt is reported that he is mum on politics until such time as he is called upon to speak. He will not remain tongue tied for too long a period.

To let signs are the main features of the local political headquarters at the present time.

The L Employees will receive substantial New Year gifts in the form of increased pay and shorter hours.

Will somebody kindly ring off the publicity tolling of that East Boston tunnell bell.

Those people in Adrianople have a good fat chance of starving to death, while the peace envoys are wining and dining in London.

Denver, Col., six railroads entering its borders. Boston much larger has how many and under what control?

Pulls, pardons and prosecutions, all commence with the one letter. We hear much of the three p's the present day.

The Turkish government for centuries has always hinted at reforms when in a tight place, but the land of the Sultan has never got beyond the boundary line of hints.

The excise board of Boston suggests more Sunday drinking places for Boston. Evidently the excise board has passed by some of those already in operation and noted the process.

Sailing from Boston is good, but how about railroading to and fro?

VALUE FOR VALUE.

The address of President-elect Wilson on the occasion of the celebration of his birthday at his birthplace furnishes a vast amount of food for thought. If carried out to its logical conclusion, it means an evolution in many things which will prove strange to the average office holder. "The men who will serve will profit" declared Gov. Wilson. A splendid and far reaching sentiment. Can it be attained? If Gov. Wilson can reach the goal which he has pointed out for himself and his administration, he will have accomplished a remarkable service for the country, reached a plane hitherto unexplored and performed an inestimable service to the country. At the present time there is too much of this "getting something for nothing" spirit among the beneficiaries of the public service. The elimination of this small graft, small when taken individually, but enormous when calculated as a whole, would mean a great saving to the country. In the matter of internal revenue collection alone, there is no doubt room for a revision of the system, which would mean a vast saving each year.

President-elect Wilson, has set himself a herculean task. If he succeeds, the credit will be his and the country will honor him for it. Even if his success is only partial his action will be commended. That in many departments radical changes, revisions, inquiry as to competency and value of service rendered would undoubtedly lead to an improvement which would be far reaching and save many millions to the government each year.

HEROIC SERVICE.

The winter season has hardly entered upon its campaign of destruction yet the United States revenue cutter service has already performed heroic and distinguished service in the saving of life and property. On the New England coast where the weather conditions at this time are so variable changing from calm to storm with such terrific suddenness ttha it is almost impossible to ward off disaster, the coastwise and other marine craft who have been caught in the toils have had occasion many times to offer up thanksgiving for the efficiency of the service as conducted and to the heroic methods employed by the men on the little revenue cutters. The people who were on that big steamer off Atlantic City, the day before Christmas were afforded an opportunity to judge of the manner in which the revenue cutters perform this great work upon which they engage. The service is inestimable from all points. The promptness with which relief is afforded, the unostentation in saving the lives of people and porperty as well, the calm manner in which those seamen, of Uncle Sam, officers and men rise to the occasion is worthy more than passing notice. Every time they go beyond the harbor bar they take their lives in their hands. No word of complaint is ever heard from them. They enter upon the duty assigned with an enthusiasm which is creditable. All honor to the men of the Revenue service. They are entitled to a place in the hall of fame and their names are deserving to be enrolled upon the scroll of fame

CHARTER REVISION.

As previously stated the Ledger is not opposed to the revision or amendment of the City charter, or any move which will tend to improve conditions. The Ledger has taken the stand however, that it is not so much a matter of charter as men and the people themselves. Whatever there exists at the present time is not due to short comings in the charter, or short comings on the part of the men who make up the City Council, but on the part of the citizens. Sectional feeling in communities run high. Members of the City Council to retain favor of their constituents and be returned to office must vote for certain measures which the people in their sections demand, even though the Councilman may not consider it the wisest proposition. Members from other sections are equally harassed and importuned. The result. In order to carry certain measures, members must deal with each other and aid in the distribution of favors, although they know full well such a course is not the most business like or economical. With all the members elected at large they would be responsible to the entire community. They could take up improvements as they were deemed necessary and made permanent. Under the sectional system, it is a stitch here and a stitch there, and by the time all the stitches demanded are taken, about half of the first lot are useless and require further attention.

With regard to the charter revision proposed by the committee, there is the difficulty that not a forward step may have been made despite the earnest time and labor put in on the proposition.

It is rather doubtful if any legislative committee, would report to the legislature, recommendations for the placing of three questions on the ballot, where only one is really involved. The usual course of such procedure is to have a joint committee, of members of the City Council and citizens selected, and this body gives hearings and takes up other charters and from the testimony and observation of experiences of other places, prepares a charter for the legislature to act upon. The legislative committee gives hearings and in some instances revises even the charter as submitted by the committee before the legislature, and then the charter as a whole is submitted to the people.

But this form of presenting three questions, wherein only one is required, is liable to lead to complications which may delay the change desired by all.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

5 VOTES 5

NAME

STREET

PLACE

VOTING CONTEST

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good for fifteen minutes only, for Fred D. Williams was not willing to relinguish first place; oh, no! He added today 7,065 votes, and is forging ahead fast.

Other large gains today were made by Mrs. Marnock, 855, which with 715 makes 1570 for the week, and a total of 3870. Mr. Bowditch added 635 today which with a daily gain made 1205 for the week, and his total is now 1741.

Richard A. Cole, the letter carrier added 310 today, Mrs. Lamont 125 and gains were also made by Walter Mead William Wolf, Sam Prout, Ambrose O'Dowd, M. S. Nicoll, George L. Phillips, R. A. Falconer, Alice O'Neil, George Powers and Shirley F. Nutting.

By his big gain today Mr. MacKay passes R. E. DeNormandie and is now No. 3. Mr. Bowditch passes Mrs. Lamont and is now No. 8. Mr. Cole passes Miss Randall and is now No. 10.

The prize certificate good for 500 votes is awarded to Mr. Williams.

TWO MORE PRIZES.

Two prizes will be awarded Monday, Jan. 6, a first and a second prize for the largest gain in total during the week ending at 9 A. M. on that date. The prizes will not be vote certificates but very acceptable prizes to the winners. Get busy.

A certificate good for 1000 votes is given for each year's subscription to the Daily Ledger. Old or new subscribers may pay for one year, two years or five years and thus help their friends in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	28405
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	14425
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	8290
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5240
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	3870
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2915
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent St.	2175
Galen Bowditch, messenger	1745
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1430
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	805
Ethel Randall, stenographer	600
Sam Shellman, Granite street	420
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kelvin court	360
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Harry Burr, Q. H. S. '13	260
Walter Mead, High school	195
Richard Larkin, High school	185
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	175
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	160
Edith M. Cairns, Germantown	145
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	125
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	115
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	115
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	110
George Powers, Fore River	110
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	110
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	105
Alice O'Neil, West Quincy	100
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	100
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	100
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	100
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	100
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	95
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	95
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
John H. Hart, timekeeper	95
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	95
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	90
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
William Allen, Eagles	85
Michael P. Barry Fire dept.	85
Williaim Erickson, F. of A.	85
John T. Cain, K. of C.	85
B. L. Smith, Fore River	85
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	80
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod.	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	80
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	80
R. A. Falconer, Broadway	75
Richard H. Joyce, West Quincy	75
J. McCullough, shipyard	70
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	70
William Kelley, conductor	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	70
Carl W. Leaf, Water street	70
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	65
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	65
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	60
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	60
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Clara Stoddard, S. of V Aux.	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	55
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	50
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	50
John Evans, Progressive	50
J. Hynes, shipfitter	45
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	45
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	45
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	45
John Mahon, organist	45
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
E. Alstein, draftsman	35
Horace E. Spear, Franklin street	35
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Catherine Dolan, Atlantic	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
James Doyle, West street	15
Charles Archibald, L. O. L.	10
Robert Brown, "Wet wash"	10
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Capt. Fred Smith, Broadway	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	10
William Hodge, Town Hill	10
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5
A. I. Dixon, Fat Men's Club	5
George Westland, Quincy	5
J. Nathan, Granite st	5

"Vote early and often."

BOSTON TEAM OVERWHELMED

Cunningham Gym Put It Over Them Two to One

Cunningham Gym overwhelmed Boston Y. M. C. A. Saturday winning, 59 to 28. The work of the Reid brothers featured. The summary:

CUNNINGHAM		BOSTON
D. Reid rf		lb Meyer
S. Hern lf		rb Martin
		rb Ross
Stuart c		c Bothcher
J. Reid rb		lf Green
P. Hern lb		rf Bryant

Score, Cunningham Gym 59, Boston Y. M. C. A. 28. Goals from floor, D. Reid 10. S. Hern 4, Stuart 6, J. Reid 7, P. Hern 2, Meyer 2, Bothcher 2, Green 3, Bryant 6. Goals from fouls, J. Reid, Bryant 2. Referee, Craig. Scorer, Maguire. Timer, Burnett. Time 20m periods. Attendance 300.

A Perfect Defense.

"Sam, dear," asked Mrs. Prouty, who had been away from home the greater part of July and August, "what is the matter with the garden?"

"I don't know," answered Sam humbly. "I haven't done anything to it."—Youth's Companion.

Spunky Retort.

Mrs. Peck—Henry, why did you feign sleep last night when I was talking to you? Henry—My dear, I did not feign sleep, though I fain would have slept.—Judge.

In the true life of the individual each day is the beginning of the new year.—Jordon.

YOUNGSTERS IN MERRY TIME

Squantumites of All Ages Gathered Around Tree

AND WELCOMED SANTA

Sixty-five children enjoyed a Christmas entertainment and tree under the auspices of the Squantum Women's club at the home of Mrs. James Foster, Saturday afternoon. Like all the Women's club affairs it was a great success and the children unanimously declared that they "had the time of their lives."

Every child received a gift supplied by ladies of the club.

Mrs. Foster deserves great credit for the success of the affair. The idea originated with her and her generous hospitality in giving the use of her home was deeply appreciated by Squantum residents.

The children gathered early and for three hours made merry in the big living room. They were just getting acquainted when there was a jingle of bells and Santa Claus was seen coming over the hill. Immediately the windows were filled with eager faces and Kris Kringle was welcomed with shouts of delight.

He came in with a huge pack on his back which was filled with presents. The distribution of gifts began at once. Children ranging in age from four months to fourteen years were remembered. Santa had gifts for the five babies who represented Squantum's newest generation, Theodore Olson, 4 months, Myles Golbranson, 8 months, Richard Nelson, 10 months and Olof Olson, 16 months.

A Christmas selection was sung by Sylvia Rund, Glenny Rund, Florence Swanson and Beda Dahlquist with accompaniment by Edith Olson who also played a piano solo which was very cleverly executed.

Miss Sylvia Rund sang a solo with Mrs. Charles Bostwick at the piano.

The children then formed in line marched around the Christmas tree singing America to the accompaniment of a phonograph which was the closing feature.

Mrs. Foster was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Charles Watts, Mrs. John Whitley, Mrs. John Holmes, Mrs. J. R. Nelson, Mrs. Joseph Uppling, Mrs. William Reed, Mrs. Hiram Morse Mrs. Charles Bostwick, Mrs. H. A. Smith, Mrs. Roger Mason, Mrs. James Hagan and Mrs. S. H. Adams.

The children present were: Harold Mason, Florence Swanson, Olga Dahlquist, Beda Dahlquist, Eleanor Dahlquist, Carrie Dahlquist, Lucetta Noble, Edith Lecco, Hazel Lecco, Sylvia Rund, Lillian Rund, Ruth Olson, Carl Rund, Joseph Uppling, Ruth Holmes, Hazel Olson, Earling Hackenson, Roy Olson, Oscar Dahlquist, Arthur Olson, Stanley Whitley, William Whitley, James McCarron, Edward Knudsin, Theodore Knudsin, Theodore Aldrich, Charles Watts, John McCarron, George McCarron, Lewis McCarron, William McCarron, Glenny Rund, Lucille Nye, Helene Nye, Lillian Swanson, Emery Swanson, Edna Knudsin, Gladys Watts, Hazel Watts, Edith Olson, Eleanor Anderson, Franklin Anderson, Hildegarde Swanson, Margie Mardon, Alice McCarron, Hazel Mason, Miriam Richardson, Albert Richardson, Ardella Richardson, John Holmes, Ethel Morse, Walter Mardon, Malcom Currie, Carl Frieberg, Alexander Hoag, Leo McCarron, Parker Reed, Arthur Whitley, Walter Bell, Eric Dahlquist.

DISTRICT COURT.

John J. Doyle was arraigned for drunkenness at Randolph and for carrying a dangerous weapon. He was fined $15 for drunkenness and sentenced to three months in the House of Correction for carrying a firearm. The latter case was placed on probation until April 2.

John E. Devine was fined $15 for drunkenness at Randolph.

William Kelley was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case placed on probation until Jan. 20.

John Guidici was fined $15 for drunkenness at Qiuncy July 4, and $3 costs for drunkenness at Quincy Dec. 28.

John Murphy was arraigned for drunkenness and for alleged assault on a young girl at Quincy. Cases continued until Tuesday under $300 bonds.

Peter Tallon of Braintree who was sentenced to six months in the house of correction for assault on his wife Hattie Tallon and appealed, was brought over from Dedham and withdrew his appeal and took his sentence.

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QUINCY ALWAYS TO THE FORE

Lawrence and Tilton Both Victims of Granite Boys

THE FORMER SWAMPED

The far-famed Lawrence basket ball team did not live up to its reputation Saturday night when it met the local Y. M. C. A. team; the score being 59 to 18 in Quincy's favor. The Quincy boys showed more high class team work this year than in any previous games and from now on defeats ought to be few and far between.

Henry Trask was the star player, securing 14 floor goals. A change was made by Lawrence in the second half in the hope that the new man would be able to stop Trask; but Henry ran his man around the floor for about 5 minutes and then started in scoring again. The passing of Parker was one of the best features and it was owing to his good work that Trask scored so often.

Rich has five goals to his credit; getting four in the second half. "Pin" Johnson played a "star" game in the backfield, breaking even with his man, each getting one goal. Kenn played a fine game also, his man having one goal to his credit. Quincy scored 26 points to Lawrence 14 in the first half. In the second half Quincy scored 33 points while Lawrence made but 4.

The second team game was the real contest, the score being 34 to 20 for Quincy.

The Tilton A. C. of Winthrop have played four years and their passing and foot work was the best ever seen on the Quincy floor. The locals backs Pinel, Dineen and Croucher broke up the dangerous passing. Thomas and Price did the most of the scoring, while Dunham and Verner played well for Winthrop. "Pete" Miller made his first appearance for the local team, taking the place of Corthell at center in the second half. Both Corthell and Miller did good work against Stevenson who formerly played on the championship Winthrop H. S. team. This game was so fast and clean that another game will be arranged for later on in the season.

The summary:

Quincy Y M C A		Lawrence Y M C A
Parker rf		lb Goudry
Rich lf		rb Watson
Trask c		c Burckel
		c Weiss
Kenn rb		lf Taylor
Johnson, lb		rf Wilson

Score, Quincy 59, Lawrence 18. Goals from floor, Trask 14, Parker 8, Rich 5, Johnson, Goundry 3, Watson 2, Weiss, Taylor, Wilson. Goals from fouls, Trask 3, Watson 2. Referee, Stone. Scorer, LaRose. Timer, Evans. Time, 15m halves. Attendance, 150.

Quincy Y M C A 2d	Tilton A C
Thomas rf	lb Gorham
Price lf	rb Edwards
	rb Nutson
Corthell, c	c Stevenson
Miller c	
Dineen rb	lf Verner
Croucher rb	
Pinel lb	rf Dunham

Score, Quincy 34, Tilton A. C. 20. Goals from floor, Thomas 8, Price 5, Pinel, Stevenson 2, Verner 2, Dunham 4, Gorham. Goals from fouls, Thomas 6, Stevenson, Verner.

BROCKTON WON VERY FAST GAME

Put the Hoodoo Sign on the Boys From Weymouth

The Brockton Y. M. C. A. depeated Clapp Memorial Saturday evening, 31 to 24. The game was fast and seven points were secured from free tries, Schutz of the Memorials securing five. Brockton played its usual snappy game and later on in the season will probably be the strongest of the team in the cape district.

The summary:

Brockton Y M C A		Clapp Memorial
Wood rf		lb Warren
		lb Fitzgerald
Casszant lf		rb J Curtin
Hill c		c Bumpus
Downey c		
Cole rb		lf R. Curtin
Hill lb		rf Schutz
Casszant lb		

Score, Brockton Y. M. C. A. 31, Clapp Memorial 24. Goals from floor, Wood 2, Casszant 2, Downey 2. Cole 3, Hill 5, Warren, J. Curtin, Bumpus 2, R. Curtin 3, Schultz 3. Goals from fouls, Wood 2, Schultz 5. Referee, Fabyan. Umpire, Jones. Scorer E. Pratt. Timer, Tirrell. Time, 20m and 15m periods.

Founder of the Japanese Navy.

The founder of the Japanese navy was an Englishman named Will Adams, who went to the eastern seas as pilot of a Dutch fleet in 1598 and was cast away in Japan a couple of years later. He became a Japanese noble and constructor of the navy to the tycoon, but was never allowed to return to England. He died about twenty years afterward, very ingeniously leaving half his property to his wife and family in England and half his property to his wife and family in Japan. After his death he was deified.—Exchange.

☞Upon payment of yearly subscriptions to the Daily Ledger, certificates good for 1000 votes in the Washington contest are issued in blank, and may be forwarded to any candidate. The vote can be held back.

SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCHES

Topics and Anncuncements For Coming Week

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

WOLLASTON BAPTIIST.

At the Wollaston Baptist church the pastor Rev. Joseph Walther gave a very appropriate sermon for the close of the year from the subject "Five Looks," looking backward, looking forward, looking around us, looking inward and looking upword. Making a strong point on the need of all to look upward for divine help. The new church manuals were distributed there being one for each family in the church and congregation. At the session of the Sunday school the presents for those who were unable to attend the exercises Christmas Eve were given out and a box of candy was also given. In the evening the pastor preached from the text "Jesus Christ the same yesterday today and forever."

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

Rev. Henry Barber of Meadville, Pa. occupied the pulpit of the Wollaston Unitarian church at the morning worship, giving as his subject the "Divine Limits and Divine Wants in human life" and taking as his text "A man can receive nothing, except it has been given him from heaven" and "All that which the Father giveth me shall come unto me," both taken from chapters in John.

Two vivid pictures were drawn, one showing John's beautiful spirit of love toward Christ when his great works proclaimed him greater than John, showing also his noble and cheerful acceptance of his own limitations and his nobler tribute to Christ as one in whom God's laws were exemplified in a large and fuller measure than in himself.

The other picture was of Christ, content in the security that nothing given Him by the Father could fail in its Mission, that no gift of healing nor charm of personality which was His, should by any chance be lost in the fulfillment of God's great plan for Him among the many whom He met in His daily life of helpfulnesss.

And then the preacher brought the application of the great texts to our own door; brave acceptance of personal limitations may become a source of strength and the performance of small, nearby duties may bring one into such harmony with the great laws under which we live that even an obscure life may achieve great and true success. It is the law of life that only a few may be great, and those unknown plodders who minister to the daily needs of those whose vision is large and pure, are in their own way as noble as if great achievement were theirs. Courage for work, patience under failure and disaster, fidelity to high principles, recognized by conscience—these will bring success that is real. There is no royal road to success, and the saddest failure, as man judges, may in the sight of God, be glorious victory. There will be no reaping from unsown fields, here we must learn to be earnest workers if we would share in the poys of harvest.

New Year's day comes the second of the Ladies' Aid Alliance luncheons with Miss Harriet E. Turner and a committee of twenty in charge. A fine musical program has been prepared and Mrs. Henry C. Parker of Woburn will give a paper on "Church Music."

The Social service committee has secured Mrs. Garlin Spencer of New York, one of the best known social workers in the country to speak in our Church Tuesday evening, Jan. 7 at 7.45 on "The Social Function of the Churches." The public is cordially invited.

Levi H. Turner, a close student of social questions, gave a most instructive address on "Proportional Representation."

The American Unitarian Association and the allied societies will keep open house on the afternoon of January first, from 4 to 6 o'clock at 25 Beacon street, Boston. Members and friends of the Association are cordially invited to this informal reception.

Noontime services in King's Chapel, Boston will be held every day in the week from Jan. 1 to May 15. There will be a brief adress to each service, except Saturday, when there will be a half hour of organ music. On other days the organ will be played by Malcolm Lang from 12 to 12.10, the rest of the service beginning promptly at 12.10 and ending at 12.30. Various ministers will speak.

The annual business meeting of thec hurch will be held Monday evening Jan. 27.

"We are not declaiming against the theatre. We believe it to be, under right conditions, one of the most legitimate of pleasures; but we do plead for discrimination in regard to what our children shall be allowed to see upon the stage. No schoolboy or schoolgirl should be permitted to go to a theatrical entertainment until the parents have investigated the nature and the tendency of the show. If they cannot do this themselves, they should consult somebody whom they can trust, and in this way protect their children against some of the insidious influences that late hours, an uneducated taste, a natural curiosity and a commercialized theatre may exert on the rising generation."

The 25th anniversary of our church is a good time to present a memorial fund, the income only of which is to be spent as the donor designates. Large and small contributions to our Parish House and Church Endowment funds are also solicited. Gifts such as Collection Plates, a baptismal Font etc., are welcomed and appreciated. Please confer with the minister.

The great event this winter is the 25th anniversary of our Church, Friday evening, Jan. 31, Saturday evening, Feb. 1 and Sunday morning Feb. 2.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL.

Christmas music was repeated at the Sunday morning service by request of many who so thoroughly enjoyed it a week ago.

"Encouragement" was the theme upon which the Rev. Dr. Sneath talked to his large congregation. He said amongst other things that there are only 72 hours left in the present year, but they are weighted with importance. To the many thousands who are sincerely making new resolves, which they are most anxious to keep, to the many thousands who have suffered adversity the past 12 months, and look forward to a better and a brighter year, to the many thousands who are closing one year's business and planning another, to all of these and many thousands more, how needful and how helpful is a word of encouragement just now. The art of encouragement needs to be studied. Find the helpful point of contact, then drive it in. Christ spoke oftenest the words of encouragement. More cheerful, helpful messages by alarge percentage passed through the mails of this country the past week than ever did so before. "And the Carpenter encouraged the Goldsmith." Be keenly on the lookout for the encouraging word and fail not to pass it along.

Dr. Sneath is himself a most enthusiastic, optimist and encourager. During the past six weeks he has so successfully encouraged his neighbors to join the church that the following persons are recommended by the Executive committee for membership:

On confession of Faith—Leon N. Randall, Norton Hart Nickerson, Carl Fitch Schroeder, Mrs. Sarah T. Nesbitt Miss Mary F. Adams.

On confession of faith and baptism Miss Margaret T. Harding, Mrs. Eva Cushing Blake, Mrs. Idella Wayland Besse, Mrs. Lou Barber Weld, Clifford Whitmore Backus and by letter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Loring, Henry F. Nan Buskirk, Eugene G. Smith, E. Wilson Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Elmer Johnson, Mrs. Mildred Boyd Dahl, Mrs. Elizabeth P. Tucker, Miss Annie M. Morse, Mrs. Julia F. Smith, Mrs. Arthur N. Dodge.

Sunday School met at 12.15 and is constantly increasing in attendance, C. A. Randall is superintendent. Mrs. C. P. Hutchins is in charge of a kindergarten class, so large as to require many assistants, and Dr. Sneath conducts a most interesting class for men.

Wednesday, Jan. 1st at 3 p. m. in the vestry the Ladies Benevolent Society will conduct a prayer meeting, led by Mrs. Sneath, which all ladies are urged to attend.

Thursday evening at 7.45 in the vestry the usual mid week service, led by Dr. Sneath. Topic, "Some Worthy New Year Resolves." A preparatory service.

INSTALLATION.

National president Nina A. Littlefield of the Auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans will install the officers of Tent 32, of East Weymouth, Thursday evening.

☞Free use of telephone. See Frank Locke, the tuner's adv.

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ASK YOUR GROCER

SANTA CLAUS VERY GENEROUS

To Miss Holbrook and Her Music Pupil Guests

Miss Marguerite Louise Holbrook entertained her music pupils at her home, 196 Holbrook road Thursday evening from 7.30 to 10. Games were played after which presents from a prettily decorated Christmas tree were distributed. Santa Claus had been very generous as there was a present for everyone. Miss Holbrook received many very beautiful gifts from her pupils.

The refreshments consisted of ice cream and fancy cakes, apples and candy. Miss Eldiene Young entertained the company with several selections on the piano.

Among Miss Holbrook's pupils are Helen Arthur, Roy Chase, Basil Delano, Mable Doring, Miss Irma Douglas, Charlotte Fox, Dorothy Fratus, Florence Hall, Francis McCabe, Mable Morrison, Lois Parlee, Gertrude Whalen, Isabelle Wragg, Miss Eldiene Young, Gordon Nickerson, Edith Nickerson, Edith Osbourgh, Miss Phyllis Cockburn, Miss Evelyn Cheney, Mrs. C. A. Sutherland, Arthur Grant. It was a most enjoyable affair.

YOUNG FOLKS' CHRISTMAS TREE

Atlantic Children Present Their Pastor With Gift

The Christmas tree for the Sunday school pupils of the Sacred Heart church, Atlantic, was held at the church Sunday afternoon and was attended by 350 pupils. A special gift from the pupils was made the pastor Rev. Fr. John P. Cuffe. A program was given which was arranged by Rev. Fr. James F. McNiff, who had charge of the festival.

Boxes of candy and pictures were distributed to the teachers and pupils, and there was a short speech on the significance of Christmas by Father Cuffe.

Henry O'Meara gave a reading and Miss Blanche White rendeded several solos. Piano selections were given by Miss Louise Costello, who also accompanied Miss Beatrice Costello who played several violin solos.

The exercises concluded by the singing of "Holy God We Praise Thy Name," by all those present.

HULTMAN BILL

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notify said Justice thereof. Said chief of the district police shall sell all such liquor and after paying the cost of transportation of the liquors shall pay over the net proceeds to the treasurer and Receiver General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Sec. 2. An officer who arrests a person charged with drunkenness shall hold all intoxicating liquor found on the person so arrested until the disposition of such liquor is ordered as is provided in the preceding section.

Sec. 3. Officers named in this chapter neglecting or refusing to obey or carry otu its provisions shall forefit not less than five nor more than ten dollars for each offense.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

CELEBRATED MASSES.

Rev. Fr. P. J. Hayes of Foxcroft, Me., celebrated the nine o'clock mass at St. John's church on Sunday morning. He is a native of Quincy and today celebrated the requiem mass of a relative, Mrs. Mary Minnahan, who died at Norwood on Dec. 27, aged about 100 years.

Other masses were celebrated by Rev. Fr. John J. Coan, Rev. Fr. John Casey and Rev. Fr. P. J. Scannell the last named a high mass at 10.30 A. M.

TO ATTEND MASS.

New Year's masses will be celebrated at the Church of the Sacred Heart at 5.30 and 8 o'clock Wednesday.

January 12 the union Holy Name service will be held at the church and the societies from St. Mary's church and St. John's church will be present. An appropriate sermon will be delivered by Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady, pastor of St. Mary's church.

AN EGYPTIAN RECIPE

By M. QUAD

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If Farmer John Stone hadn't been a widower, if he hadn't been a baldheaded, whiskerless man, if he hadn't been in love with the Widow Davis, things might have been different. When he told her that he loved her her reply was:

"John, you are a good man, but"—

"But what is it, Mary?"

"You are baldheaded and have no whiskers."

"But I love you."

"That can't make up for it. I repeat that you are a good man, but when I think that I would have to sit here evening after evening and stare at your shiny poll it is too much."

"I—I thought if a man loved"—

"But there are the whiskers or the lack of them. No man can look dignified without 'em. Your character is all that a woman could ask for, but where is the hair? Where the whiskers?"

John Stone turned away in chagrin and despair, and there was no sleep for him for the next three nights. He was still in the dumps when a tin peddler came along and invited him to open his heart. He did so.

"Say, John, it was mean of the widow," said the peddler when he had listened to all.

"Yes, kinder."

"Kinder? Why, man, she has wrecked your life."

"Has she?"

"You want to turn around and wreck the widow."

"But how can I do it?" asked John.

"First of all, get mad at her. Say to yourself that you don't care a durn for her."

"Well, I'm feeling that way. She can go to Texas!"

"Bully for you! Now, then, you know that we peddlers take all kinds of things in trade. The other day I raked in an Egyptian mummy for $4 worth of milk pans. You know what a mummy is, don't you?"

"Some one that's been dead a thousand years."

"Exactly. When I ripped him open I found this paper."

"By George!" gasped John.

"It is writ in Egyptian, but I can read it right off. It's a recipe for making hair grow on bald heads."

"You don't say."

"And for forcing whiskers to grow on the smoothest face. It says that one month's use of it will grow side whiskers on a boy of ten.'"

"You can't mean it."

"You can have the preparation put up at a drug store and begin to use it, and in a month what happens? Why, you have a luxuriant crop of curly hair on your bald head and chin whiskers that fall down to your waist and are blown to port and starboard by the breezes. You can walk up and down the road in front of the widow's house. From the window she sees you and knows she has made the mistake of her life. She calls to you to admit that she was in the wrong and that you can bring the preacher as soon as you please, but you wave her aside."

"And what?"

"And you wave her aside and go along to the Widder Stevens and propose marriage to her and hustle things along. She dotes on curly hair and chin whiskers, and will say yes at once."

"By George, but it will be great!"

"It will for sure."

"And you'll do this out of the goodness of your heart?"

"I'll do it for one-half goodness and the other half cash. The cash half is $25. Those chin whiskers alone are worth $100 to any living man."

No farmer is ready to pay out money unless he can see a return for it. Farmer Stone asked for a week to consider the matter and then closed the deal. It wasn't humanely possible for a baldheaded, whiskerless man to hold out. The formula was copied off for him, and he deposited it in a safe place until he could spare a day to go to the village. That day never came. He was killed by accident in his own field.

Then came an interval of seven years during which time nothing was said in his late community about baldheaded men. One day a stranger appeared who had heard from the peddler that John Stone had the Egyptian recipe, and he offered $5 for it. One of the widower's heirs found it in an old trunk and took the money.

The next heard of the recipe was by advertisement. A coffee and tea house, instead of giving out trading stamps, advertised to grow hair and whiskers for the buyer of every pound of tea or coffee.

They sent a lot of wagons through the country to herald the news by word of mouth, and the highways were plastered with posters, and the weekly papers reaped whole pages of advertising. The campaign was brief, but vigorous.

All those who got the recipes were directed to a certain druggist to have them filled. The druggist was a hustler and sent the stuff away by the scores and hundreds of bottles and made 400 per cent profits. At the end of ten or twelve weeks there were 600 baldheads in one county alone, and the number of burned and blistered chins and cheeks was a full thousand.

The headstone marking John Stone's grave was a rather stingy affair. After the exposure it was replaced by a better one, and the obituary was added to as follows:

"He had neither hair nor whiskers, but he was a lucky man!"

HALL PLACE M. E.

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rangement of the building which had to be governed much in form to the one donated to use the material to advantage. The Sabbath school have the honored credit of the weather-vane in the steeple at a cost of $30.00. The school also supplied $253.75.

"The Ladies Social Aid society in addition to the upholstering the pews and furnishing stoves and funnel and chairs for pulpit paid to trustees $729.82.

"D. E. Poland with aid from church and Methodist church Boston supplied the pulpit, and B. B. Russell, No. 55 Cornhill, Boston gave the pulpit bible. Miss Abby P. Robinson of Strathan, N. H., gave the Pulpit Hymn Book. The carpet for altar and platform by Messrs. Adams, Broadway, South Boston. The Communion table donated by Mr. Brabrook, Dock Square, Boston. The two altar chairs by Mrs. Mary A. Miller and the platform chairs by Ladies Social Aid society, Communion Flagon and goblets by John Federhen, corner of Bromfield and Washington streets, Boston. The plates and baptismal font and table covers by several members of the church and congregation. Numbers for pews by Mrs. Martha Lowd.

The clock in front of orchestra by John O. Holden of Quincy.

"The property as it now stands in valuation is considered worth $8,370.00 The trustees are owing including $250.00 on the tower clock $2,205.00. There are unpaid subscriptions which are considered reliable $647.00, leaving a debt of $1,558.00."

The pastor also preached an historical sermon taking for his text Acts 10-19 "While Peter thought on the vision, the Spirit said unto him, Behold three men seek thee."

He said: "Peter had gone up to the housetop to pray. He was a Jew with the narrow cramped ideas of an old historic faith and needed enlargement. God moved a man in prayer to see a vision. And while he is doubting or wondering what it shall mean to him three men sent by an Italian commander from 25 miles to the north stand knocking at the door. They are the practical side of his vision. This incident and text it seems to me has a great deal of appropriateness as we stand at this time looking forward to the new duties which confront us for this enterprise of a church was begun in prayer. Prayer meetings were held previous to the organization of the Sunday school, 45 years ago. Sept. 8. What we term "cottage" meetings were held at the house of Mr. Miller and Glines, one of which was a Methodist. Begun in prayer! And the beginning! Three, at least, public school teachers at the Willard school saw a need of a Sunday school. They were young ladies, two of them connected with the Orthodox church so called, now the Bethany, one of them connected with the Episcopal church, Miss Carrie Rideout, Miss Nellie F. Nightingale, Miss Eliza Hardwick and also Miss Alden.

"The first meeting was held in the ante-room of the Willard school. Two of these teachers went out on the Saturday before, and secured names of 52 persons who agreed to join the Sunday school. One of these teachers kept a record which says that 50 persons were present in this ante-room.

"Monday these two young ladies waited upon the Superintendent of the public schools and asked permission to hold the Sunday school in a vacant room over the Willard school, a branch of which was held where Doble's hall was, and permission was given. They began to hold their Sunday school at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, going to church and Sunday school, for they had preaching morning and afternoon, then coming at 5 o'clock to this Sunday school. They found this highly inconvenient and voted to change the hour to 2 o'clock in the afternoon. No trolleys in those days and no houses between Brewer's corner and West street and the roads both sides thickly covered with brush and trees and one of the teachers tell of the shay in which she rode striking the rocks. The carriage in which they came was quite an object of merriment as they drove up from the center.

"They continued faithfully and started in to have a monthly Sunday school concert and at the first Oct. 13, 100 were present and all passed off well. They raised by subscriptions $6 for library books. One teacher presented her class with Christmas presents of little books and one of these books I have seen.

"There were others that assisted them in this good work. Edward Southworth took a lively interest. Charles W. Carter, who was then Supt. of the Orthodox Sunday school was chosen the superintendent of the new Sunday school.

"Jan. 1, 1872, the Sunday school was formally transferred to the Methodist pastor and people. In the meantime an effort to form a church had been made. Of course they must have a creed. They appointed a committee but were unable to devise a creed on which all could agree and as there were more Methodists in the section they finally decided they would form a Methodist church. They drew up a paper and secured $300. for subscriptions and invited Rev. Samuel Kelly, then chaplain of the National Sailors Home to become pastor and he preached the first sermon at the morning service on Sunday, April 28th, 1872, taking for his text, "And I, if I be lifted up, shall draw all men unto me."

"Prayer, vision and the work! If there is any one thing which characterizes this church it is self-help. Having been pastor of 19 churches I have never been pastor of a church where so much volunteer work has been done."

Rev. Mr. Martin then applied the text to the church as it stands today with its present day conditions and problems and told what he thought the future of the church should be, the vision we should see of its greatest needs and ambitions and then strive to accomplish the vision; to be optimists and realists and to make this church, not a church of a particular denomination, although it must of necessity be called such, but to make it a church of Jesus Christ.

The following document also appears among the records.

"We, the undersigned, feeling the necessity of having religious worship in West Quincy, do hereby agree to pay the respective sums affixed to our respective names for the purpose of supporting Methodist preaching in said place for the current year, April 28, 1872. Signed::—M. P. Fuller, E. H. Doble, A. G. Davis, Jonas Shackley, T. J. Fuller, H. Farnham, C. A. Goucher, Elonzo Glines, N. H. Beals, Richard Williams, D. Gage, C. D. Collins, Columbus Lary.

The following twelve persons comprised the class organized Sept. 6, 1872:—Jonas Shackley, Rachel Doble, Martha Loud, M. P. Fuller, Mary Jane Fuller, Jane V. Doble, Wm. Raleigh, Richard Pillage, Mary Ann Rickard J. P. Bartlett, Hiram Glines, George Kidder.

The following persons were teachers in the Sunday school, Miss Carrie Rideout (now dead) Miss Nellie F. Nightingale, now Mrs. Bush of Florida, Miss Hannah Eliza Hardwick, now Mrs. John A. Burns of this city, Lizzie Hardwick Alden, now in Europe, R. D. Chase, the organist, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Spelman of New York, Edward Southworth of Boston and Chas. W. Carter of Leominster.

The following pastors have held pastorates in the church during the forty years from April 28, 1872 to the present time.

1872-1877 Samuel Kelley; 1878-1879 R. W. Harlow; 1880-S. W. Trousdale; 1881-1882 C. M. Westlate; 1883-1885 Franklin Furber; 1886-1888 Henry Dorr; 1889-1890 W. J. Pomfret; 1891—W. F. Lawford; 1892-1893 J. H. Humphrey; 1894—W. W. Baldwin; 1895-1896 E. W. Virgin; 1896-1898 A. A. Brown; 1899-1901 C. W. Wilder; 1902—John Peterson; 1903—D. L. Martin; 1904-1905 W. A. Mayo; 1906-1907 A. B. Tyler; 1908—G. O. Crosby; 1908-1911 C. H. Raupach; 1911-1912 Thomas C. Martin.

Wednesday the church will celebrate the three anniversaries from 6 to 10 o'clock. From 6 to 6.30 will be a social half hour. At 6.30 the banquet, followed by other services.

The choir will sing the anthem which was sung at the dedication services.

All persons whether past or present members or non-members are cordially invited to attend these services.

The following former pastors and their wives are expected to be present: Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Raupach of St. Andrew's church, Jamaica Plain, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Tyler of People's church, Newburyport and Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Martin of Dorchester.

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GENIUS AND VANITY.

Schopenhauer Was Not a Bit Afraid to Praise Himself Out Loud.

Schopenhauer, the great German philosopher, afforded one of the most remarkable examples of self complacency that has ever been known. His naive eulogisms on his own productions are almost beyond belief. In writing to his publishers of his work he says:

"Its worth and importance are so great that I do not venture to express it even toward you because you could not believe me," and he proceeds to quote a review "which speaks of me with the highest praise as the greatest philosopher of the age, which is really saying much less than the good man thinks."

"Sir," he said to an unoffending stranger who watched him across a table d'hote where he acted the part of the local "lion" habitually—"sir, you are evidently astonished at my appetite. True, I eat three times as much as you, but then I have three times as much mind."

Auerbach, the German novelist, also had a great appreciation of his own powers and work, and many stories are told of the obtrusive way in which he displayed his vanity. A German writer says of him: "Every year Auerbach visits three or four fashionable watering places, at each of which the following episode occurs at least thirty times. The novelist indulges in small talk with the little children of the natives and invariably ends the conversation thus: 'Knowest thou who has been talking with thee? Behold Auerbach! Tell that at home!'"

An Even Break.

Mr. Jinks—You've spent fourteen mortal hours and $35 and what have you got to show for it? One hat worth about $3.50. Mrs. Jinks—True. And last week you spent five days and $118, and what have you got to show for it? One fish story about a big trout that got away and an awful cold in your head.—Country Gentleman.

Some Big Numbers.

If you fill a tiny vessel one centimeter cube with hydrogen corpuscles you can place therein, in round numbers, five hundred and twenty-five octillions of them. If these corpuscles are allowed to run out of the vessel at the rate of 1,000 per second it will require seventeen quintillions of years to empty it.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Generally fair with no great change in temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.14
Sun sets	4.21
Length of day	9.07
Moon sets	6.08
High water, A. M.	5.00
High water, P. M.	5.30

Days increase 0 hours 3 minutes.

New Moon	Dec. 8, 12.07 p. m.
First Quarter	Dec. 16. 3.06 p. m.
Full Moon	Dec. 23, 11.30 p. m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 30, 3.12 p. m.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	45 degrees
Dec. 30, 1911,	32 degrees
Dec. 30, 1910,	46 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. John Hall of Yarmouth, Me., are guests of his parents, Upland road and also Mrs. Burns, Granite street.

Rev. Mr. Capen, a classmate of Delcevare King, Harvard 1895, and head of one of the most important colleges for Missionary work in China assisted in the evening service at Bethany church, Sunday evening.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

The following members of the Auxiliary chorus of Bethany church, with perfect attendance for three months are placed on the roll of honor. Williamina Laing, Grace Laing, Alice Miller, Elizabeth Pratt, Ellen Sandison, Eleanor Sargent, Ralph Hayden, James Sandison, Allan Gragg, Karl Sidelinger.

SING AS CHURCH BURNS

Two Hundred Sunday Scool Children March Through Smoke to Safety

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers," 200 children, members of a Sunday school class, marched out of their classroom here through smoke from a fire that destroyed the Lorimer Memorial Baptist church.

Mrs. Elmer Anderson, organist, and Miss Martha Marquart, teacher of a primary class, played the music and led the singing until all the children were in safety.

By that time the flames were so close to the two women that they were forced to flee, abandoning their coats and furs.

CITIZENSHIP IS DENIED

Hindu Yogi Considered Neither Free White Person Nor Negro

Spokane, Dec. 30.—On the ground that the applicant was neither a free white person nor a negro, as provided in the constitution, Kumar Mohumder, a Hindu Yogi, was debarred from citizenship by Federal Judge Rudkin.

This is said to be the first time federal courts have passed on the eligibility of Hindus for citizenship.

Strange Freak of Memory.

There is a strange story of how Sir Walter Scoctt, producing "The Bride of Lammermoor" during illness, was afterward found to have forgotten entirely what he had thus created. According to James Ballantyne, "the book was written and published before Mr. Scott was able to rise from his bed, and he assured me when it was first put into his hands in a complete shape that he did not recollect a single incident, character or conversation it contained. The original incidents of the story, which he had known from boyhood, he still remembered, but he knew no more about the story he had written than he did before he began to write or even think about writing it." These facts were corroborated by Mr. Lockhart, Sir Walter Scott's son-in-law and biographer, so that they are placed beyond question.

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YOUNG PEOPLE MADE HAPPY

Even If Their Christmas Festival Was Delayed

The postponed Christmas tree festival of All Souls' Church Braintree, was held Saturday evening and the Sunday school children, who were disappointed on account of the storm, were fully recompensed.

The entertainment consisted of a play called "Mr. St. Nicholas," and the characters were impersonated by Robert Witherell, Miss Mary Kneeland, Miss Mary Arnold, Miss Louise Bower, Miss Elizabeth Hall, Leslie Emerson, Harrison Macomber, Joseph Beal and Norman Roberts, W. B. Battles distributed the presents and candy.

WILL HOLD UP CASTRO

Government Will Closely Question Ex-Dictator of Venezuela

New York, Dec. 30.—Everything is in readiness to make General Cipriano Castro, ex-president and dictator of Venezuela, the guest of the department of commerce and labor the moment La Touraine passes quarantine late this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

The proper immigration inspector has been tolled off to greet Senor Ruiza, as Castro is known aboard ship; a board has been appointed to facilitate his case at that juncture and the decision has already been reached to have their verdict reviewed and re-reviewed until it goes to Secretary Nagel for final indorsement.

This means that Castro will remain on board the French liner until she reaches her pier and then he will be transferred to a barge which will take him to Ellis Island to await action in his case.

AUTO JUMPS "CUP" TRACK

Racer Shain Is Killed After Machine Plunges Into a Crowd

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 30.—Hal Shain, an automobile racer, sustained injuries that caused death in half an hour, three others were seriously hurt, and a number cut and bruised, when Shain's machine shot out of the cup-shaped track on the Concession pier at Venice and plunged into the crowd. The auto fell back with Shain underneath.

Shain had been one of the chief attractions at Venice because of the small size of the track on which he rode and the great speed at which he traveled. The cup is seventy feet in diameter at the top, and it requires a speed of fifty-five miles an hour to keep an automobile on the almost perpendicular track.

JOKERS CAUSE PANIC IN A BOSTON HOTEL

Guests Are Driven From Beds by False Alarm of Fire

Boston, Dec. 30.—A false alarm, sounded as a prank by three drunken intruders in te Hotel Oxford just before midnight last night, sent the guests scurrying from their rooms, women with wraps thrown over their "nities," and men collarless swarming into the lobby.

The fire drill was organized, waiters and porters grasped the fire hose, while chambermaids and bell boys pounded on the doors. In the midst of the frightened throng rushed the firemen.

As the occupants came down the stairs they carried their clothing and their valuables.

The firemen went through the hotel, making a careful examination. Everything possible was done to assure the frightened guests there was no fire. The clerk dispatched two porters to follow the jokers who had pulled the alarm, but they had disappeared.

MELLEN TO RESIGN?

Report That He Will Quit as Head of the New Haven Road

Boston, Dec. 30.—Persistent reports published here are that Charles S. Mellen, president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, will shortly resign and that "when the clouds of popular disapproval blow over" Mellen will succeed W. C. Brown as president of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad.

These reports are said to come from a well known railroad president, who, for the present, refuses to permit the use of his name.

New Haven, Dec. 30.—President Mellen denies he has any intention of resigning from the presidency of the New Haven railroad system.

READ LEDGER ADVS.

QUINCY REAL ESTATE SALES.

Charles F. Adams 2d et al exs to Theodric J. Farquharson, Chickatabot road.

Ellen J. Ballou to Arthur C. Ballou, Rogers street.

Charles C. Barton et al trs to Curtis R. Southwick, River road.

Lillian Birnbaum Lillian to Hattie U. Birnbaum, Bird street

Bernard Birnbaum et al to Lillian Birnbaum, Bird street.

Thomas Cantfill to James M. Cantfill, Madison street.

Milton L. Conant to James G. Nourse, Arnold road.

Milton L. Conant to Harriet A. Bowen, Carle road.

Margaret J. Dodge et al to Norfolk Varnish Co., Newport avenue, Squantum street.

Wilton A. Dunham to Benjamin L. Gardner, Adams Shore.

Alma J. Golbranson to Margaret Imray; Verchild street.

Henry W. Hatfield to Annie Hatfield, South Central avenue.

Herbert Hicks to Harriet V. Bates, Warren avenue.

Annie E. Higgins to Maurice E. Kilpatrick.

Arthur W. Hunt to Joseph H. Kilpatrick, Hamden Circle.

John Igo to Oliviero Musette et al, Intervale and Gilbert street.

Cora M. Merrill to May F. Berry, North Central avenue.

Andrew Milne et al trs to Henry R. Loomis, Munroe road, Dimmock street.

James R. Murphy to Catherine Barrett, Albatross road.

James R. Murphy to Joanna A. McNamee, Albatross road.

George W. Newcomb tr to Elphege Messier, Quincy street.

George B. Rice to Harriet M. Streeter, Lincoln avenue.

Eben Stocker to Joseph J. Eaton, Appleton street.

Thomas Swithin et al trs to David Diamond, Grafton street.

Fred W. Wood et al trs to John J. Gillis, Beach street.

MILTON REAL ESTATE SALES.

Jonathan B. L. Bartlett to Edmund C. Bryant, Blue Hills Parkway.

Hebron A. Libbey to Carl A. Ross, Randolph terrace, Sassamon avenue.

Charles C. McCarthy to Carl O. Carlson.

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Malvina M. Meek to Robert O. Brittain, Capen street.

BRAINTREE REAL ESTATE SALES.

Charles L. Davis to Selena M. Davis Florence avenue.

Charles F. Howe to Henry H. Fales, Cedar street.

Fred A. Leonard to Edward C. Lewis et al, Commercial street.

Anna J. Tracey to Luigi Sorrentino et al, Plain street.

WEYMOUTH REAL ESTATE SALES.

Maxie J. Blenis to John F. Price, Mill street.

John B. Gough to James Tirrell, Pond street.

Mary A. Higgins to Stetson Shoe Co. Front street.

Herbert Lane to John W. Rankin, Washington street.

Wilton A. Loud et al to Maxie J. Blenis, Mill street.

Ella M. Pousland to Johanna C. Otto, Pleasant and Tower avenues.

John W. S. Wolfe adm et al to Philip W. Wolfe.

Russell B. Worster to Jennie B. Worster, Richmond street.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

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SAW LOGUE'S SLAYERS

Chicago Society Woman Gives Valuable Information to Police

Chicago, Dec. 30.—That Joseph H. Logue, the diamond merchant, was murdered by two men, who went in a leisurely way about their work, while a third, who is connected with the McVicker's theatre building, stood on guard outside the door and told callers Logue was out, was the story told by a woman of high social standing in Chicago. The slayers were seen by the woman, but she was kept out of the room by the third.

This latter man is now under surveillance by the police. His identity was ascertained by reporters of The Inter-Ocean upon the evidence furnished by the woman whose own identity is for the present withheld. No arrest has been made, as the police think the man now being watched may communicate with his supposed confederates and the arrest of the three may then be made.

WILSON IS HOME AGAIN

President-Elect Greatly Enjoyed the Visit to His Birthplace

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 30.—With a miniature ship of state in one hand and a basket of Virginia apples in the other, President-elect Wilson came home last night after an all-day ride from Staunton, Va., his birthplace. As a parting gift the people of his native town gave him a ship of flowers and bade him godspeed amid cheers.

The president-elect said he felt deeply touched by the hospitality displayed, not only toward him, but everybody who came back for the reunion. The governor also found himself physically the better for the journey, and so far regained his normal strength that he talked politics most of the day with people who rode with him on different stretches of the trip.

STRIKE INVOLVING 150,000 UNIONISTS

Garment Workers Quit Without Presenting Demands

New York, Dec. 30.—One hundred and fifty thousand men, women and children, employed in the men's clothing industry in this city, were ordered to go out on strike today by the local executive committee of the United Garment Workers of America. Four thousand shops are expected to be affected.

The demands of the workers have not been formally presented to employers. Henry Waxman, treasurer of the national committee, explained this as follows:

"The manufacturers give no notice in advance when they are going to cut wages and we are following the same tactics."

The demands of the garment workers are: Abolition of child labor; abolition of sub-contract system and sweat-shop work; minimum wage of $10 for women and $16 for men; overtime work at "time and a half;" holiday work at double wages; clean and sanitary workshops.

NEWPORT COUPLE PERISH

Caught In Flames Which Cause $200,000 Damage at Newport

Newport, R. I., Dec. 30.—Two lives were lost and thirteen buildings damaged here in a fire which started from an unknown cause and caused a loss of $200,000. Firemen and policemen, searching through the burned dwellings after the fire, discovered the charred bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Heath. Heath was 70 years old and an invalid. He was a Civil war veteran.

The fire started in the three-story brick and frame store of the George A. Weaver company and spread rapidly to nearby buildings. Flaming brands were carried long distances to dwelling houses by a strong west wind, and in a short time several structures were afire.

'ARE NOT WELL MATED

Man of 78 Seeks Divorce From Wife Who Is 52 Years Younger

Providence, Dec. 30.—James W. Sunderland of Exeter, 78 years old, wants a divorce from his young and pretty wife, Mary E., aged 26 years.

They aired their marital troubles before Judge Baker in the superior court during the hearing on the wife's petition for an allowance and counsel fees. Sunderland's first wife died four years ago and he married his present wife, over fifty years his junior. They lived together but a month when trouble occurred.

Gas Kills Lowell Man

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 30.—Peter Hoye, a widower, employed in the Hamilton mills, was suffocated by gas in his room. He was 50 years old and so far as known had no relatives.

The Turrialba In Port

New York, Dec. 30.—The United Fruit company's steamer Turrialba, which went ashore on Brigantine shoals Monday night, arrived at her pier here in tow of wrecking tugs.

NUNS BRAVELY BATTLE FLAMES

Save the Lives of Mothers and Babies Under Their Care

PANIC IS QUICKLY ALLAYED

Sisters Armed With Buckets, Axes and Other Implements Keep at Their Task Amid Great Peril and With Desperate Energy Until Firemen Put In Their Appearance

Boston, Dec. 30.—Heroines were developed rapidly late yesterday afternoon, when fire was discovered in the nursery, raging on the third floor of the White Cross Sisters Home for Destitute Mothers and Babies, 67 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, by Sister Lady Annis.

When the alarm spread through the building, the flames already were licking up the walls. Every one of the sisters, who also act as nurses to the inmates, jumped to her post.

Quickly the growing spirit of panic among the helpless women in their charge was allayed. Dr. Osborne, the superintendent, tolled off those nurses not needed to keep the patients quiet, and formed a bucket brigade.

Water was soon being poured on the flames with a speed and precision that would have done credit to men long trained in the art of fire fighting, while some of the sisters, armed with axes and every implement on which they could lay hands, attacked the wall within which the flames were crackling and threatening to envelop the upper floors.

With the tearing out of the blazing part of the wall was allayed the greatest menace of the fire, as the bucket wielders, formed from the seat of the flames to the bathroom on the second floor, then were enabled to keep the flames confined to the first floor.

Despite the desperate work of the women the fire ate its way to one of the dormitories on the third floor and to the room of one of the sisters. The bucket brigade then directed its attack in these directions, and once again the progress of the fire was checked.

By this time Dorchester fire apparatus had reached the threatened structure, and soon had hose playing on the fire. After a half-hour fight the flames were extinguished, but not until the nursery, a dormitory and the nurses' room had been badly damaged.

The firemen gave high praise to the sisters for their work in fighting the blaze, declaring it was due to their efforts alone that the building was not badly damaged.

During the height of the fire, while smoke poured into every room in the building, the nurses remained calmly at their posts, allayng the fears of the inmates.

MRS. REID RETURNS HOME

Body of Husband Reaches New York on British Cruiser Natal

New York, Dec. 30.—With the British armored cruiser Natal, bearing the body of Whitelaw Reid, in this port, preparations were completed for a large and impressive funeral, to be held Jan. 4 in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

Mrs. Reid, the widow, with other members of the family, arrived Sunday on the steamship Campania. The British cruser put into the harbor today.

President Taft and other high officials of the government and state are expected to attend the funeral. Many members of the diplomatic corps will also come over from Washington for the services. Bishop Greer will officiate.

POLICE BREAK INTO HOUSE

Alleged Elopers From Vermont Are Captured In Massachusetts

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 30.—William Silva, 26 years of age, and Mrs. Winifred G. Wheelock, 30, both of St. Johnsbury, Vt., were arrested here, the warrant alleging that the woman left her husband and children Dec. 6, with Silva.

The brief romance of the alleged eloping couple was rudely shattered when the officers broke into the house and placed them both under arrest. They were living at 28 Dana avenue. Mrs. Wheelock has been married ten years and has six children. Silva is single.

Cigaret Smoking Not Allowed

Buckhannon, W. Va., Dec. 30.—Two students at the West Virginia Wesleyan college have been expelled for smoking cigarets, and the same punishment is said to be awaitng others reported as having violated the college order.

Death of Artist Poole

Pittsburg, Dec. 30.—Eugene A. Poole, 72, a painter of autumn landscapes, died at his home here from pneumonia. He had been in poor health for several months, but his death was unexpected.

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Roasted With Sweet Potatoes.

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A half hour before serving add either Irish or sweet potatoes or turnips and let them brown with the meat.

A French Recipe.

Parisian Pot Roast.—Fry three or four onions in a little bacon in the vessel in which you are to cook the roast. When tender lay in the meat and let it brown well.

Roll the meat round and round and tie in place with a piece of cotton cloth in order to keep it in shape for slicing. Have ready a bunch of carrots scraped and sliced, a turnip sliced and peeled, a little chopped parsley and a cupful of tomato sauce.

When the meat has browned on both sides put in the vegetables and cover with hot water, not allowing it to come above the level of the meat. When it begins to simmer season with salt and pepper and cook slowly for two hours, turning the meat once.

Put the meat on the platter and set in the oven to keep warm. Then with skimmer remove the vegetables, arranging them in a circle about the meat. Thicken the gravy remaining, pour it over the vegetables or serve separately.

Flavored With Carrots.

Vegetable Pot Roast.—Take about three pounds of rump beef, season with salt, pepper and a sprinkle of cayenne. Heat some finely cut beef suet in a saucepan and brown the meat all over, turning it frequently. Add half a cupful of boiling water and a whole onion and cook slowly for an hour.

Peel and slice some carrots, just cover with boiling water, add a teaspoonful of sugar, boil for half an hour, drain and add to the meat along with some finely cut turnips, potatoes, tomatoes or any vegetable you like. Cover and cook slowly for another hour.

Arrange the meat in the middle of a dish, the vegetables around it, and pour over it a gravy made by adding some hot water and thickening it with browned flour.

Anna Thompson

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CRIMES OF ACTUAL VIOLENCE

Plans to Have Them Dealt With by Individual Commonwealths, Following Sentence of Thirty-Eight Men by Federal Government—Evidence Adduced at Indianapolis

Indianapolis, Dec. 30.—With thirty-eight labor leaders in jail awaiting sentence on the twenty-six counts of which they stand convicted, the investigation into the dynamite cases is by no means ended. Besides the men convicted there are many others concerned in the dynamite plots, according to the authorities, and the activity of the government will not cease until all have been brought to trial.

The men have been convicted only of conspiring to transport dynamite on passenger trains, contrary to the federal law. They have been convicted of no crime of violence. All the evidence of these crimes of violence adduced at the trials here is to be turned over as soon as possible to the authorities of the states in which they were committed. The state authorities will be urged strongly to indict the convicted men in the places where the crimes occurred.

When the men are brought into court for sentence, Senator Kern, who is in Washington, and William N. Harding, another attorney for the defense, will enter an appeal for the men. Unless this appeal acts as a stay, the men receiving terms of one year or more will be taken at once to the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. Edward Schmidt, the United States marshal who has charge of the prisoners, has made arrangements for a special train for them and will go to Leavenworth by a secret route. The time the train will leave will not be made public.

Judge Anderson will impose sentence on all thirty-eight men today. District Attorney Miller has announced he would not oppose motions for light sentences in the case of certain of the prisoners. The maximum penalties which Anderson may impose is thirty-nine and a half years in prison and fines aggregating $60,000 each.

Only two of the convicted men are not officials of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers. These are Olaf A. Tveitmoe, the most prominent labor leader in San Francisco, and Hiram A. Kline of Muncie, Ind., an organizer for the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of Detroit. The two men acquitted were Herman G. Seiffert of Milwaukee and Daniel Buckley of Davenport, Ind.

Tveitmoe is declared by William J. Burns to be the ringleader of the conspiracy. Burns says it was Tveitmoe who suggested blowing up the Los Angeles Times building and who induced John J. McNamara to send his brother west to do the job.

The chapter in the reign of violence which has just ended began with the blowing up of the Los Angeles Times building, because General Otis was a determined opponent of the labor unions. This explosion, which cost twenty-one lives, was really a thing apart from the business of wrecking non-union jobs by dynamite.

It led, however, to the arrest and conviction of the men. John J. and James B. McNamara revealed much; Ortie E. McManigal confessed much more. On information given to them by these three the federal authorities caused the indictment of fifty-four others, including McManigal and the McNamaras.

ONLY ONE ON FREE LIST

National Press Club of Washington Favored by London Times

Washington, Dec. 30.—The National Press club of Washington has been accorded the unique distinction of comprising the sole free list of the London Times.

Lord Northcliffe, its proprietor, in a letter just received by the club, stated that for 120 years The Times had never had a free list, but a copy would be sent regularly to the club, beginning Jan. 1. He stated this was the only instance the publication was thus supplied. Northcliffe is a member of the club.

BACK FROM PANAMA TRIP

President Taft and Party Are Now on Way to Washington

Miami, Fla., Dec. 30.—President and Mrs. Taft, Colonel and Mrs. Goethals and a number of friends arrived off Key West Sunday on the battleships Arkansas and Delaware after a quick trip from Colon and the Panama canal zone.

The presidential party was brought ashore by the government tug Peoria and started north on a special train. They are due in Washington tomorrow morning.

O. A. TVEITMOE

Declared by Burns to Be Ringleader of Conspiracy



Photo by American Press Association.

A DRINKING MAN'S SENTENCE

Court Turns Him Over to the Care of His Mother-in-Law

Chicago, Dec. 30.—"I will sentence you to your mother-in-law's care instead of sending you to the Bridewell. I think she will punish you in a manner you will not soon forget."

This was the penalty meted out to Frank Shields by Municipal Judge Hopkins. Shields was arraigned for disorderly conduct, and said trouble with his mother-in-law had driven him to drink too freely.

WALKED 174 MILES, 12 DAYS ON ROAD

Suffragettes With Message For Sulzer Reach Albany

Albany, Dec. 30.—Tired and footsore, but still enthusiastic and glorying in the fact that they reached their destination two days ahead of the schedule, the little band of "suffragette pilgrims" who walked 174 miles from New York to present a message to Governor-elect Sulzer, advocating votes for women, arrived in Albany.

The 174 miles were covered in twelve days of walking, an average of 14½ miles a day.

Of the six "pilgrims" who started from New York five—"General" Jones, "Surgeon General" Lavina Dock, "Colonel" Ida Craft, "Corporal" M. H. Stiles and "Private" Sibyl Wilbur—completed the long hike. Mrs. Inez Craven, who was one of the six to make the start, dropped out.

"The message, the contents of which will not be known until Sulzer reads it, will be placed in his hands by 'General' Jones as soon after his arrival as possible," the "general" said. Sulzer is expected here today.

GOTHAM'S LARGEST HOTEL

New Hostelry Has Accommodations For Twenty-Five Hundred People

New York, Dec. 30.—New York's newest and largest hotel, the McAlpin, at Thirty-fourth street and Broadway, opened Sunday with 300 persons engaging rooms before its doors were formally thrown open. The new hotel has accommodations for 2500 persons. All the rooms began to fill up rapidly as soon as the incoming trains began to reach the city. Thousands called at the hotel to inspect it through the day.

The formal opening of the McAlpin hotel was marked by a dinner given by the members of the Greeley Square Hotel company, which owns and operates the hotel.

JOB FOR SUFFRAGETTE

Miss Foley Named For Trustee of Hub Children's Institutions

Boston, Dec. 30.—Mayor Fitzgerald today sent to the civil service commissioners for approval his nomination of Margaret Foley, the suffragette leader, to be a trustee in the children's institutions department, to take the place of Caroline S. Atherton, who declines to serve.

The mayor gave Miss Foley the refusal or acceptance of an unpaid position. Miss Foley, being an active suffragette, accepted. It rests with the civil service commission to decide whether or not the mayor chose wisely.

Mind and Matter.

Teacher—Is there any connection between mind and matter? Small Boy—Yes; if a boy doesn't mind there'll be something the matter.—Chicago News.

Men are born to succeed, not to fail—Thoreau.

"WHAT HAVE WE FOUGHT FOR"

Pertinent Question of Chief of Bulgarian Delegates

PROPOSALS OF THE TURKS

Considered Ridiculous In View of Fact That They Have Been Beaten to Their Knees In Macedonia—Allies Cannot Allow Adrianople to Remain Under Turkish Rule

London, Dec. 30.—On every hand are heard expressions of indignation by the delegates of the Balkan allies at the remarkable proposals put forward by the Turks. In brief these proposals are:

1. The province of Adrianople to remain under the direct administration of Turkey.

2. Macedonia to be converted into a principality, with Salonica as its capital. The principality to be under the suzerainty of the Sultan of Turkey, but governed by a prince chosen by the Balkan allies and nominated by the Sultan of Turkey. This prince to be a Protestant and from a neutral state.

3. Albania to be autonomous under the sovereignty of the sultan and governed by a prince of the imperial Ottoman family, who is to be chosen for a term of five years, with the possibility of a renewal of his appointment.

4. All the islands in the Ægean sea to remain Turkish.

5. The Cretan question not to be one for the decision of the conference, as it is a matter between Turkey and the great European powers.

"The Turkish counter proposals are ridiculous," declared Joseph Angeloff, secretary of the Bulgarian delegation. "The offer of reform in Macedonia when the Turk is beaten to his knees seems incredible. The vanquished virtually demand that the victors give them back the conquered territory. Our mission is to liberate the oppressed Christians and others in Macedonia and Thrace from tyranny, and Bulgaria must have Adrianople. If the Turks agree to all our demands except the surrender of Adrianople we would not agree to peace."

The proposals were submitted by Rechad Pasha. When he finished, Dr. Daneff, chief of the Bulgarian delegation, shouted: "For what, then, have we fought?" The Montenegrin delegate, Lazar Myuskovitch, shouted: "I am going to pack and go back to take my place at the front."

The allies remain in accord. It is stated that Bulgaria is prepared to cede to Greece in Macedonia all the territory on the right bank of the River Vardar beyond Vodena, retaining for herself all the territory on the left bank, including Salonica.

Heavy fighting is expected this week at Janina, where the Turkish garrison has been reinforced and now numbers 45,000 men.

"JIMMIE" REYNOLDS WEDS

Wealthy Widow Bride of Former Boston Newspaper Man

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 30.—James B. Reynolds, formerly a newspaper man in Boston and who left the job of assistant secretary of the United States treasury to become a member of the tariff board, was married here to Mrs. Irene Hearin, a southern widow of wealth and beauty.

They met in social affairs at Washington, where Mrs. Hearin and her daughter, Miss Jamie Hearin, have been favorites several seasons. It was one of the most fashionable weddings of the year in Mobile.

Mrs. Hearin was Irene Holcomb of Little Rock. Her late husband, Charles T. Hearin, was a wealthy cotton man of this place.

TWO COMMIT SUICIDE

Charges Involving Moral Turpitude of Old Men In Connecticut

Mystic, Conn., Dec. 30.—John Haulisch, a storekeeper, who was about to be arrested on complaint of young girls, leaped from the window of his barn, breaking his neck and dying instantly. Edwin D. Williams, 78, a retired carpenter of West Mystic, similarly accused, hanged himself in the doorway of his home.

Prosecuting Attorneys Hewitt of Stonington and Burrows of Groton have been investigating stories told by young girls to Miss Welch, a district nurse, and have caused the arrest of five men, each over 60.

Railroad Magnate's Daughter Engaged

St. Paul, Dec. 30.—James J. Hill, the Great Northern railway magnate, announced the engagement of his daughter, Miss Rachael, to Dr. Agil Boeckmann of this city. The date of the wedding has not been announced.

Nine Killed by Explosion

Hamlet, N. C., Dec. 30.—Nine men, three whites and six negroes, were killed here when a stationary boiler at the Seaboard Air Line shops exploded.

CHARTER COMMITTEE

(Continued from Page One.)

Council pass the resolve authorizing the Mayor to petition the legislature.

Representative Piper presented a proposition which found favor with some of the committee although it was not adopted. This proposition called for a City Council of six members, the Mayor to be a member ex-officio. Practically the six would be at large. Each ward of the city would be entitled to one councilman although the six will be voted for, all over the city. That is the names of candidates nominated from each ward shall be voted for all over the city. Under this proposition it would be possible for several names to be placed in nomination from each ward although but one could be elected, and by the voters at large. This proposition was not accepted however although several were in favor of having it submitted to the voters with the other propositions.

The meeting Saturday night voted that the propositions should be divided and submitted to the voters practically as three propositions, the propositions to be placed on the ballot at the state election next November. These propositions are as follows.

First. Shall the City Charter be amended?

Second. That the City Council shall consist of nine members, one from each ward and three at large. The three at large to be elected for one, two and three years terms, the first year, and thereafter one each year for a three year term: The Mayor to be elected for a term of two years; Members of the City Council to be paid $5 for each meeting but they shall not receive more than $150 in any one year.

Third. Shall party designations for municipal officers be eliminated?

These propositions placed on the ballot in this form will give the voters of the city ample opportunity to express their preference.

It is quite well understood that there are those who favor all three propositions and would vote for all three, if they submitted to the voters collectively. There are however many who would be willing to vote for one or more of the propositions, but not all of them. This is particularly true in regard to the party designation question.

Should the incoming legislature enact a bill in accordance with this plan the movers for the revision are planning to hold a campaign of education during the coming months.

It will not be possible to present this petition to the City Council Tuesday evening for them to pass a resolve authorizing the Mayor to petition the legislature, but it is understood that it will be brought before the City Council of 1913 when it meets for organization Jan. 6.

As all petitions must be filed not later than Jan. 11, it will be necessary for all the City Council to take final action on Inauguration day, otherwise the petition would have to take its chances of getting by the Committee on Rules of the legislature.

Many favor reducing the number of Councilmen and believe that the nine members should all be elected at large and that better men will be obtained in this way. This proposition however was strongly opposed by the different Ward Improvement societies who considered the question for it was pointed out that under this plan it might be possible that all members might come from one ward. As an incident it was stated that in one year one of the wards had five Councilmen, three from the ward and two at large. The Improvement societies who had taken the question up for consideration believed that each ward should have at least one representative in the City Council.

Grading the Rulers.

Themistocles, it is said, declared that his son was the strongest man in Greece.

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Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Dec. 16-3t 16, 23, 30

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To all persons interested in the estate of Lemuel Phillips late of Quincy in said County deceased:

Whereas Francis Collamore the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented for allowance the final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased said account being rendered by Florina M. Collamore Administratrix of the Estate of Francis Collamore deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the first day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Corinne E. Wightman late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by William Henry Wightman of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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ATTRACTIONS LOOM UP BIG

At the Kincaide Theatre This Week With a Good Start

"Custer's Last Fight" is the feature at the Kincaide theatre for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The photoplay is in three reels and graphically depicts the struggle of the Western Indians against Eastern civilization. The scene is laid near the Little Big Horn river and over 1000 people take part in the production. Many are Indians who are descendants of the tribe which masacred Custer and his valiant band. Historically, the picture is as correct as it is possible to make it and from the artistic standpoint it is one of the most picturesque production ever released.

The vaudeville includes the Cardownie sisters in a Scotch dancing act and Newport and Stirk who are athletic marvels. Al Edwards is on hand with his musical turn and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas make their bow to many Quincy friends with their snappy skit, "The Dog Thief." Jack in the Box is the comedy reel of the show.

BRIEFS

Miss Isabelle Wragg is spending her vacation in Needham.

Miss Bertha and Miss Grace Goodwin of Bellevue Park are visiting in Dedham during their vacation.

Miss Tressa Kirmsie is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collett of West Squantum street, Montclair.

City Solicitor McAnarney left Sunday afternoon for Chicago on a business trip.

Mrs. William H. Whitney has been called to Pennsylvania by the illness of her father.

Mayor Stone has commenced work writing his annual inaugural address which will be delivered next Monday at noon.

Tomorrow will be a busy day at the district court, as there are 104 continued probation cases coming up for disposition. Most of these are for drunkenness.

John E. Johnson and family who make their summer home on Babcock street, Houghs Neck, go to Boston tomorrow for the remainder of the winter. They will register at The Gladstone, Dudley street, Roxbury, until the first of May.

YOUNG WOMEN BOTHERED

By Impertinent Man on Hancock Street Sunday Night

JOHN MURPHY ARRESTED

Word was telephoned to the police station early Saturday evening from Butler road that a drunken man was chasing young women who happened to be on the street. A little later word was telephoned from the car barn that a man was chasing young women in that neighborhood. The wagon was sent down and John Murphy was placed under arrest. John gave his address as the Parker house Quincy Point. In the meantime Officer Avery had been sent down to investigate the case from Butler road.

He found that a young lady, who desires her name withheld, had walked down Hancock street about 10.20 and that a man had followed her down from near the corner of Adams street. When she reached Merrymount road she thought that she would wait and let the fellow pass. He did not however and she started on. When near the residence of W. G. Shaw on Butler road the fellow caught up with her and grabbed her by the shoulder. She shouted for help and the fellow left. From her description of the fellow it is believed that Murphy is the man who assaulted her. This morning complaints were issued against him for drunkenness and for assaulting the young lady and he was held in $300 until Tuesday morning.

BRIEFS

A daughter was born Dec. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. John Joseph Burns, nee McGrath, of Fayette street, Wollaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Twitchell, nee Patterson, of Newbury avenue are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter born Dec. 27.

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EMPLOYEES ENTERTAINED

Friday evening last the employees of the William A. Bradford Co. were most royally entertained in Boston by Mr. Bradford, it being in commemoration of his birthday. Dinner was served at one of the popular hotels after which the show at Keith's Theatre was enjoyed, adjourning from there to a bowling alley. While dinner was being served Mr. Bradford was agreeably surprised by being presented with a handsame watch fob as a token of remembrance from the employees. A most enjoyable evening was reported by all.

BRIEFS

Charles A. Price of Presidents hill is to address the Junior Laymen of First church this evening at 7.30 in the chapel.

Have you paid your pledge to the Hospital fund? The Hospital trustees have large bills to meet Jan. 1st and would appreciate a remittance about now, to the treasurer, Nathan G. Nickerson.

Purpose and Success.

It is the old lesson—a worthy purpose, patient energy for its accomplishment, a resoluteness undaunted by difficulties and then success.—W. M. Punshon.

It is seldom that punishment, though lame of foot, has failed to overtake a villain.—Horace.

BIRTHS

TWITCHELL—In Atlantic, Dec. 27, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Twitchell of Newbury avenue.

BURNS—In Wollaston, Dec. 26, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Joseph Burns, nee McGrath of Fayette street.

MARRIAGES

MILNE—ALEXANDER—In Belmont, Dec. 12, by Rev. Alexander Blackburn Mr. Alfred Alexander Milne to Miss Ann Alexander, both of Quincy.

DEATHS

CASS—In Skowhegan, Maine, Dec. 24, Mrs. Annie A., (French) Cass, formerly of Quincy.

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QUINCY LOST TO SALEM BY MARGIN OF HALF A POINT

Made a Gallant Fight in the Competition of a Dozen Teams

Lee and Cahill Materially Aid Victory For Their Team

Twelve associations were represented at the seventh annual Y. M. C. A. athletic meet at the local gym Saturday afternoon. Lee and Cahill of Salem captured the individual honors which were competed for by 104 boys. Hunt of Quincy won the class B cup.

Salem won the meet with 17 1-2 points, beating the Quincys by one half point. The other points were as follows: Lynn 16; Everett 12, Chelsea 11, North Abington 9, Gloucester 8 1-2, Cambridge 8, Norwood 4, Malden 3, Boston 2, Clapp Memorial Institute 1, East Weymouth 1.

The events were arranged for three classes, A, for boys between 12 and 14; B, for boys between 14 and 16, and C, for boys between 16 and 18. In Class A, Moody of Chelsea, Emery of Lynn and Lee of Cambridge tied for first place. Hunt won the cup in class B and Lee of Salem won the class C trophy. Points made in a special running high jump in class C did not count.

The building was overrun by the visitors who came from all parts of the state.

The summary:

CLASS A.

15-Yard Dash—Won by Emery of Lynn; Pendergast of Norwood, second Ahlstrom of Quincy, third; Gowell of North Abington, fourth. Time, 2 4-5s

Potato Race—Won by Moody of Chelsea; Langwell of Lynn, second; Lake of Chelsea, third; Sanderson of Cambridge, fourth. Time 24 1-5s.

Standing Broad Jump—Won by Lee of Cambridge; Galbraight of Everett, second; Gronberg of Quincy, third; Pendergast of Norwood, fourth. Distance, 8ft 11in.

CLASS B.

15-Yard Dash—Won by Mitchell of Lynn; Hall of Everett, second; Hunt of Quincy, third. Time 2 3-5s.

Potato Race—Won by Hunt of Quincy; Frielder of Lynn, second; Bates of Quincy, third; Curtin of Clapp Memorial, East Weymouth, fourth. Time, 23 1-5s.

Running Broad Jump—Won by Hall of Everett; Hunt of Quincy, second; Emerson of Cambridge third; Boyd of Chelsea, fourth. Distance, 17ft. 2 in.

CLASS C.

15-Yard Dash—Won by Bott of Gloucester; Lee of Salem, second; Bigger of Boston, third; Sawyer of Everett, fourth. Time, 2 2-5s.

Potato Race—Won by Lee of Salem; Merrill of North Abington, second; Barrows of Chelsea, third; Aiken of Chelsea, fourth. Time 23 4-5s.

Running High Jump—Won by Lee of Salem, McClellan of Malden, second; Cahill of Salem and Bott of Gloucester tied for third. Height 5 ft.

Special Running High Jump for 18-Year-Old Boys—Won by Gordon of Wakefield; Lee of Salem, second; Cahill of Salem, third; McLeod of Malden, fourth. Height, 5ft 2in.

Three Standing Jumps—Won by Merrill of North Abington; Lee of Salem, second; Bott of Gloucester, third; Prout of Quincy, fourth. Distance, 26ft 9 in.

In the relay, Quincy beat Lynn and Chelsea beat Cambridge.

The judges were R. J. Kaney of Boston, referee; H. H. Buxton of Lynn, starter; A. E. Murray of Chelsea, H. R. Dudley of North Abington and J. Ireland of Cambridge, judges of field events; R. C. Fabyan of Clapp Memorial, W. E. Wright of Malden, Frank A. Tirrell, Jr., of Quincy and Alex Robertson of Quincy, judges at finish; Alden Blanchard of Quincy, scorer. The arrangements were in charge of Louis F. LaRose, physical director of the Quincy Y. M. C. A.

BRAUN TAKEN BY POSTAL MEN

By His Manner and Appearance Is Old Offender

FREED IN LOCAL COURT

William Braun, the burglar who was captured by Officer Thorne at a revolver point at the sub-postoffice station in the store of H. H. I. Smith, Saturday morning was brought into court this morning for a hearing.

It was 12 o'clock, however, before Deputy United States Marshall James A. Tighe arrived. He thought at first that he might be able to recognize the man, but was unable to place him, although he thought possibly that some of the other Deputies might be able to recognize him.

A conference was held with the court at which Deputy Tighe stated if the cases were settled in this court and the Federal officers should then take him for the post office break that it was doubtful if he could again be sentenced. His advice was that the cases against Braun in this court be dismissed for want of prosecution and the man be turned over to the United States officers.

The case was then called and the two complaints dismissed for want of prosecution and Braun turned over to Deputy Tighe who took him back to Boston.

Since Saturday Chief Burrell has learned that Braun did work at one time at the Fore River but of late has been employed at one of the bowling alleys in City Square.

Chief Burrell also had another charge against Braun for breaking into the store of Howard Rogers but that case was not pressed at this time.

Braun is a Russian, and is known as a "Let." He speaks but little English. Some of the police are inclined to think that he may have been one of a gang of "Lets" who shot up Jamaica Plain a few years ago after a postoffice robbery. It is evident according to the theory of the police that Braun is no novice in post office work for when arrested he unconsciously stated to Officer Thorne that he had not done any similar work for eight years. Then he realized that he had made a mistake and all further atempts to get anything out of him were unsuccessful.

There hav e been numerous post office breaks about New England during the past few months and it is possible that Braun may be connected with them before the Federal officers are through with him.

PLENTY RAIN AND STRONG WIND

Regular Downpour Made Its Appearance Today

A heavy storm made its appearance today and continued all through the day and looks as though it would keep right through the night. The downpour commenced early in the morning, rather lightly but gained strength as the day wore along. In the afternoon it came down in sheets and those forced to be out in it, unless especially well protected were booked for a drenching.

The air was warm as the wind was from the southwest and blowing quite a stiff breeze.

$40 FOR CHRISTMAS.

Through a misunderstanding it was reported Saturday that Court John Ericsson, Foresters of America had expended $40 during the year through its charity committee, wkhereas the amount was expended during Christmas week. The annual contribution to charity amounts to a much larger figure than that reported.

Diplomatic.

"Am I all the world to you, Jack, dear?" she cooed.

"You are certainly a fair portion of it," he told her and so made the classy double play of pleasing her and keeping to the exact truth.—Boston Transcript.

MIGHTY DEEDS OF SLAUGHTER

On and Off the Alleys Told at Bowlers' Banquet

NEARY GIVEN A PIPE

The semi- annual banquet of the Fore River League was held at the Quincy house, Boston, Saturday evening and was attended by 55 bowlers and friends. President Joseph Larkin presented James Neary, the retiring president, with a meerschaum pipe.

A sumptuious repast was followed by a social hour and all joined in the good fellowship of the evening. An impromptu entertainment was furnished.

A table ran the length of the room which was decorated by cut flowers of all descriptions and the league name was spelt out the whole length by candy.

Mr. Neary exhibited a gold watch which he received by mail Christmas morning from the Fore River Apprentice boys of which he was director for five years and which testified to the boy's friendship.

The party adjourned in time to catch the last train to Quincy.

It Was on Foot.

"You say that there is a movement on foot?"

"Sure—did you expect it to be on horseback, or in an automobile, or perhaps in an airship."—New York Press.

We sometimes have those little rubs which Providence sends to enhance the value of its favors.—Goldsmith.

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The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

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f Harrison Square — g Savin Hill — h Crescent Avenue — i South Boston — r Quincy Adams — † Except Saturday
Exp.—Express train.

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r 7 08	abcd	7 30	7 41	a	7 58
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5 06	Exp	5 20	4 57	a	5 11
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6 12	ab	6 32	5 24	a	5 42
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r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 43	6 15	ihgfedcba	6 42 r
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West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)—6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.03, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.13 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)—6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.55, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.29, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.36, 9.36, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.25, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.20, 11.20 P. M, **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10 15 P. M.

OLD RIVALS IN BIG MATCH

Poelher and Hintze Will Battle For Supremacy

Sunday the bowlers are obliged to rest from their favorite pastime, but wherever they met yesterday the sole topic of conversation was the coming match between Poehler of Quincy and Hintze of Revere which will take place on Jan. 6 for the first match and on Jan. 9 for the final.

The interest that has been manifested in Poehler's score has been extraordinary, but since he has held many titles, among them being champion of New England, it is not strange that he would become a marked man in bowling.

Hintze is a bowler of no mean repute, and on the North Shore seems to have everything his own way. Last season he and Poehler rolled and Hintze took the win by one pin.

Since then the hope of the bowlers was another match and a purse of $100 has ben placed for the winner.

The first ten strings will be rolled at Chelsea on Jan. 6 and the last ten strings will be rolled at the Coliseum on Jan. 9. This is the arrangement for the match despite reports to the contrary

ANOTHER FALSE ALARM.

The call from Box 721 at 9.35 Sunday morning was a false alarm.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 3, 1912.

(Subject to change without notice.

Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton,** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and East Milton, 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

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STREETS WASHED, GUTTERS RIPPED BY THE FIERCE RUSH OF WATERS

Summer Deluge Surpassed By Monday's Consistent Flood

Autos and Horses Sank In the Undermined Highways

The heavy rain Monday did considerable damage to the streets and several washouts were reported to the Commissioner during the day. One of the first to be reported, outside of the break in the water main on Whitwell street, was that a horse had gone down nearly out of sight on Chubbuck street in a gas trench. The horse was said to belong to a Mr. Allen. Another report received at City Hall stated that a horse had gone down in a water or sewer trench on Briggs street, in the Downs section and had broken his leg and had to be shot. The name of the owner of the horse was not reported to the Commissioner. The next report that came in was of a washout on Upland road. No damage was done here however.

In many other places throughout the city, especially on hills the water came down with a rush tearing out gravel gutters and washing the streets badly in places so that the highway gang will be kept busy for several days repairing the damage done.

At times Monday the rain came down in torrents. This was especially true during the early afternoon. The result was that by night there was but little left of the snow that fell the day before Christmas. The streets were wet however but the high wind that came with sun down and continued through the night cleared this out of the way so that this morning the air was bright and clear and the day gave promise of being an ideal winter day and a fitting close of the year 1912.

BIG CHURCH CONFERENCE

Christian Efficiency Gratifying to Loyal People

ALL WORKING IN COMMON

The following letter written upon the Federal council of churches of Christ in America, and written by a former Quincy man will be read with interest by people of the city:

Editor Daily Ledger:

The advance in church federation and co-operation has been so rapid the past decade and is so prophetic of a new era of Christian efficiency that all broad minded and loyal Christians will hail with profound satisfaction the latest evidences of ecclesiastical affiliations. The second quadrenniel meeting of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America has just been held in Chicago and it was the writer's privilege to serve as one of the twenty-two delegates from the Congregational denomination. This Council in the opinion of many was one of the most significant religious meetings held in this country. Some thirty-two denominations with over

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☞PRATT'S BREAD costs a little more—is worth a good deal more. Ask your grocer.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The regular meeting of the school committee will be held at the apartments this evening.

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TWENTY-TWO YEARS OLD

Finnish Temperance Society Celebrated Anniversary

VERY LONG SESSION

The 22nd anniversary of the organization of the Finnish Temperance Society was observed with great ceremony at the Finnish Temperance hall Saturday evening. The officers and members planned for a good time which continued until two o'clock Sunday morning. An extensive program which was arranged by the committees met with the general approval of all present.

The principle address was delivered by Matti Kurrika of New York, the editor of the leading Finnish paper in the country. Mr. Kurrika spoke for a lengthy period covering the relation of temperance to citizenship. He reviewed the progress of the race and said that we must of necessity expect to see the Finnish people step forward and demand their just rights in this country, not that they were denied any of the virtues accorded any other citizen, but that their development was so gradual and at the same time so certain, a refusal to recognize their spirit and attainments would be a blight on the country's honor.

He concluded by extending the greeting of all his friends to the society, to the pastor of the Finnish Congregational church, Rev. John Lillback, to whose eorts he said the present society was due, and expressed a sincere wish for a continuation of all that was good and noble in his countrymen.

Rev. John Lillback also gave a short talk on the community work in which he is so interested. Other speakers were present and covered all conceivable subjects. An entertainment was also furnished.

100 CANDIDATES GIVEN DEGREE

At County Class of the Hibernians at Dedham

A class initiation of the Ancient Order of Hibernians for this section of Norfolk County, was held Monday afternoon and evening in Columbia hall, Dedham. The divisions participating were Division 1, Norwood; Division 2, Canton; Division 8, Franklin; Division 10, Hyde Park; Division 11, East Dedham; Division 13, Walpole; Division 19, East Walpole, and the divisions at Stoughton, Medfield and Quincy.

There was an attendance of about 600. The four degrees were conferred pn 100 candidates. The work was exemplified by the degree staff of Division 8 of Franklin, with the following as officers:

County Vice Pres James L. White of Walpole, presided. Addresses were made by Rev. James J. Chittick of Hyde Park, county chaplain, Rev. D. P. Scannell of Franklin, State Pres. P. F. Cannon of Clinton, State Treas Dennis J. Slattery of Weymouth, County Pres. Patrick Ferguson of Quincy, Cornelius M. Duggan of Atlantic and Joseph Curran of Franklin.

(ADVERTISE.)

FORUM CLOSED FOR A TIME

The last meeting for some time at least of the Good Citizenship Forum was held at the Wollaston Unitarian church, Sunday noon. Levi H. Turner was the speaker, and he took for his subject, "Proportional Representation." Among other things he said: "The political machinery of each of the old parties is complementary to the political machine of the other and each is controlled by a boss. For 60 years popular government in the United States was ahead of that which prevailed in Switzerland, but the latter established popular sovereignity in the place of 'representative' rule. Proportional representation is the product of an advanced political civilization and it is destined to prevail. Then and not until then shall the people govern themselves, become their own legislators, themselves the judges of the constitutionality of their own law making acts. Thus forever shall we keep for the common people that governing power, which never ought to be delegated to agents and substitutes."

"To make a legislation body representative, each organized or unorganized interest in its constituency should have the right and the opportunity to choose its own spokesman. But the architects of our republic did not learn this important, logical lesson. Neither did they see that this original principle could be carried out on the higher plane of universal suffrage Ignoring this, the true representative principle, they attempted to institute a representative government based on universal suffrage. It failed as a natural consequence. Universal suffrage unrepresented has vitiated the legislative bodies.

"The State Legislatures and the Congress of all the States ought to be an exact counterpart of those whose interests they have in charge. They should mirror the state and the nation, reflecting all shades of opinion, and preserving proper proportions. In the National House of Representatives in 1870 James A. Garfield, while still a Congressman, long before his name had been mentioned in connection with the Presidency, said, 'It is a weak point in our government that a large portion of the voters are permanently disfranchised. * * * * Take for example my own district. I have never been elected by less than 9000 majority. Sometimes the majority exceeds 12,000. Yet there are 10,000 Democratic voters in my district, and they have been voting there for 40 years, without any more hope of having a representative on this floor than of having one in the Commons of Great Britain."

Proportional Representation consists in abolishing the present district system of electing a single representative by a majority or plurality vote and enlarging the districts so that 7 or more candidates shall be elected on a general ticket. This makes it possible to apportion the successful candidates among the several parties in exact proportion to this popular vote. Thus establishing a fair and just method of representation to all important phases of public

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TALKED ON BANKING.

Charles A. Price of Presidents hill addressed the Junior Laymen of the First Church Monday evening. He talked on General Finance, the workings of the stock markets and the reasons of money shortage and non-circulation. The speaker is a member of the banking firm of Saltonstall & Co., of Boston, and has had a wide experience in the financial world. The talk was most interesting to the young men and he was roundly applauded when he concluded.

SUSPENSION ENDS WEDNESDAY

What Action Will Park and Downs Church Take

IN BOYNTON CASE

The expiration of the suspension period of Chester A. Boynton of Revere as a member of the Congregational Park and Downs church is New Years Day.

The action followed the report of the standing committee meeting on July 6 when they voted four to three in favor of suspension. The reason given for the vote was that Mr. Boynton had broken faith with the church society by filing suit against the pastor, Rev. William B. Ayres.

The suit was filed in the Suffolk County court and is still on the records.

Nothing definite can be ascertained regarding Mr. Boynton's standing in the church and it is not publicly known at this time whether he will continue as a member after Jan. 1.

None of the church officials could be reached today to say whether Mr. Boynton will be permitted to resume his place in the church on action towards his further suspension undertaken.

WELCOME TO ALL NO SPECIAL BIDS

Mayor Stone Makes Good Resolution for Inaugural

Mayor Stone stated this morning that he should issue no special invitations to the inauguration ceremonies next Monday but that he desired to extend a general invitation to all citizens through the public press to be present.

DAVIE ATE SOAP TO GET SLIM

May Be Removed From Deer Island to Rutland

Robert E. Davie, the "boy broker," was brought from the prison hospital at Deer Island early Monday to the City Hospital where the physicians appointed by Gov. Foss examined his conditions. Their report is expected today at the final meeting of the Executive Council of 1912.

It was said by many who saw Davie that he was only a shadow of his former self, pale, shrunken and apparently barely able to walk. An important feature of the long examination at the City Hospital was the X-Ray study of the prisoner's stomach.

It was reported that the physicians' report would agree that Davie is suffering from nervous break-down, and that he should be removed to some other institution, such as the penal camp at Rutland. It is also said that Davie's present weakened condition is partly due to attempts to starve himself and from eating soap after meals in order to eject the food eaten.

NO TROUBLE IN PARCELS POST IF REGULATIONS ARE FOLLOWED

All Packages Above Four Ounzes Must Be Brought to the Post Office

Regarding Eggs and Other Fruit Call at Stamp Window

Information relative to the installation of the parcels post service at the Quincy Post Office, Jan. 1, has been furnished by Postmaster Charles L. Hammond. No parcels mail matter will be handled unless distinctive parcel post stamps are used. These stamps can be procured at the office The regulations are as follows:

The Parcel-Post System will start at the Quincy Post-Office Jan. 1, and two additional clerks, also two additional carriers with wagons, have been assigned to help care for the new business. There will be two deliveries at present, 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Parcels must be brought to the post office for mailing with the exception of ones up to and including 4 ounces which may be mailed at the numbered sub-stations. These percels as well as all others, can be insured for a fee of ten cents against loss of its actual value, not to exceed $50.

The sender of a parcel must fill out a special tag for insurance and will hold a stub receipt for same. A return receipt with signature of addressee or a responsible party to receive the mail, may be obtained when requested.

All parcels must bear the name and address of the sender, preceded by the word "From."

Parcels should be well wrapped and in such a manner as to allow examination. Millinery, etc., should be marked "Fragile" and foods, fruits, etc. should be marked "Perishable."

For full information regarding the packing of eggs and other perishable goods for unmailable articles, and complete zone rates, apply at the stamp window.

Distinctive parcel post stamps must be used.

The greatest weight accepted is 11 pounds and the size must not exceed 72 inches in length and girth combined at the thickest part.

MANET ENCAMPMENT.

Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F. will install officers Friday night, Jan. 10. Jan. 22 they will pay a return visit to Buckingham Encampment of Boston. The officers to be installed are:

Chief Patriarch—Alex S. Kennedy.
High Priest—James E. Richardson.
Senior Warden—Nathan A. Rich.
Junior Warden—Robert W. Wood.
Scribe—George C. Ela.
Treasurer—Frank L. Carlton.
Trustee for three years—Andrews S. Johnson.

Representatives to the Grand Encampment—Past Chief Patriarchs, Frank E. Badger, Charles S. Jones, Frank W. Flowers, Edward L. Goodridge and Charles F. Wood.

ANOTHER HEARING.

The Board of Trade railroad committee will be given another hearing today before General Passenger Agent Smith of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and Chairman William H. Teasdale and Secretary John O. Hall will attend. The question of better railroad service will be fully discussed and it is expected that the road will make some concessions.

MURPHY NOT THE ASSAILANT

Mr. Shaw's Testimony Clears Man of Serious Charge

The continued case of John Murphy for assault on a young lady on Butler road was called and after hearing the evidence in the case it was evident that it was a case of mistaken identity and he was discharged. The girl was unable to be present this morning but W. G. Shaw who saw and talked to the fellow, it is alleged that assaulted the girl, testified positively that Murphy was not the man. Mr. Shaw said that he was with the man who was very much under the influence of liquor for fifteen minutes. It is believed the offender was a naval man because he wore a Moose pin and a short naval man's jacket. He was positive that Murphy was not the man. The court therefore ordered his discharge on this complaint. Murphy however was fined $10 for drunkenness.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

"Be prepared for war," appears to be the cry on every hand. The Hague court may well come under the recall.

All this clutter about eggs going to the post is just so much time wasted. So far as eggs are concerned the old method of delivery will hang for some time to come.

The average mother will be glad that the "scratch on the trousers" matches must go after Jan. 1.

Just five holidays of 1913 will fall so that they will have a Saturday or Sunday or Sunday and Monday combination.

Those clerks in the mayor's office at city hall get in a lot of extra time. Perhaps the voters would like to know just the regular hours of the force and then strike a balance.

Revise the charter by all means, but do it so that there will be improvement.

If every section of the city has a hand out to be sure that it is not missed in the distribution of plums, without regard to the city as a whole, any old charter is as good as another.

The Ledger wishes its numerous readers a happy and prosperous New Year.

The Boston & Maine shanty men at last feel the effects of the coal famine. They must use the soft product.

California rather overreached itself in that gallantry about the age omission on voting.

If Mr. Hultman's bill becomes a law, drunks will find it just as well to carry their load within when entering the police station.

Who has got a strangle hold on the millions squeezed out of the people of the state to foster railroad building? The total figures almost enough to own all the roads in the state.

Jesse Pomeroy has once again demonstrated his ingenuity. It is another black mark against the unfortunate man.

That bunch of weary foot sore suffragettes had a long walk and much weariness of feet, but the ladies who stayed at home in New York, saw Gov. Sulzer and he did not give them any lemon. So that the trampers have little in the way of glory awaiting them.

A 17 ounce baby has made its appearance in Aurora. Here is a chance for the Eugenies to get busy.

100,000 garment workers on strike in New York. About time for the echo of a shortage in the coat market and a rise in prices.

The bargain season has opened and the professional shopper will have her war paint on for some days to come.

There will be a lot of money foolishly spent tonight by a great many people who can ill afford it. But they will be putting on a front, and maybe before a smiling creditor.

As a celebration promoter Fitzey seems to have lost his vocation.

Good bye old 1912. May 1913 be as good and kind in a general way.

Mr. Wilson is said to have a fine flow of language. He also must have an immense reservoir of it.

Seattle has a law forbidding "fake" sales. This shows how far Seattle is from Wall Street.

No, little one, it is not the business of money trust to trust you for the money.

We have our opinion of any woman who would give her husband a snow shovel for Christmas.

Governor Wilson complains that the headline writers don't make their captions fit the story, which shows his ignorance of journalism in New York, where the stories are always written to match the heads.

Wilson says he is looking for the best lawyer in the country to be Attorney General; and Brandeis is blushing like a fire in a lumber yard.

The academy of medicine recommends the grading of trained nurses into three classes, blondes, brunettes and titians.

ALMOST PARDONABLE.

The action of some people of socialistic tendencies in Philadelphia, to send threatening letters to a certain family who had planned a series of elaborate entertainments during the winter is almost justifiable under the circumstances. Such vulgar display and useless lavishness, born of a brazen desire to startle the world by the wasteful elegance are enough to create unrest. The family referred to had their first soiree in a new hotel and formally christened the bar room, although of course it did not have the usual appurtenances on this occasion. This little fling is said to have cost $500,000. A tidy sum for one evening entertainment. As the head of the family is a high man in the traction company of the city, the laboring men began to murmur. Leaders pointed out that it was the working people's money which was being expended. Can they be blamed if they take that view of the situation. The working people maintain the public service companies. Excessive rate mean big profits for the manipulators. They have no natural way to expend their enormous incomes, and so they hit upon those "Nero Fiddling while Rome Burning Affairs." The thing is over done. The people begin to wonder. They ask questions. Then there are disturbances. And it would be much better if those people could find a different and more beneficial to humanity outlet for their surplus wealth.

PARCELS POSTS.

The new parcels post delivery system will go into effect in all the cities of the country, Wednesday, and for that matter in thet owns as well. It is a stupendous undertaking, yet it is believed that every precaution has been taken to make the operation, even on the initial day as effective as possible. With all that it must be reckoned that this is a new movement. One that will require some time for the officials and carriers to become acqustomed to and at the same time to provide adequate transportation, as up to the present time it is uncertain to just what limits the postal department may be taxed to meet this new venture.

For that reason the people should be as patient as possible and credit any defects which may crop out to the newness of the undertaking the inability to meet unknown conditions.

It is believed that the American people will be fair in this matter and permit a reasonable time to elapse before they become too critical. Then again there is another thing, which must be considered. Certain interests would like nothing better than to see this venture fail so completely that it would have to be abandoned. That would mean nothing more or less than an advance over the already excessive transportation charges under which the country has been struggling for some time. The parcels post is the people's enterprise.

It means a saving for the people and its successful operation may in time mean a wider branching out into public utility companies which will be even more far reaching and beneficial to the public.

TO ELECT OFFICERS.

The third degree will be exemplified on a large number of candidates by the degree staff of the Mt. Wollaston Lodge, I. O. O. F. at their lodge rooms in the Adams building this evening. The annual election of officers will also take place. Preparations have been made for a jolly time and some of the members are planning to hold a watch party after the adjournment.

CONCERT AND BALL.

The seventh annual concert and ball of the Quincy Police Relief association will be held at Music hall Thursday evening Jan. 23. There will be a concert by Wilson's orchestra from eight to nine o'clock and dancing until two o'clock. The committee having the affair in charge are sparing no pains to make this year's affair the most successful of any yet held.

Aged Forger Goes to Prison

Santa Rosa, Cal., Dec. 31.—For uttering a forged check James Williams, known under a dozen aliases and wanted all over the country for forgeries, was sentenced to twelve years in San Quentin penitentiary. He is 63 years old.

Quincy Daily Ledger Coupon in Free Trip Contest—Good for

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PLACE

DeNORMANDIE TAKES A JUMP

Hartford Friend Helps Conductor Kelly

IN INAUGURATION CONTEST

A lull was expected in the Daily Ledger contest for the free Washington trip, today, after the phenomenal jump of yesterday, but there is always something doing, and all parts of the city seem to be interested.

The largest gain today was by R. E. DeNormandie of Wollaston, who added over 300 and will try to overtake the Heptasoph candidate. Miss Morrissett and Mr. Bowditch, both made good gains, but the former has widened the gap between them. Galen by the way is almost "up-to-date," as his total is now 1820; only 93 more are needed to bring it to 1913.

A friend in Hartford sent 100 votes for Conductor Kelley of the street railway who moves up from No. 57 to No. 19. That diamond ring would attract lots of attention should he wear it while collecting fares.

Gains were also made today by E. Alstein, Olof Carlberg, T. F. Flaherty, Fred M. Dolan, William Wilson, John T. Cain and Timekeeper Hart of the Fore River shipyard.

A block of 70 votes arrived today from someone unknown, and all the coupons were blank, so that no one gets the credit.

It is not necessary to fill out the coupons in full, now that the candidates are nominated and well known, but every coupon should have the family name at least. All coupons marked "Williams" will be counted for Fred D. Williams, and all coupons marked "MacKay" will be counted for A. R. MacKay, and so on down the list. The Contest Editor would suggest, however, that one coupon each day be filled out in full and put on top. Candidates will find rubber stamps very convenient.

Coupons sent by mail should be addressed to "Contest Editor, Daily Ledger, Quincy, Mass."

Tomorrow all candidates with less than 50 votes will be dropped from the printed list, but their record will be kept just the same.

TWO MORE RIZES.

Two prizes will be awarded Monday, Jan. 6, a first and a second prize for the largest gain in total during the week ending at 9 A. M. on that date. The prizes will not be vote certificates but very acceptable prizes to the winners. Get busy.

A certificate good for 1000 votes is given for each year's subscription to the Daily Ledger. Old or new subscribers may pay for one year, two years or five years and thus help their friends in the contest.

Coupons good for five votes are printed on page two of the Ledger every day, and every resident of Quincy can become a candidate for this popular trip. Washington is always an attractive city to visit, but it will be particularly so in March next during the Inauguration ceremonies.

The standing of the candidates today at 9 A. M. was as follows:

Fred D. Williams, drug clerk	28405
Sturgis Hunt, Y. M. C. A.	14425
A. R. MacKay, Heptasophs	8290
R. E. DeNormandie, Wollaston	5545
Emma C. Marnock, W. R. C.	3870
Fred J. Kessler, insurance	2915
Nellie A. Morrissett, Crescent st	2285
Galen Bowditch, messenger	1820
Annie Lamont, L. L. O. L.	1430
Richard A. Cole, letter carrier	805
Ethel Randall, stenographer	600
Sam Shellman, Granite street	420
"Ted" Keohane, St. Kelvin court	360
Anna Gustafson, Germantown	300
Harry Barr, Q. H. S. '13	260
Walter Mead, High school	195
Richard Larkin, High school	185
Joseph Barber, Elm ave	175
William Kelley, conductor	170
William Wolf, Y. M. H. A.	160
Edith M. Cairns, Germantown	145
Edmond Roach, "Square Deal"	125
John H. Hart, timekeeper	115
M. S. Nicoll, Makaria Fraternity	115
"Sam" Prout, Quincy High	115
Ambrose O'Dowd, Street Ry	110
George Powers, Fore River	110
Miss Ruth Cahill, Odd Ladies	110
S. F. Nutting, Brewers Corner	105
John T. Cain, K. of C.	105
Alice O'Neil, West Quincy	100
C. M. Duggan, Atlantic	100
Edmond Desmond, Copeland club	100
Hannah Sandberg, D. of V.	100
Lloyd Lewis, Electric Express	100
Miss Jennie Taylor, Violet club	95
Geo. A. McDonnell, K. of C.	95
F. J. Hamel, Boy Scout	95
Katherine C. Walsh, Telephone Co.	95
Wm. J. Decoste, Houghs Neck	95
Wm. Wilson, Presidents ave.	90
Helen King, A. O. H. Aux.	90
Chas. H. Finn, Buffaloes	90
Dan Scouler, shipfitter	90
Etta Kenney, Hancock chambers	90
William Allen, Eagles	85
Michael P. Barry Fire dept.	85
Williaim Erickson, F. of A.	85
B. L. Smith, Fore River	85
R. M. Harmon, Edison street	80
Morton Beattie, Golden Rod.	80
Peter T. Fallon, Ward Four	80
Isabella Smollett, Common st.	80
Angus Kerr, Trafford street	75
Fred M. Dolan, Orient A. A.	75
T. F. Flaherty, Currier's	75
R. A. Falconer, Broadway	75
Richard H. Joyce, West Quincy	70
J. McCullough, shipyard	70
L. D. Duncan, Jr., Crescent St.	70
Walter A. Pendis, Rogers street	70
Carl W. Leaf, Water street	70
Olof Carlberg, shipyard	65
Richard J. Gray, Foresters	65
J. F. Gallagher, shipyard	65
L. Lindville, Tiger A. C.	65
W. C. Luther, Fore River	65
George L. Phillips, G. A. R.	60
Flora Collins, Pleasant street	60
Paul Blackmur, Jr., Elm street	60
James Neary, Fore River	60
Clara Stoddard, S. of V Aux.	60
J. F. Hyland, Telephone Co.	55
E. Alstein, draftsman	50
H. S. Pelton, Robertson street	50
Ward C. Walker, Freeman street	50
John Evans, Progressive	50
J. Hynes, shipfitter	45
Jesse I. Spear, Conant road	45
John Mahon, organist	45
James McNamara, police	40
Gertrude Nelligan, Atlantic	40
Chas J. McGilvray, Willard St.	40
Robert Pratt, 10c store	40
Horace E. Spear, Franklin street	35
Grace Williams, Willard school	35
H. F. Morse, 6 Crescent street	35
John L. Miller, Progressive	35
Catherine Dolan, Atlantic	30
John Moir, Atlantic	30
Geo. H. Wardwell, Wollaston	30
Bertha Pearson, Wollaston	30
James N. Rice, Appleton street	20
Mary E. Powers, W. R. C.	20
James Doyle, West street	15
Charles Archibald, L. O. L.	10
Robert Brown, "Wet wash"	10
E. Wilding, Baxter street	10
Ethel Dicey, Montclair	10
Dorothy Atwood, Wollaston	10
Capt. Fred Smith, Broadway	10
J. W. Fletcher, Brewers Cor	5
William Hodge, Town Hill	5
Marie Weeden, West Quincy	5
Russell Sullivan, 432 South St.	5
John R. Wiggie, Copeland St.	5
A. I. Dixon, Fat Men's Club	5
George Westland, Quincy	5
J. Nathan, Granite st	5

"Vote early and often."

COURT'S BUSY DAY.

Today was one of the busiest that the district court has had during the year in addition to the new cases and the usual number of civil cases that come up on Tuesday's there were 106 continued cases that came up for disposition. Most of these cases were for drunkenness where the parties had been placed on probation or had their cases continued to pay fines.

IMPROVING.

Matti Taplo, a member of the Finnish colony of Quincy who has been a leading member of the Finnish Congregational church Sunday school and for several years manager of the Co-operative store, has been at Lakeville the past few months for his health. He visited friends in Quincy for the Christmas holiday and returned to Lakeville today and expects to remain there about six months, when he will have fully recovered from his malady.

TABLE MATTERS MAY BE LIFTED

But it is Hardly Likely at Council's Last Session

DOCK TO GO TO 1913

What will probably be the last meeting of the City Council of 1912 will be held tonight. There are several matters in the calendar that come up for a second reading that will be disposed of and a communication will be received from the committee, who have been considering the public dock question. They will probably recommend that the question be referred to the next City Council. There are several matters on the table that may be taken up and disposed of otherwise they will die with the Council.

ORANGE LODGE YULETIDE TIME

Doble's Hall the Scene of Merry Gathering

About 250 members, friends, including children were entertained by the Granite Lodge, O. S. S. G. at a Christmas social in Doble's hall, Monday evening. An entertainment, dancing and refreshments were in order. Andrew Dinegan sprung a couple of new songs and Fred McDonald delivered monologues. Songs were rendered by Thomas Newcombe and Francis Hodge. Miss Phyllis Smith was applauded for several readings.

The feature of the evening was the singing of anthems by the Cornish Carol Singers who rendered several selections under Arthur J. Newcombe, musical conductor and Henry J. Rendle, the master.

Preceding the event a short business meeting was held at which routine matters were considered and one member initiated. Dancing closed at midnight. Music was furnished by Provosts orchestra.

The committee was Henry J. Rendle, Samuel Collins, John Andrews, Ernest Collins, Albert Andrews, Charles Best Arthur Newcombe, Frederick Beer, John Harlan and George Reynolds.

KIDNAPPERS NEATLY FOILED

Bride and Groom Gave the Bandits the Slip

James W. Brennan, 34 Taylor street, Neponset, and Miss Margaret M. Murphy of 109 Hancock street, Dorchester were married Sunday evening at St. Peters church, Dorchester, by Rev. Fr. Keating. The groom is a former Atlantic resident and was a member of the strong Atlantic and Secred Heart base ball team a few years ago.

Miss Margaret McCormick of Somerville was the bridesmaid and William Fitzgerald of Quincy was the best man. After the ceremony the bridal party managed to escape a large number of friends, who had planned to kidnap the bride, and had supper at the United States hotel, Boston. The dissappointed friends returned to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy where a wedding supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Brennan are now on their honeymoon and will return about Jan. 15 when they will be at home to their friends at 109 Hancock street, Dorchester.



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ON WHITWELL STREET

The eight inch water main on Whitwell street near the City Hospital burst Monday afternoon but it was not until the automobile of Dr. John F. Welch sunk nearly out of sight in the trench that the break was discovered. It was during the heaviest of the rain Monday afternoon that Dr. Welch in coming out of the City Hospital grounds ran his automobile into the trench, the wheels of the car going down below the hubs. All efforts to get the car out failed and the water department was notified.

Commissioner Tupper got out the emergency crew and set them to work, meanwhile taking Dr. Welch home in his own car. The water gang had considerable difficulty in getting the car out of the trench, after which work repairing the break was commenced, the water in that section having in the meantime been shut off.

GENTLEMEN THE GUESTS

Quincy Catholic Club Hostess to Quincy Council K. of C.

The annual Gentlemen's Night of the Quincy Catholic Club was held at New Colonial hall Monday evening and was well attended by guests from the Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus. An entertainment was given and dancing and refreshments completed the program.

Miss Theresa Connell of Somerville, who has taken part in the annual production of "Pilate's Daughter" gave several fancy dances which were of a classic order. Miss Helen Galvin of Braintree rendered selections which received hearty applause and Leslie Woodworth, a singer was given a fine welcome. Music for the entertainment was furnished by John Mahon and the dance music was furnished by William Wilson.

Rev. Fr. John J. Coan, pastor of St. John's church and his curate, Rev. Fr. P. J. Scannell were among the invited guests present.

The committee consisted of Miss Annie Walsh, Miss Mary R. Lyons, Miss Helen Galvin. Refreshments were served by Mrs. George H. Norris, Mrs. Michael E. Cook, Mrs. J. J. McAnarney, Mrs. William Reardon, Miss Mary Coyle, Miss Elizabeth Keating.

AN AFTERNOON REHEARSAL

Pretty Playlet By St. Mary's Guild at Christmas Social

St. Mary's Guild held their postponed Christmas Social in St. Josephs hall Monday evening. A large number were present and all received gifts of a pretty and useful nature. A playlet was given by the members which was light and funny. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight, music being furnished by Miss Rena Mannix. Refreshments were served in the ante rooms.

The title of the playlet was "An Afternoon Rehearsal." The part of Mrs. Bryan, a person who was devoted to the younger people, was taken by Miss Mary Monahan. Angelina, her French maid was acted by Miss Sadie Monahan and Miss Alicia Elcock took the part of Phyliss Herndon who was always scrapping. Miss Laura Drexel and Miss Kittie Vandersen, society girls with a fondness for theatricals, were Miss Rena Mannix and Miss Ethel Burns. The part of Ann Nancy Butternut was taken by Miss Elizabeth Farrell.

The hall was decorated with Christmas colors and potted plants. The committee consisted of Miss Catherine Shea and Mrs. Annie White, who were assisted by the members.

(ADVERTISE.)

SLIGHT DROP IN BUILDINGS

That is, in Number and Value From Last December

FROM PARKER'S REPORT

The report of Inspector of Buildings Warren S. Parker, for the month of December is that during the month 38 building permits were issued involving an expenditure of $63,325. This is slight falling off from December 1911 when 51 permits were issued involving an expenditure of $74,475.

The total number of permits for the year 1912 was 670 involving an expenditure of $1,272,801 as against 690 permits for the year 1911 involving an expenditure of $1,261,543. It will be seen by these figures that while the number of permits this year was less than in 1911 the amount involved is larger.

The following table gives the various permits issued in December 1912 compared with the number issued in December 1911.

1912.		
Dwellings	16	$52,700
Cottages	7	4,700
Mercantile	0	0,000
Manufacturing	0	0,000
Stables, etc	2	375
Auto houses	6	700
Alterations	6	4,850
Removals	0	0,000
Miscellaneous	0	0,000
	38	$63,325
1911		
Dwellings	20	$61,000
Cottages	2	1,750
Manufacturing	1	400
Storage	7	2,300
Auto houses	1	400
Removals	5	900
Alterations	13	2,525
Miscellaneous	2	5,200
	51	$74,475

SEVENTEEN-WORD MARRIAGE RITUAL

Ingersoll's Daughter Weds by Ethical Culture Ceremony

New York, Dec. 31.—Miss Maude R. Ingersoll, daughter of the late Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll, was married by a seventeen-word service of the Ethical Culture society to Wallace McLean Probasco of Ohio.

The ceremony took place in the living room of the bride's home at 117 East Twenty-first street, Rev. Dr. Elliott, assistant to Dr. Adler, head of the society, officiating.

The bride had no bridesmaids nor flower girls and the bridegroom was unattended. The listened to a three-minute address by Elliott on the duties and responsibilities of the marriage relation.

Probasco then placed a plain gold band on the finger of his bride as they repeated the society's marriage ritual, as follows:

"With this ring I thee wed in love and truth for life—till death do us part."

That was all there was to it.

BACK NEW YORK STRIKERS

Garment Workers In Boston May Soon Be Called Out

Boston, Dec. 31.—The delegates and officers of the seven unions in Boston of the United Garment Workers of America met last night and voted full support to the 125,000 New York city garment workers who are out on strike.

Officials of the local unions of the craft declared it is only a question of time when the hundreds of organized garment workers in Boston will be out on strike for more wages and better working conditions. The proposed strike will not take place immediately, however.

SHORTAGE IN ACCOUNTS

Discovered After Suicide of Secretary of Fraternal Benefit Order

Providence, Dec. 31.—That there was a shortage of $1665 in the accounts of Frederick E. Phillips, grand secretary of the grand lodge of New England Workmen on Dec. 1, is the finding of Attorney Allison of the state insurance department.

Phillips committed suicide at his home in Central Falls this month when an examination of his books had been ordered. The report asserts the order is sound and perfectly solvent.

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BRAUN PLEADED FOR CLEMENCY

Could Not Get Work to Support Wife and Family

SENT THEM HOME

William Braun, the post office burglar captured at Quincy Point last Friday night who was turned over to Deputy Uniteed States Marshal James Tighe, was arraigned Monday afternoon before Commissioner Hayes in the Federal building on a charge of breaking into a post office at Quincy Point.

He pleaded not guilty and was held for a hearing until next Monday. In default of bail he was taken to the East Cambridge jail. While in the Marshal's office Braun broke down and begged for clemency for the sake of his wife and two little children whom he had sent home to Lithuania several years ago because he could not get work enough to support them.

Braun has been in Quincy for a few months at least and has been a pin boy at the Coliseum alleys. Associates at that place say that Braun was not a man who seemed to lead a regular life inasmuch as there were times when he would absent himself from his work for a few days at a time and on his return would offer a rather unreasonable excuse.

He was allowed more leeway than some of the other foreign employees because he could talk English very plainly and was trusted to a great extent.

During the absence of the manager there has often been a shortage in the cash register. While Braun worked near the register he could not be definitely connected in any way with the losses.

FINNISH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

Seventeenth Will Be Fully Observed With Roll Call

The seventeenth anniversary of the Finnish Congregational church will be observed by a gathering of the members at the church this evening, when their will be a social and roll call. All the officers of the church since the organization will be assigned a place of honor on the platform. The pastor Rev. John E. Lillback will lead in the exercises. At 10 o'clock every one will go into the vestry and have a good time and refreshments will be served. This social session will last for an hour.

The return to the church will be made at 11 o'clock and there will be prayer and a testimony meeting and just before 12 o'clock, all will kneel in prayer and as the clock chimes announced the last of the midnight hour, ushering in another day and year all will rise and join in singing a welcome to the New Year.

DISTRICT COURT.

August Carlson was sentenced to two months in the house of correction for drunkenness at Quincy. Sentence suspended until July 9.

Sanderson Carter was fined $10 for drunkenness at Qiuncy.

The continued cases of John Murphy for drunkenness and for assault at Quincy was called. He was fined $10 for drunkenness and discharged on the complaint for assault.

AUCTION SALE.

In spite of the weather a large number attended the executors auction sale of a 9 room house, and 4,408 square feet of land situated on Hersey place, Quincy Point, Monday afternoon. The sale was conducted by Auctioneer C. H. Johnson. The bidding was lively, and the property was sold to Ellen J. Bushnell for $2,525.

Why Wife Waited.

A certain married man who boasts to the boys that his wife never sits up for him slipped out for a cigar the other evening after supper and failed to notice that his wife had her party gown on. When he softly tiptoed into the house at 2 a. m. he was slightly surprised to see a dewy eyed lady trip down the stairway, turn her back to him and tearfully say:

"There are two hooks I just couldn't reach; won't you unfasten them so I can go to bed?"

Fortunately he could and did.—Chicago Record-Herald.

TURKS SPRING BIG SURPRISE

Would Have Powers Settle Controversy With Allies

THE LATTER STRONGLY OBJECT

Moslems to Present Formal Plan at Next Session—Ambassadors Warn Turks Against Any Further Delay—Allies Determined to Keep What They Won at a Price of Bloodshed

London, Dec. 31.—The peace conference between the delegates of the Balkan states and of the Turkish empire assembled at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon for its seventh session. Dr. Daneff, speaker of the Bulgarian parliament, presided.

The Turkish plenipotentiary, Rechad Pasha, proposed that the conference submit most of the matters contained in the Turkish counter proposals presented at the meeting last Saturday to the mediation of the great powers. The delegates of the Balkan allies were startled at the suddenness and informality with which such an important proposition was introduced, and objected to the Turkish proposals.

The Turks retorted that if greater formality were required, it would be necessary to adjourn, so the delegates separated until Wednesday, when the Turks will undertake to present their new plan in a formal and concrete form.

It is expected here that the course of the negotiations may be influenced by three events.

The first of these is the death of the German foreign secretary, Alfred Von Waechter, which, coming soon after that of Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, formerly German ambassador at Constantinople and afterward at London, deprives Turkey of two valuable supporters. On the other hand, this may prove an advantage for the allies, as Waechter was supposed to be the instigator of the Austro-Hungarian armaments on the Balkan frontier.

The second occurrence is the reassembling of the house of commons, as, although Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, is determined to maintain Great Britain's strict neutrality, he cannot prevent members of the house asking questions which show the trend of public opinion.

The third point is the resumption of the meetings of the European ambassadors, from which may come the olive branch that has been vainly sought by the peace envoys.

The ambassadors of most of the European powers have advised the Ottoman government to make an effort to come to terms with the Balkan allies. The Russian ambassador at Constantinople in particular coupled his advice with a warning as to the dangerous consequences of delay in view of the situation in Asia Minor. This Russian representation has produced a disagreeable impression in Turkish official circles, while the agitation in the Turkish army in favor of a resumption of hostilities continues.

The allies are determined to keep what they have bought at the price of bloodshed. Their armies are rested and strengthened; their troops are said to be in perfect condition, as all infectious diseases are now under control, and they await the Turks' attack on their lines at Tchatalja.

PASSED COUNTERFEIT COIN

Two Men Sent to Penitentiary and One Is Paroled

Boston, Dec. 31.—Judge Morton of the United States district court sentenced Joseph Morano and Joseph Petrillo, both of New York, to two and a half years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta for passing counterfeit coin, but released on parole Arthur LaRue of Fall River, who claimed he passed the counterfeit coin in order to get something to eat.

LaRue was overcome with gratitude when the judge ordered the case placed on file. He thanked the judge with tears streaming down his cheeks.

RECOGNITION OF CHINA

Urged by Community of Americans Acquainted With Conditions

Pekin, Dec. 31.—The American community in Pekin, numbering eighty persons, telegraphed to Washington urging an early recognition of the Chinese republic.

President Yuan Shi Kai and the members of the Chinese cabinet are delighted with this action, and expressed the hope that a message emanating from Americans living in the Chinese capital will carry weight in a country which always has shown the greatest friendship for China.

Hung Jury In Burnham Trial

Chicago, Dec. 31.—After deliberating five hours the jury in the trial of Mrs. Harriet M. Burnham, charged with the murder of her husband, Herbert Burnham, disagreed and was discharged.

SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCHES

Topics and Announcements For Coming Week

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

BETHANY CHURCH.

After spirited singing by the congregation and the choir and a solo by Mrs. Moore, the Rev. B. A. Willmott delivered his address last evening to a large audience as usual. His subject was "The Great Investment." Following are a few excerpts from the discourse: "The great possession is life and the question that should interest us tonight, as a year is closing, is how can we so invest the remaining years of our existence as to insure the best returns for ourselves and others? As I was about to deliver a sermon to eleven hundred men in the Concord Reformatory a few years ago, the officer in charge asked me if I was going to speak on the parable of the Prodigal Son, as nearly all other ministers who had spoken there had done. I told him no. My text was the young ruler who had great possessions and I tried to show those young prisoners that they had great possessions and that it was because they were not investing them wisely that they were at present under the hand of the law. "Backward, turn backward, Oh, Time in thy flight" is a futile prayer, for time does not turn back, nor does it stand still. With every tick of the clock our fortune of time is diminishing. The sure and safe thing to do with our lives is to serve God. Those who do not serve him have no quarrel with Him, but rather with some people who bear his name unworthily."

WOLLASTON METHODIST.

Rev. Wenthworth F. Stewart, D. D., of Boston, spoke to an appreciative audience at the Methodist church, Sunday morning and evening. At the morning service he spoke on the Christian Life and said, the christian life is the best life. What shall I have is a question asked by nearly every one to-day. What shall we get personally? The christian life should be chosen because it gives one the larger vision of life. He told of men who had had visions and contrasted them with men who had no visions. He spoke of the narrow contracted life one lived without a vision. He said that if a man had no vision he would become low and almost useless. Man needs the larger upward look that he may be lifted out of himself and see the possibilities that await him. This is true of the business man and men in every station in life. But in order that one may get this larger vision of possibilities and opportunity he needs to get a vision of Christ.

The christian life should be chosen because it is against those powers without and those impulses within which keep a man down. All the sinful tendencies and evil powers which would draw a man away from God and keep him down in the world the christian life is against.

The christian life should be chosen because it saves one in the crisis of life. He related many incidents how many come to such a crisis and how many go down except they are secure in Christ. At the evening service Dr. Stewart took for his text the following words from John 3:16: "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in him should not perish but have eternal life." He said in part: "We are face to face with our limitations. God is not limited. We have a mind to do many things but we are limited. Do we realize how big God is? He is absolutely without limitations. The reason why God so loved the world is

"First, Jesus came into the world in this fashion to show us how much God cared for us. Does God care for us?

"It is a large world in which we live The stars seem a long way off. God hides himself behind the star. But is this all?

"There is the thought of fear when we think how great God is, because we are not certain whether God cares for us. Jesus came to make us certain that God does care for us. It is awful to think that God is absent from the world. It is good to feel the grip of His power to hold in the time of need. Jesus Christ is so near that He can be touched with the feeling of our infirmities. It is good to reach up and touch the hand of the infinite. We have a peculiar confidence that God loves us and cares for us. It is a great thing to go through the world and know that God cares for us.

"Second Jesus came into this world to show that this love reaching to the sky might save men. Jesus came to bring the saving power of God. The atonement is not a thing to be explained. But when you look into the face of the sorrowing hearts of men and women and read there the confidence they have in God you have a picture of Calvary. Jesus taught very largely by pictures. When we see Jesus hanging upon the cross, when we see upon his face the deep lines of sorrow, when virtue begins to go out of Him to the thief on the cross then we see Calvary. Jesus came into the world to bring the saving power of God within touch of us.

"Third, God so loved us that he wanted us to feel his safety and security from sin in time and enternity. He sent His Son that he might reveal God's power to the extent we might feel safe and secure from sin in this world and throughout eternity."

The Sunday school was in charge of F. G. Bennett. Dr. Stewart spoke to the school and the need of seeking first the kingdom of God. He said we ought to put first things first, we should seek first the kingdom because from what it saves us and to what it saves us and because it puts us on the right track.

The Junior League was in charge of the pastor. Clarence P. Cassidy led the Epworth league service which was largely attended and full of interest. He took for his subject, "The World's Measure of Jesus' Loyalty to His Message."

Miss Beulah Collett was the pianist.

F. G. Bennett led the praise service at the second service. Miss Marguerite Louise Holbrook was the soloist for the day singing at the morning service "Jesus Lover of My Soul" and at the evening service "Abide With Me."

Tonight at 8 o'clock Watch-Night services will be held. Rev. F. H. Morgan, Dr. Stewart and Mrs. F. H. Morgan will speak. Everybody invited. Dr. Stewart will speak at the church Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7.45 o'clock. Everybody invited to these services.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH.

New Year's day will be observed by Holy Communion in the morning at 8 o'clock and choir rehearsal in the evening at 7.30. Friday evening, the Girls' Friendly society will meet in the Parish rooms.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The Junior Auxiliary will meet this afternoon at 3.45 o'clock. The Woman's Guild will meet, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and in the evening the senior department of the Sunday school and the teachers will have a Christmas party.

St. Margaret's Guild will hold a business meeting, Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock and at 7.45 o'clock the Reapers will hold their annual meeting at Miss Pollock's.

FINNISH CHURCH.

A business meeting of the Finnish Congregational church was held at the church, Saturday evening, when ten new members came forward, made a profession of faith, confessed to Jesus and were accepted as full fledged members of the church.

Wednesday evening there will be a neighborhood meeting, at the home of one of the new recruits, at No. 4 Nelson street.

Thursday the pastor will lecture at the church. Friday Pastor Lillback will lecture on American citizenship and becoming citizens at the hall, and those present will be instructed how to proceed in the matter of procuring papers. In a short time a number of candidates will be examined and those who pass will receive their nomination papers.

CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES.

Special masses will be said in all the Catholic churches on New Year's Day. Appropriate sermons will also be delivered on the day and its significance.

At St. John's church the masses will be at 5, 7, and 9 A. M. The last will be a high mass and will be followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

At St. Mary's church the masses will be at 5.30, 6.45 and 8 A. M. The Benediction service will be in the evening at 7.45.

Masses will be said at 5.30 and 8 A. M., at the Church of the Sacred Heart. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow the last mass.

The Te Deum will be rendered by the choirs of the respective churches.

SWEDISH BAPTIST.

Watch Night Services will be held at the Swedish Baptist church. Brewers Corner tonight. From 9 to 10 there will be a social hour, followed by prayer and preaching by the pastor, Rev. Paul Hallin. At 12 o'clock, every one present will unite in a welcome hymn to the New Year.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Wednesday generally fair with southwest winds and moderate temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.14
Sun sets	4.22
Length of day	9.08
Moon sets	6.55
High water, A. M.	6.00
High water, P. M.	6.30

Days increase 0 hours 4 minutes.

New Moon, Jan. 7	5.28 A. M.
First Quarter Jan. 15,	9.02 P. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 22	10.40 A. M.
Last Quarter Jan. 29	2.34 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURES.

At 12 M. today	51 degrees
Dec. 31, 1911,	26 degrees
Dec. 31, 1910,	20 degrees
Dec. Noon Max. 14 years	67
Dec. Noon Min. 14 years	2 below

PROTECTION WHIST PARTY

Quincy Lodge Now Planning For Supper and Whist

A well attended whist party was held at Protection hall Monday evening by the degree staff of the N. E. O. P., Quincy Lodge. The winners were L. G. Lanfair who was awarded a bag of sugar for 51 points; Miss Mary E. E. O'Neil secured a jardiniere with 43 points: Mrs. Albert G. Williams, a centre piece for 43 points and L. G. Robertson a fancy dish with 41 points.

Plans have been perfected for a supper and whist party at Eiecta hall Jan. 20, and arrangements are being made to accommodate the largest number to date.

BRIEFS

The legislature will enter upon its arduous duties Wednesday.

Elizabeth Burdett, of Clive street is confined to her home withh illness.

Little Elizabeth Wells of Webster street is confined to her home by illness.

The Christian Endeavor of the Atlantic Memorial church are planning a watch meeting on New Year's eve.

Mr. Millard F. Baker has returned to his home on Walker street after an extended business trip through the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Robinson of North Abington spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Willey, of Walker street.

Mr. Fred M. Burdett of Clive street is spending the week on a business trip in Nova Scotia, and is also visiting his mother.

Old 1912 is going out like a respectable personage, even if he did show some little kittenish tricks, commencing the day before Christmas, and continuing in the same frame up to Monday.

Rev. Sampson Nicholls, who is taking a year's rest in Atlantic, preached very acceptably in the Atlantic Memorial church on Sunday. Rev. T. W. Davison has been confined to his home with a grip cold for several days.

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PLAN PUBLIC INSTALLATION

St. Francis Court of Foresters Prepare For Big Event

An election of officers and plans for a public installation on Jan. 14 were the important accomplishments of St. Francis Court, M. C. O. F. at a special meeting Sunday afternoon.

The public installation will take place in St. Joseph's hall, and the officers will be inducted into office by D. G. H. C. R. Arthur S. Griffin of Jamaica Plain and suite. The ceremonies will be attended by all the formalities and rituals of the order.

The officers elected were:

Chief Ranger— Philip T. Egan.
Vice Chief Ranger—Dr. John H. Ash.
Financial Secretary— Michael T. Riley.
Recording Secretary—Napoleon B. Grignon.
Treasurer—William H. Callahan.
Senior Conductor—Michael Lyons.
Junior Conductor—John J. Joyce.
Inside Sentinel—John T. Callahan.
Outside Sentinel—Malichi Mitchell.
Trustees—William T. Shea, John F. Burke, James Doyle.
Delegates—Joseph J. McNeally, William T. Shea, Arthur B. Murphy.
Alternates—James H. Elcock, John Vogel, Michael F. O'Brien.
Physician—Dr. John H. Ash.

WOLLASTON FORUM

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opinion in proportion to the number of voters holding those opinions.

"As far as the voter is concerned a system of Proportional Representation would make no complications in his ballot. His duty on election day is as simple and as easy as at present, the important difference being he would be able to choose from a number of candidates for Congress, and for the Legislature, instead of for one as at present. By the Hare system his vote would only count for one and he would signify his preference by marking the candidate he likes best No. 1. His next choice No. 2, and so on in rotation. If his vote goes to elect the candidate of his first choice, it cannot be counted for any other. But if his No. 1 candidate has enough votes without his, or if including his, this No. 1 candidate has not enough votes to be elected, then his vote is passed along to the 2nd choice candidate. If the 2nd choice candidate can not use, or does not need the vote, it goes to the 3rd choice, and so on. Practically, there will be no votes lost. The utmost freedom of nomination will be made possible. In case of a disagreement among a group of voters as to the best choice of representation, they could nominate two candidates without any danger of splitting this vote and losing their representation.

"For an example, we will imagine a district where 14,000 votes are cast and 7 members are to be elected. It will be the duty of the election officers, after the votes are counted, to ascertain the "quota." This will be done by dividing the total vote by the number of candidates to be elected. And as 7 is contained in 14,000 just 2000 times, then we see that any party or group of voters, who have cast 2000 votes, are certain of electing the leading candidate in this group. The votes which were cast for the lesser candidates are not lost, but are transferred and counted for the one who best represents 1-7 of this constituency. Thus every party among the voters will be represented in proportion to the number of votes cast, and they will be represented in every case by their best candidates, for obvious reasons. In this way we can have a majority rule in the true sense. The majority of opinion is what is wanted. A majority is not a mere count of noses taken here and there among varying interests and purposes. It is rather the prevailing opinion of the people wrought out from the conflict of interest and purpose. By this process of voting it can be secured without any wire pulling or manipulation for the purpose of obtaining a candidate who will ensure a majority."

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters addressed to the following persons, remained unclaimed at the Quincy post office for the week ending Dec. 28:

Giuseppe Aleimo, C. L. Anderson, Miss Edith Barclow, F. C. Candee, Mrs. Clegg, Colletti Bros. (Special delivery) Andrew Flynn, Andrew Hyndman, Mrs. J. Johnstone, Nelly Lawton, Miss Mollie A. Long, Miss Katharine Madijan, F. Mankowski, Mrs. Alfred Pitts, Mrs. Margaret M. Wall, Angel Pozzo.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WILSON'S CABINET.

President-elect Wilson is one of the most reticent men ever chosen president of the United States. When reporters try to get some news out of him about his cabinet his mouth and tongue seem to be held fast by a padlock.

It has however leaked out from sources close to Mr. Wilson that it is very likely that A. Mitchell Palmer, of Pa., will be attorney General, A. S. Burleson of Texas, will be Secretary of Agriculture and Josephus Daniels of North Carolina will be Post Master General. These names were obtained from what are considered by newspapers as "inspired sources" and while they are not affirmed or denied by Mr. Wilson himself they are no doubt the names he has in mind at the present time.

TARIFF HEARINGS.

The hearings on the new tariff bill which the Democrats will introduce will commence before the Ways and Means Committee on January 6th, and it is expected that unusual interest will attach itself to these proceedings.

SOUTH AND PROTECTION.

The South which has been sending Democratic Delegations to congress for years and years is now an important manufacturing community and it is thought that they will show more interest in maintaining a protective tariff than they have ever done since the war. The South is now literally covered with manufacturing establishments and feels the need of protection same as the manufacturing industries of the Central and New England states do.

FINANCIAL LEGISLATION.

Serious attention will be given to financial legislation also in the near future.

It is clearly evident that the finances of this country while good and sound are not on a scientific basis and the fact of it is that the country does not possess an inadequate supply of money, with which to conduct the vast business we carry on. In the days of Clay, Calhoun and Webster the leading financiers as well as those great Senators reached the conclusion that there should be about one dollar ($1) for every thirty dollars ($30) worth of property, and as this country now possesses about one hundred and fifty billion dollars worth of property there should be five billion dollars ($5,000,000,000) circulating medium, while we only have a trifle over three billion dollars in circulation, and consequently only thirty-five dollars per capita, when we should have $50 per capita.

We have had a great deal of talk about there being an abundance of money in the country, and it is true that there is a large aggregate amount of money in a few hands, but there is not enough money for the transacting of the business of the country to keep it up to that flourishing state of prosperity which is within our reach. Every autumn when the time of "moving the crops" arrives the demands for money with which to move them is so great and the tension so strenuous that it almost snaps at times, (and did in 1907) so this one fact alone proves that there should be an enlargement of the volume of the country's money.

FRANCE AN EXAMPLE.

France is the most prosperous of any country in Europe or any one in the world except the United States, and France has a larger circulation per capita than any country in the world. France has a circulation of over forty dollars per capita and France has never been known to have a panic in times of peace. The subject of finance presents a great opportunity for ambitious statesmen in Washington as they have given very meagre attention to this great subject.

Adams.

Washington, D. C. Dec. 30, 1912.

A FALSE RUMOR.

Near midnight Sunday a report was current in City Square that a conductor had been shot and was at a South Braintree house in a dangerous condition. The report spread like wildfire and nearly all in the vicinity were on the anxious seat for sometime.

It was thought at first that the man was in the employ of the Bay State Street Railway, but telephone calls to the car barns failed to locate him there. All signal towers along the Old Colony division were called and it was learned that no one employed by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad had been wounded.

Chief of Police Hunt of Braintree was acquainted with the rumor shortly after it started, but after an investigation he said that nothing had come out of it. Braintree residents were very much aroused by the mystery surrounding the report.

Several different clues lead to one person as starting the rumor and it is thought that it was the result of a threat made to a conductor by a Braintree resident.

POMEROY AGAIN MEETS DEFEAT

Fails In His Twelfth Attempt to Flee From Prison

NOTED AS SOLITARY CONVICT

Manages to Get Out of His Cell, but Is Quickly Intercepted by Guard In Corridor—Warden Thinks Convict Furnished Necessary Tools to Do Fine Drilling on Chilled Steel Bars

Boston, Dec. 31.—The officials of Charlestown prison believe that Jesse Pomeroy must have had an accomplice in his effort to escape yesterday. They are convinced that the drilling of the chilled steel bars of his cell door could have only been accomplished by finely tempered drills, with a ratchet to secure the necessary leverage.

Again and again through the inch solid bars the drill was passed until a slight physical effort would wrench them from the thin coating of steel which formed the shell or covering.

Pomeroy could not have fashioned the drill from anything which has gone legitimately into his cell, the officials believe.

Warden Bridges declared the prisoners at the penitentiary were all favorable to Pomeroy's escape. He said that at Cherry Hill, the designation of the "solitary" cell building, which has been the habitation of Pomeroy for thirty-six years, were many prisoners who worked in the machine shops of the prison. Among some of these convicts is believed to be the one who furnished Pomeroy with the necessary tools to secure his temporary release from a cell.

The files found on Pomeroy were not of a nature sufficient to enable him to make an impression on the steel door which stood between him and the corridor without.

These files are of tin. One is fashioned from the body of a salve box which Pomeroy had within his cell. None of the so-called files showed use on their roughly made teeth. Against the inch steel bars they would have proven worthless.

Since the attempt at escape, said to be his twelfth, Pomeroy has been closely questioned. The officials say he refuses to talk. But hereafter he will be searched and stripped each day when he is taken to the yard for his moments of exercise.

Outside of the regular steel barred cell door is another door to Pomeroy's cell. This is of oak and whenever anyone passes it is closed and the wicket through which the guard peeps in during his rounds, is also closed. This is to carry out the sentence of solitary confinement for life for Pomeroy.

How the man could have drilled and broken the bars and then have opened the oak door is the mystery.

The only window to the cell is on the top, or roof. It is considered likely that some friend or accomplice, passing by when the sentry was not looking, might have thrown the tool up and allowed it to drop down where the prisoner could have concealed it. Even this must have been quite a feat, as the cell occupied by him is regularly searched.

The horizontal drilling was apparently the first of the work. After the bars had been severed they were drilled vertically and a pin inserted in the upper part of the bar and in the centre of the lower part of the bar, another hole was drilled. As the upper bar was moved over the lower part of the bar, the pin dropped in the hole, making the two bars appear as if they had not been tampered with. It also held them upright.

The defeat of Pomeroy's attempt was not without sensational incidents. Thomas E. Brassill, a guard stationed at Cherry Hill, had made his hourly rounds, and had seen nothing to arouse his suspicions.

At 2:10 in the morning he saw "Buster," the prison cat, come dashing toward him. Turning around, he saw Pomeroy near the end of the corridor near the switchbox from which the lights of Cherry Hill are operated. Pomery had secured a screwdriver from the switchbox.

The guard called for Pomeroy to raise his hands and pointed his gun at him. Pomeroy obeyed. The guard says he "had to use a little force" to get the screwdriver from him.

Warden Bridges says Pomeroy could not have gotten out of Cherry Hill, as the door to the prison yard was locked and bolted. Even had he succeeded he would have had to run the gauntlet of the sentries posted on the walls of the prison, lighted by a big arc light which floods the yard and makes objects clearly defined within.

Maine Lumbermen Made Happy

Bangor, Me., Dec. 31.—The snow for which Maine lumbermen have been wishing has come, making a depth of eight to ten inches where the ground had been bare and adding enough to what had already fallen in some sections of northern Maine to make good hauling on the logging roads.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

NOVEL BAKED APPLE DESSERTS.

SOME delicious desserts which are as wholesome as they are appetizing may be made with baked apples.

Apples in dumpling are often a trifle indigestible, but if you will try the following recipe you will have no cause to complain on this score:

Culinary Hints.

Baked Apple Dumpling.—Take a cupful of sugar and cream it with quarter of a cupful of butter. Add a beaten egg, one-half a cupful of milk and one and a half cupfuls of flour mixed and sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Half fill a buttered deep earthen dish with sliced tart apples, pour the batter over the top and bake about an hour. Serve with hard sauce.

Apples En Casserole.—Cut the apples in quarters, then put in a buttered casserole dish and cook until you can pierce them. Take out and sprinkle sugar over them. This will melt and run through the hot apples.

Delectable Concoctions.

Baked Apple Pudding.—Take one cupful of sugar and cream it with one-quarter cupful of butter. Add one beaten egg, one-half cupful of milk and one and one-half cupfuls of flour mixed and sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Half fill a buttered deep earthen dish with sliced tart apples, pour the batter over the top and bake an hour. Serve with hard sauce.

An Apple Medley.—Wash and core six apples and boil slowly until the skins can easily be removed. When peeled dip each apple into one-half cupful butter, then into a cupful of sugar and last into some shredded cocoanut. Chop one-half cupful of dates and stoned raisins together and fill the place where the core has been taken out. Bake in slow oven until the sugar shines.

Baked Apples and Nuts.—Take five or six large tart apples, remove the eores carefully, being particular not to break the outside skins. Fill the cavities with walnut meats, then bake in a quick oven. When done place in a dish and pour over them whipped cream or milk. Serve while hot. Do not take the skin from the apples, otherwise they will burst in cooking.

Anna Thompson.

COMMISSION SCORES NEW HAVEN ROAD

Recommends Better Supervision and Discipline

Boston, Dec. 31.—There is sharp criticism of the New Haven railroad in the report which the Massachusetts railroad commission gives out on the Stoughton collision of Nov. 28, this year. The commission says that the accident was due to loose methods of signalling or lack of it and declares one engineer's failure to flag is inconceivable and inexcusable; that the employes there were well aware of the situation in general.

It points out that laxity in the observance or enforcement of rules is far reaching and that once an employe allows himself to violate the rules he is more apt to do so again. The recommendation is made that the "management of the New Haven maintain a system of supervision and discipline" which will enable it to reduce to a minimum accidents on the roads which it operates in this state.

FIVE ARE LAID UP

Foreign Diplomats at Washington Are Attacked by Sickness

Washington, Dec. 31.—Sickness has invaded the diplomatic circle and five members of the foreign colony are laid up. The minister from Chile, Eduardo Suarez; the minister from Cuba, Antonio Martin-Rivero; Carlos M. dePena, minister from Uruguay, and Colombia's diplomatic representative, Julio Betancourt, all are confined to their legationary residences.

Countess Von Bernstorff, wife of the German ambassador, also is among the invalids, being so ill that she has cancelled all her social engagements.

DUEL IN NEW YORK

First Case Recorded In Gotham Courts For Over a Century

New York, Dec. 31.—For the first time in over a century a charge of duelling was lodged against two men in a court of law in this city. One was a Frenchman and the other an Italian.

Both acknowledged they had attempted to settle differences over the Balkan war by a trial at arms in the Bronx. The principals, Viegro Dutto and Charles Van Cent, were remanded for sentence. The maximum penalty for the crime is ten years in prison.

Malicious.

Gladys—I refused Fred two weeks ago, and he has been drinking heavily since. Ethel—Isn't it about time he stopped celebrating?



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YEGGS ROUNDED UP

Band of Seven Said to Have Planned Big Safe Robbery

New York, Dec. 31.—Satisfied that they have in custody one of the boldest bands of safe robbers ever picked up here, the police are congratulating themselves that in the arrest they forestalled a robbery that would have been remarkable for the amount of the booty.

The robbers, seven in number, the police allege, had planned a New Year's celebration that included blowing the strong box of Patrick Pennachia's Italian bank at Morris avenue and One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, which, it is said, usually holds upwards of $300,000 in cash and negotiable securities.

The chief witness against the men will be Nettie Briggs, 20 years old, and Mrs. Josephine Pauls, in whose apartments at 2552 Seventh avenue four of the suspects were arrested. She is understood to have given valuable information to the police.

EVEN DECEIVES EXPERTS

Spurious Counterfeit Five-Dollar Note Declared Almost Perfect

Washington, Dec. 31.—Alarm seized officials of the United States treasury upon the discovery of a remarkable counterfeit $5 silver certificate, the most dangerous imitation of American currency since the famous "Monroe head" $100 bill was suppressed in 1898.

So nearly perfect is this spurious note that officials of the cash room of the treasury declared it was genuine and unswervingly held to their belief that it was a washed note.

Herman Moran, assistant chief of the United States secret service, detected slight variations from the original, however, and stamped it unqualifiedly as a counterfeit.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

In effect September 28, 1912

The letters in the same line as the figures below stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows.

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, * Saturdays Only, f Harrison Square, g Savin Hill, h Crescent Avenue, i South Boston, r Quincy Adams, † Except Saturday. Exp.—Express train.

TO BOSTON

Leave	Stop	Arrive
r 5 14	abcdefghi	5 41
r 6 16	abcd	6 35
r 6 33	e	6 49
r 6 40	abcf	7 00
r 7 08	abcd	7 30
r 7 25	d	7 42
r 7 33	Exp	7 48
r 7 42	ab	8 00
7 57	a	8 13
r 8 09	abcd	8 31
r 8 29	a	8 46
r 8 53	ad	9 10
r 9 15	abc	9 33
r 10 03	a	10 20
r 10 19	abcdefghi	10 45
11 12	a	11 28
r 11 24	abcdefgh	11 50
12 04	a	12 20
r 12 19	abcdefghi	12 45
r 1 20	a	1 37
2 04	a	2 20
r 2 19	abcdefgh	2 45
r 3 13	Exp	3 28
4 04	a	4 20
r 4 26	abcdefgh	4 52
5 06	Exp	5 20
r 5 30	abcdefg	5 55
6 12	ab	6 32
*6 59	a	7 16
†7 05	b	7 22
r 7 22	Exp	7 37
7 29	ab	7 46
r 8 07	abcdef	8 30
r 9 10	abc	9 28
*9 17	Exp.	9 32
r 10 07	abcdef	10 30
*10 19	a	10 35
r 11 25	abcd	11 45

FROM BOSTON

Leave	Stop	Arrive
5 45	ihgfedcba	6 14 r
6 12	ihgfedcba	6 39 r
6 30	a	6 47
7 15	hgfedcba	7 41 r
7 41	a	7 58
7 45	c	8 03 r
8 35	ca	8 52
8 42	b	8 59
9 10	fedba	9 32 r
9 45	a	10 01 r
10 15	ihgfedcba	10 41 r
10 55	Exp	11 10
11 15	hgfedcba	11 41 r
11 50	a	12 07
12 15	hgfedcba	12 41 r
12 37	a	12 54
12 50	Exp	1 05
1 17	fedcba	1 44
1 45	a	2 01
2 15	fedcba	2 37 r
2 35	Exp	2 50
3 15	hgfedcba	3 40 r
3 45	a	4 02
4 12	fedcba	4 34 r
4 41	c	4 58
4 57	a	5 11
5 14	a	5 31
5 24	a	5 42
5 31	dcb	5 50 r
5 43	a	6 00 r
5 55	fedcba	6 21 r
6 14	Exp	6 30 r
6 31	ecba	6 52 r
7 00	fedcba	7 24 r
7 12	a	7 28
8 05	fedcba	8 28 r
*8 20	Exp	8 35
9 25	dba	9 46 r
*9 35	Exp	9 51
10 35	fedcba	11 01 r
*11 07	a	11 25 r
†11 10	fedcba	11 35 r
*11 26	ba	11 43 r
†11 30	ba	11 49

SUNDAYS

r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 30 ba 6 48 r
8 30	Exp	8 45	8 45 ihgfedcba 9 13 r
r 8 46	bcdefghi	9 13	9 05 Exp 9 21
r 9 13	abc	9 33	10 15 ihgfedcba 10 42 r
9 31	a	9 47	12 15 ihgfedcba 12 42 r
10 23	ac	10 40	12 45 Exp 1 01
11 05	Exp	11 22	1 30 ihgfedcba 1 57 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 43	2 15 hgfedcba 2 42 r
1 02	Fxp	1 17	3 15 ihgfedcba 3 42 r
r 1 16	abcdefgh	1 43	4 27 cba 4 48 r
r 3 16	abc	3 30	5 15 ihgfedcba 5 42 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 43	6 15 ihgfedcba 6 42 r
r 5 07	abc	5 27	7 00 cba 7 19 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 43	8 15 ihgfedcba 8 41 r
7 15	Exp	7 30	8 45 a 9 01 r
r 7 21	abcdefghi	7 47	9 30 ihgfedcba 9 57 r
r 8 16	abcdefghi	8 43	10 45 cba 11 04 r
9 12	a	9 30	
r 10 46	abc	11 05	

West Quincy for Boston (stopping at East Milton)-6.22 6.56, 7.16, 8.03, 8.10, 9.07 10.08, 10.58, A. M. 12.08, 1.19, 2.08, 3.18, 4.08, 5.18 6.06, 7.19, 8.59, 11.13 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.19, 9.20 A. M. 12.59, 5.14, 6.59, 11.02 P. M.

Boston for West Quincy (stopping at East Milton)-6.35, 7.27, 8.20, 9.35, 10.25 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 15.47, 6.18, 7.20, 9.20, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M 12.38, 4.37, 5.37 10.15 P. M.

Montclair for Boston 6.20, 7.23, 8.17, 10.14, A. M. 12.14, 1.25 4.14, 5.20, 6.12, 7.26, 9.06, P. M. **Sundays** - 8.26, 9.26, A. M. 1.06, 5.21, 11.09 P. M.

Boston for Montclair 9.35, 10.28, 11.35 A. M. 12.25, 1.35, 2.45, 3.35, 4.35, 5.22, 6.18, 9.10, 11.20 P. M. **Sundays**- 8.58 A. M. 12.38, 4.37, 5.37, 10.15 P. M.

Bay State Street Railway Company

TIME TABLE
In effect Oct. 3, 1912.
(Subject to change without notice.

Leave QUINCY for

Braintree, 6.15, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Braintree,** 6.25 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 10.25 P. M **Sundays,** 7.55 A. M. and then same as week days.

Brockton, 6.15, 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 8.50 P. M., then 9.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.50 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Brockton** 6.20, 7 A. M., and every 30 minutes to 9.30 P. M. **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

West Quincy, and **East Milton,** 5.30 5.50, 6.10 A. M., and every 20 minutes to 11.10 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.50 P. M.) **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return** leave **East Milton,** 5.55, 6.15, 6.45 A. M. and every 20 minutes to 11.45 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays, 12.10 midnight.) **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M., then same as week days.

East Weymouth, 6.00, 6.15, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.05 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **East Weymouth,** 5.50, 6.15, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.45, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.45 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Houghs Neck, 5.15, 5.35, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 6.50, 7.40 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. **Return** leave **Houghs Neck,** 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M. then 12.10 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.20, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05 A. M. every 30 minutes to 11.35 P. M.

Neponset via Hancock Street,—5.45 6.20, 6.50 A. M. and every 30 min. to 10.50 P. M. then 12.50 midnight. **Sundays,** 6.50 A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.40 7.10, 7.40 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.10 P. M. then 12.35 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.40 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset via Wollaston—6.03, 6.33, 7.03 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.03 P. M. then 11.20, 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.03 A. M., then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, A. M. and every 30 minutes to 11.25 P. M. then 11.42 P. M. and 12.12 midnight. **Sundays,** 7.25 A. M. then same as week days.

Neponset, via Norfolk Downs, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 8, 8.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10 P. M. (**Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11 P. M.) **Sundays,** 7.30 A. M. then the same as week days. **Return,** leave **Neponset,** 7, 7.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes to 10.30 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30 P. M.) **Sundays,** 8 A. M. then same as week days.

Weymouth Landing, 5.20, 6.00, 6.20 6.55, 7.25 7.55 A. M. then every 30 minutes, until and including 10.55 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.25, A. M. then same as week days. **Return,** leave **Weymouth Landing,** 5.45, 6.15, 6.40, 7.15 7.45 A. M. then every 30 minutes until and including 11.15 P. M. **Sundays** 7.45 A. M. then same as week days.

Leave NEPONSET for

Squantum, 6.25, 6.55, 7.25, 7.55, 8.25, 9.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 4.35 P. M. then 4.55, 5.25, 5.55, 6.25, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35 P. M. **Wednesdays and Saturdays,** 11.30, P. M. **Sundays,** 7.35, A. M. every 60 minutes to 10.35 P. M. **Return,** leave **Squantum,** 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 5.00 P. M. then 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 P. M. **Wednesdays** and **Saturdays,** 11.50 P. M. **Sundays,** 7.15, 8.00 A. M. every 60 minutes to 11.00 P. M.

THOMAS GAMMON,
Superintendent.

BOMB PLOTTERS ARE SENTENCED

Ryan, Head of Ironworkers, Gets Heaviest Sentence

SEVEN YEARS HIS PUNISHMENT

Others Range From Six Years Downward, While Six Men Get Off With Suspension of Sentence—Pleas For New Trial Overruled—Appeal to Be Taken to Court of Appeals

Indianapolis, Dec. 31.—Seven years at hard labor in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., was the heaviest penalty imposed by Judge Anderson on the thirty-eight labor leaders branded felons by a jury in the dynamite conspiracy case. This was the punishment meted out to Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, and was one year more than was given to the other men who were considered Ryan's chief lieutenants in destroying the works of the American Bridge company throughout the country.

Six men got off with suspensions of sentences, while the penalties imposed on the others ranged from one year and one day's imprisonment to the sentence imposed on Ryan. The chief sentence other than that imposed on Ryan was six years, the penalty fixed in the cases of John T. Butler, Buffalo; Eugene A. Clancy, San Francisco; Olaf A. Tveitmoe, San Francisco; Herbert S. Hockin, Detroit; Michael J. Young, Boston, and J. E. Munsey, Salt Lake.

Four years in the penitentiary was the fate of John H. Barry of St. Louis and Peter J. Smith of Cleveland.

Three years was the penalty that was given Charles Beum, Minneapolis; Murray L. Pennell, Springfield, Ills.; Edward Smythe, Peoria, Ills.; Henry W. Legleitner, Denver; George Anderson, Cleveland; Ernest G. W. Basey, Indianapolis; Paul J. Morton, St. Louis; William E. Reddin, Milwaukee; Michael J. Hannon, Scranton; William J. McCain and Wilfort B. Brown, Kansas City; James H. Coughlin, Chicago; Frank J. Murphy, Detroit; Hiram R. Kline, Muncie, Ind., and Edward Clark, Cincinnati.

Among those sentenced to two years is Frank J. Higgins, Boston.

Previous to the sentences Judge Anderson denied motions for a new trial and for a stay of sentence.

Appeal is to be taken in every instance to the United States circuit court of appeals at Chicago and Anderson will be asked to admit the men to bond. Everything failing to release the men here, pending an appeal, a writ of supersedeas will be asked of the circuit court of appeals in Chicago to secure temporary liberty.

Attorney Krum bases his appeal on ninety assignments of error taken during the trial's progress. The jury's action in holding certain defendants guilty for acts preceding their entry into the alleged conspiracy is declared by Krum to be ample grounds for appeal. He said the verdict in this respect was contrary to the court's instructions. Consideration of the appeal cannot come up in Chicago before June.

The thirty-eight prisoners, handcuffed to officers, were marched in the rain from the county jail to the federal building. The line attracted only passing notice from small street crowds.

Within the courthouse no one was permitted to congregate along the way the men went. The wives and relatives of the labor officials and a few selected spectators had been seated in the courtroom.

WANT LAW ENFORCED

Chicago Ministers Object to Saloon Order of Chief of Police

Chicago, Dec. 31.—The climax of the reformers' war on the New Year's eve orgy came when 500 ministers marched on Mayor Harrison and demanded that he prohibit violations of the city closing ordinance and stop disorderly scenes in cafes tonight.

A mass meeting preceded the parade to the mayor's office. At this meeting the ministers discussed legal proceedings to be taken to close the saloons at 1 a. m., if the mayor does not rescind the chief of police's order extending the closing time until 3 a. m.

Harvester Capital Now $40,000,000

Augusta, Me., Dec. 31.—Notification of an increase in the capital of the International Harvester company of Russia from $8,000,000 to $40,000,000 has been received by the secretary of state. The company is a Maine corporation.

Farman Carries 880 Pounds

Paris, Dec. 31.—Maurice Farman at Toussus le Noble tested a new and powerful type of aeroplane, especially constructed to carry loads of provisions and ammunition. With a passenger he easily transported a cargo of 880 pounds.

FRANK M. RYAN.

President of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers' Association.



KINGS GREET PRESIDENT

Rulers of Italy and Germany Wish Americans Happy New Year

Washington, Dec. 31.—New Year's greetings were received at the White House from the sovereigns of Italy and Germany. King Victor Emmanuel of Italy sent to President Taft the following message:

"Many good wishes to you and your country for a happy New Year."

The message to the president from Emperor William of Germany read:

"At the close of the year I express to you and to the American people my sincerest good wishes for the coming year."

DEATH SUDDENLY CLAIMS DIPLOMAT

German Foreign Minister Expires While Visiting Sister

Berlin, Dec. 31.—Herr von Waechter, German foreign minister, died suddenly at Stuttgart, where he was spending the Christmas holidays with his sister.

The deepest regret is expressed by all government officials, not only because Waechter was liked by many, but because his death is a keen loss to Germany in the present European situation.

Herr von Kiderlen Waechter was regarded as one of the most astute statesmen of Europe. He was largely instrumental in the formation of the triple alliance—the league of Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy. In the Moroccan imbroglio that for a time promised to involve Germany and France in a war, he conducted the German side of the controversy with such consummate skill that he won the plaudits of the world.

THE MONEY TRUST PROBE

President Has Power to Aid, According to Wickersham's Opinion

Washington, Dec. 31.—President Taft has power, if he desires, to give the house money trust probers all data now in possession of the comptroller of the currency as to national banks, and he also has authority in his discretion to direct that official to collect certain information.

This was the substance of Attorney General Wickersham's opinion sent to President Taft on Nov. 9 and just made public by the attorney general in order to clear up "confused and erroneous statements" circulated during the last few days.

OLD CASHIER RESIGNS

Held Position In Boston Postoffice For Half a Century

Boston, Dec. 31.—After holding the position for fifty years, Henry S. Adams has resigned as cashier at the Boston postoffice. At his own request he will be relieved on Jan. 1 by Postmaster Mansfield of the responsibilities of his position and will assume the duties of assistant cashier. James N. Greig, the present assistant cashier, will be promoted.

Adams has been led to ask for a transfer to a less responsible position owing to his advancing years and impaired health.

Private "Movies" For Kaiser

Berlin, Dec. 31.—In one of his castles the kaiser has caused a "movie" to be installed and distinguished guests are entertained with a choice assortment of films.

Molybdenum Found In Quebec

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—The government has notification of a rich discovery of molybdenum near Wakefield, Que. This mineral is used for hardening steel and armour plate

Heavy Snow In the Northwest

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 31.—A severe snowstorm now prevailing in the Cascade mountains has disarranged schedules on all northern trans-continental lines and trains are running from five to twenty-four hours late.

REV. DR. HARDY'S LETTER

(Continued from Page One)

seventeen million communicants were represented. It was a great meeting in every respect.

The personnel of the Council was exceedingly interesting. One of the first persons to particularly attract my attention was Gov. Marshall of Indiana. It was my good fortune to be with a small group who met him on his arrival at the council, and was present when he was interviewed by the reporters. I shall never forget his straight-forward and clear assertion of belief in the unique divinity of Jesus Christ and his assertion that a sane and masterful religion is imperative for national prosperity. It is good to have men with such convictions at the head of our national affairs. Ex-vice president Fairbanks made a fine address. At the response to the roll-call were bishops galore, college presidents by the score, noted authors, eminent jurists, statesmen, famous editors, noted specialists in social service, secretaries of national missionary organizations, moderators of denominational assemblies in fact as distinguished a body of men as I have ever seen.

The programme was splendidly arranged to facilitate the accomplishment of the greatest amount of work with the least loss of time.

A "gray book" of about 150 pages contained the reports of the executive officers and the ten standing commissions of the council. Appended to these reports were resolutions presented for action. Bear in mind that these reports embody the results of the most patient, scholarly and accurate investigations of distinguished groups of men representing the various denominations covering in most instances a period of four years. The commissions reported on the following co-operative Protestant activities. Foreign missions, home missions, family life, Sunday observance, temperance, literature and education, week day religious instruction, church and social service, arbitration and peace, and evangelism. A speaker culling from his report the most significant features would briefly state the findings of his commission and present after explanation the resolutions for the endorsement of the federated churches. Specialists in his department would make further statements and eloquent pleas for united action. Then there followed open discussion, often with several men seeking recognition at once. In this way a large proportion of the three hundred and fifty delegates appeared before the Council.

The council became a veritable institute on the greatest activities of the church in modern life and these reports of the various commissions registered a decided advance in Protestant co-operation. And I use the term Protestant advisedly. For in all the addresses I do not recall a single hostile utterance against the Jew, the Catholic, or those other religious bodies which have not yet federated with the council. And there were many expressions of hope that ere long all the religious organizations of our country may unite not organically but co-operatively in a common warfare against every form of evil. It means much in every way that so large a proportion of the religious forces of our country have ceased their hostilities and have reached agreement to work together for definite objectives. It is the prophesy of better things to come. Further it may be said that the impulse for federation is growing so rapidly that in many a community, as reported, all the religious forces even now are working together for the common interest.

The council very wisely refused to make too rapid haste. It was content in doing what could be done and well done. It was the general conviction that it will take time and patience to re-adjust denominational activities to a co-operative programme and basis. But the conviction was profound that the re-adjustment is assured and that never again will there be the revival of the competitive spirit which marred the religious life of the nineteenth century. Those who expected that the council would usher in a new era by a radical declaration were disappointed but those who are able to read the signs of the time accurately were inspired with great hope and faith. The lack of discordant notes and friction, the splendid spirit of harmony, the sincere desire of this large body of leaders of Christian thought and activity for federated action cannot well be overestimated.

There were great popular gatherings, banquets, receptions and other social functions. It was well nigh impossible to determine the denominational affiliation of the men one met till it was stated, they were so much alike. And there was just as much difficulty in declaring the section of the country represented by a speaker. And there was a delightful consciousness of a national religion, and a citizenship which knows neither east nor west, north nor south. The writer was a delegate to the inter-denominational council held in New York city in 1905—the progenitor of the Federal Council. Then there was suspicion and hedging and friction. Seven years has wrought a wonderful change and the meeting just held is a long way in advance of the position held a decade ago. With the excellent work now being done another decade ought to mark such a forward step as to arrest the attention of the whole Christian world.

Edwin Noah Hardy.

La Grange, Ill. Dec. 28, 1912.

JUDGE WAS HOODWINKED

Mrs. Wahl's Allegation In Suit to Annul Divorce Decree

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Astounding allegations of conspiracy to obtain a divorce by false representations in a Chicago court were made before Judge Hurd by Mrs. Grace Brown-Herbert-Guggenheim-Wahl. She told the inner history of her separation from William Guggenheim, the smelter millionaire, when she stook the stand in her suit to annul the decree she admits was "put over" Judge Dunne in 1901.

The former Mrs. Guggenheim told how after much pressure she consented to accuse her husband of infidelity and falsely represent herself a resident of Cook county.

She denied she was seeking to obtain money from the Guggenheim family by bringing the suit at this time, and said her only object was her own rehabilitation in the eyes of the world.

Both Guggenheim and his former wife have married again.

WATCH PARTY ON COMMON

City of Boston Will Officially Greet the New Year

Boston, Dec. 31.—Boston has prepared to greet the incoming year of 1913 in a manner that has never been eclipsed in the history of the city. For the first time the city officially observes the new year with an immense watch party on the common at which the mayor will preside.

In Chinatown, the Chinese residents of the city have prepared their welcome in a manner royal enough to mark their adoption of the new year of the west, and to make Jan. 1, 1913, a red letter day in their new calendar.

Good "Bum" Is Dead

New York, Dec. 31.—"Bum," bull terrier mascot of Madison street station, who saved many lives by warning people of fires, is dead. He is credited with more than a thousand "rescues" in six years.

Edison's Latest Invention

New York, Dec. 31.—Thomas A. Edison says he has perfected a kinetophone, a talking machine that works in harmony with moving pictures.

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Aurora, Ill., Dec. 31.—A seventeen ounce baby girl was born in the city hospital here. The child is perfectly formed and apparently is strong. Mrs. Eva Roote of Aurora is the mother.

Lake Shore Merger Barred

Columbus, O., Dec. 31.—Federal Judge Sater rendered a decision in favor of the government in the suit to prevent the merger of the Lake Shore and Hocking Valley railroads.

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Oct. 9-tf

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Anna O. Ohlson to Eugene B. Hamilton dated Oct. 25, 1911, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1195, Page 415, will be sold at public auction for breach of conditions contained therein on the premises hereinafter described on Wednesday the eighth day of January A. D. 1913, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by the said mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows, viz: a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Quincy, Mass., called Wollaston, being lot numbered twenty-three (23) on a plan called "Milton Terrace" Wollaston, Mass., dated Feb. 1909, Ernest W. Branch C. E. and recorded with said Deeds, at the end of Book 1113, and is bounded Southeasterly by Eddie Street fifty (50) feet, Northeasterly by lot numbered twenty-two (22) on said plan seventy-five (75) feet; Northwesterly by lot numbered twenty-eight (28) on said plan fifty (50) feet; Southwesterly by lot numbered twenty-four (24) on said plan seventy-five (75) feet. Containing 3750 square feet of land more or less according to said plan. Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments if any there be. Terms made known at time and place of sale.

For further particulars inquire of the undersigned at 805 Old South Bldg., Boston, Mass.

EUGENE B. HAMILTON,
Mortgagee and present owner of said mortgage. Boston, Mass. Dec. 16, 1912.

3t 17-24-31

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John W. Hall late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Sarah F. Hall of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the fifteenth day of January A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

3t 31-6-13

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BOWLING

In the Fore River League match Monday evening at the Coliseum alleys the Yard buried the Hull Draftsmen, 1370 to 1202; the Shipfitters beat the Electricians 1391 to 1276 and the Pipefitters beat the Machinists Floor 1378 to 1252.

Smith of the shipfitters made 109 for high string and Smith of the Yard rolled 311 for best total. A number of good singles were made by men on the losing team, but their work was not consistent throughout.

The scores:

PIPFITTERS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Katean	94	87	90	271
Hough	104	82	89	275
Blake	104	101	92	297
Stevenson	76	82	87	245
Bliss	108	87	95	290
	486	439	453	1378

MACHINIST FLOOR.

Akengl	87	104	72	263
Ford	78	86	74	238
Casey	80	88	80	248
Bergfors	78	80	76	234
Williams	89	80	100	269
	412	438	402	1252

YARD.

White	101	109	84	294
Antony	88	81	71	240
Kiley	90	79	97	266
Mills	79	94	86	259
Smith	107	103	96	311
	465	471	434	1370

HULL DRAFTSMEN.

Olson	67	85	90	242
Elcock	76	75	76	227
Butler	79	75	76	230
Ryan	83	89	76	248
Froum	84	84	87	255
	389	408	405	1202

SHIPFITTERS.

Fields	99	106	99	304
Hansen	93	94	91	278
Burke	92	102	84	278
Smith	80	95	109	284
Hyens	71	84	92	247
	435	481	475	1391

ELECTRICIANS.

Gallagher	75	88	84	247
Lincoln	108	92	87	287
Mahnat	87	86	93	266
Beemon	60	68	79	207
Porter	96	82	91	269
	426	416	434	1276

CITY SQUARE ALLEYS.

The leaders in the weekly prize roll off at the City Square alleys are closely pressed by a large list of entries, and it appears that R. Olsen will hold his score of 318 for the best three string total. He also kicked the bunch for 128 for best single.

C. Carlson is leading with the most number of nines, having eight to his credit. R. Olsen is leading with a score of 343 in the contest for the three high non consecutive rolls.

TEN STRING MATCH.

A 10 string match has been arranged for Jan. 16 between Grant and Bliss of Quincy and Kiley and Smith of Weymouth. Grant rolls with the City Square alleys in the Old Colony League. The other men are regulars with the Fore River League and have been netting high scores. A ripping contest is expected when these four clash.

The youngsters returned to school Monday with more vigorous and elastic step, keyed up by the holiday and the holiday spirit and what came of it.

BRIEFS

Proportional representation is well named.

John Atkins of Clive street who has been ill with pneumonia for some time is rapidly improving.

Mrs. Julia Rogers of Webster street who has been ill with the grip for some time is able to be out again.

Dr. and Mrs. John L. Merrill of Fayette street have returned from a visit to relatives in Beverly over Christmas.

Earl Beeman, aged five of Botolph street, Atlantic, had the misfortune to fall on the ice Saturday and break his collar bone while playing.

Mrs. I. M. Whittemore of Bigelow street is entertaining her mother, Mrs. T. M. Johnson and her sister Mrs. J. L. Sweet and little daughter Laura of Allston.

Miss M. Lizzie Furnald who returned from the Quincy Hospital just before Christmas and is convalescing at her home on Washington street, was able to take a short walk today.

Now is the time to redeem your pledge to the Hospital campaign fund, as ready money is needed the first of the year for Hospital improvements. Nathan G. Nickerson of Wollaston is treasurer of the board of trustees.

The regular meeting of the Delta Sigma Club which was to be held Monday evening at the home of Miss Iva Briggs was postponed on account of the inclemency of the weather until next Monday.

Miss Daisy Brooks entertained at whist Thursday evening in honor of Miss Olive Fay who is attending a girl's school in Rochester, N. Y. Prizes were awarded the winners and ices served by the hostess.

DISCREDITS REPORT.

Ruth A. Pomeroy of 47 Pearl street North Weymouth, mother of Jesse Pomeroy, when informed of her son's attempt to escape from the Charlestown prison, refused to credit the report, saying: "I will not believe it until I know for a fact that he made the attempt.

"It would only take a rumor to make a mountain about him. Last year,it was said, he made an attempt to escape, but, after all, there was nothing in it. Jesse wrote a letter to me denying he made an attempt and they would not send it to me from the prison, but I did get a short letter some time later, and in this one he told me he did not try to escape at all.

"Jesse told me in the presence of the prison officials that he did not make any attempt to escape. The whole truth of the attempt was that they thought he would try to, that's all."

Mrs. Pomeroy, who is almost 70 years of age, has been suffering from a cold for several days.

CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned take this method of expressing their sincere appreciation of the kindness of the many friends, who by their presence and gracious gifts, including silver coffee set, flowers and many other things aided in making our silver wedding anniversary a most happy occasion. We shall ever treasure the most kindly feelings towards the friends who aided us in that celebration.

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HARVARD AND OTHER COLLEGES

Come in For Scoring Because They Are Out of Sympathy

TOO CAPITALISTIC

Assailing Harvard college and endowed institutions similar to it as grossly ignorant of the needs of our modern life, of encouraging instead of discouraging, by its lackadaisical attitude, the use of liquor, and criticising the absence of a more universal elective system. Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale astonished his auditors at the University club, 270 Beacon street, Boston, Monday night. He did not limit his remarks to Harvard college, stating that they applied generally, but that he had used Harvard as an illustration because of the personal interest resulting thereby.

He said further: "The curriculum of colleges, 50 years ago, was better than that of the present day. The college of today turns out conventional types of mind.

"The whole spirit of Harvard, for instance, is dominated by Boston. Harvard does not dominate Boston as by right it should. And the reason? It is not in sympathy with the people, in short, because it, and others like it are capitalistic, not wholly, but in the main.

"An illustration of this is a certain great college in the Middle West which has received several millions of dollars toward its support, and whose president, to show his faithfulness, defends monopoly at every opportunity.

"The university is not doing its part in the world's work. It is not alive. It is not a leader in thought, not a model of educational efficiency, nor does it realize its obligations to the public.

"It prefers to keep aloof as though it were a sacred thing. College presidents and professors very seldom give a warm welcome to the reporter, yet upon the very elements he represents depends the means of coming into touch with the people and of securing cherished and always warm place in their hearts.

"The university should be a bubbling fountain of strength and fresh dazzling thought. It should be a force for the good not only in its object of education, but as an individual developable entity, denouncing what is wrong, favoring what is right, helping to decide through example the correct principles of hygiene, ventilation, the proper clothing, proper methods of thought and hundreds of other things.

"We have but faintly realized the possibilities of the university, but the most important, first and basic consideration is the control and support of all higher educational institutions by the state."

Pres. H. A. Garfield of Williams college was the only other speaker. His subject was "The Panama Canal Bill."

He considered especially the clause calling for the exemption of American coastwise vessels from all tolls. His arguments were very few and were all directed against our breaking our faith with Great Britain.

He made it quite plain, though he did not state it in so many words, that it was a matter of principle rather than patriotism, or a regard for our pitifully small merchant marine, or further still a regard for the fact that the retention of the clause would reduce the cost of foodstuffs and fruits from California and the Western part of South America.

He declared that we should give the benefit of the doubt to the nation that is most interested, which is obviously Great Britain. Pres. Garfield does not believe the question should be submitted to the Hague conference. He spoke of it as a shame to the good name of America, and a violation of international law.

FRIENDLY SQUIRREL.

There is a squirrel in Wollaston which insists on being friends with all the residents along Grand View avenue. He has a regular route which he follows every morning. At one house he receives bits of cake, at another peanuts, at another candy. As soon as he gets a contribution he scampers away to hide it, and as soon as he hides it an inquisitive bluejay digs up the cache. Between the bluejay an the marauding cats the squirrel seems to have a slim diet, but he keeps sleek and fat nevertheless. His friendliness has increased to such an extent that now he enters one of the houses after a little preliminary chatter at the kitchen window, hops into the dining-room and helps himself from the nut dish on the table.

LIFE SAVERS ALMOST LOST

After Splendid Battle Saving Lives of Others

THEIR CRAFT CAPSIZED

After a desperate battle against heavy seas and a 30-mile gale at Seven Mile Beach, life-savers succeeded in rescuing 10 of the 11 members of the crew of the ocean-going tug Margaret, Monday.

In attempting to launch a lifeboat from the Margaret, James Duffin, a member of the crew, was drowned while the life-saving crew from Tatham narrowly escaped a similar fate when their power boat capsized and all hands were thrown into the sea.

All, however, reached the beach in safety, although several were so badly exhausted that they had to be carried ashore by spectators who rushed into the surf and dragged them out. Duffin's body was washed ashore.

The Margaret is being pounded to pieces by the heavy surf, while the Government's abandoned power boat washed ashore at Avalon.

The wrecked tug, towing barges C. J. Hearne, Somerset and Atlantic from New York to Norfolk, struck a submerged wreck at Ford Inlet, four miles east of Stone Harbor. Water rushed through a big hole torn in her bow and in an effort to prevent the tug sinking in deep water with all aboard, Capt. Scott ordered the barges anchored and cut adrift.

He then proceeded with all speed toward the shore. The water reached the lower furnaces before the Margaret grounded on a bar two miles north of the Tatham Life-Saving Station, whose crew put out to the rescue.

Their efforts were blocked by the upsetting of their boat, but the rescue was later effected by the life-saving crew from the Avalon Station four miles away.

BURIED AT MILTON.

The funeral of Albert Drew, who died in his 61st year Friday, was held from his late home 34 Mechanic street, East Milton, Monday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Bygraves, an old friend of the deceased. Burial was in the Milton cemetery. Mr. Drew was one of East Milton's earliest settlers. He was of a retiring disposition and well liked by the residents. He leaves a brother and sister.

WILL BE CREMATED.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Weld (Williams) Dewson, widow of Edward H. Dewson took place Monday afternoon from her late home 235 Adams street. Services were conducted by Rev. C. T. Billings of Lowell and were private. The remains were taken to the Massachusetts Crematory at Forest Hills.

Mrs. Dewson died Saturlay after a long illness. She was well known in Quincy having made her home here for many years.

She leaves four sons, Frank, of Chicago; George of Milton, William I., of Quincy; Edward of New York and two daughters, Mrs. William S. Stone of Providence, R. I., and Miss Mary N. Dewson of Quincy.

Satellites of Saturn.

Photometric studies of six of the principal satellites of Saturn, made by Guthnick of the royal observatory of Berlin, indicate a confirmation of the previous conclusions of other observers that several, and perhaps all, of these satellites behave like our own moon in keeping always the same side toward the planet around which they revolve. In regard to the satellite named Tethys, an interesting hypothesis is offered to account for its very marked changes of luminosity. The theory is that Tethys possesses the form of a long ellipsoid, the two principal axes of which are to one another in the ratio of five to two. A similar suggestion has been made concerning the shape of the asteroid Eros, which likewise exhibits great variations of light, according to its position in its orbit around the sun.—Harper's.

MARRIAGES

BRENNAN—MURPHY—In Dorchester, Dec. 29, by Rev. Fr. Keating, Mr. James W. Brennan of Neponset to Miss Margaret Murphy of Dorchester.

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Disinherited

By HELOISE BRAYTON

When Tom Pickering was first married it didn't seem to him that he would ever care to spend an evening anywhere except with his dear wife in their cozy little home, and for the first fortnight he went nowhere in the evening unless he took her with him.

During the second month some of his prematrimonial cronies were having a little poker party and telephoned him to join them. He did so.

That was Pickering's first relapse, but not his last. Indeed, he had a great many of them—so many that he found it difficult to find excuses for them. Mrs. Pickering was a dear little woman and a very sensible one. She argued that if she found fault with her husband for leaving her alone nights while he enjoyed the pleasures of bachelorhood there would arise a series of altercations which would render his home unpleasant to him and he would stay away altogether.

Nor was this the worst of it. A man hobnobbing with men must spend money. He can't avoid it. It's a game of billiards, a cigar, an evening at the theater. This all makes a considerable total. The consequence was that when his wife felt like enjoying an evening where she might listen to music, of which she was very fond, the husband's expenditures had so reduced the exchequer that there were no funds for the purpose.

This wasn't right. Pickering knew it wasn't right, but found himself unable to break away from his associations. He said the only way to do that was to leave the place where they lived and go to some other. But when his wife asked him how he was going to get a position in some other place he had no answer. He looked sober, and that ended the conversation.

So Mrs. Pickering fell into the habit of enduring without complaint.

One night when Pickering had gone out there came a ring at the telephone. Mrs. Pickering answered the call and learned that her husband's aunt was very ill and Tom was to come around immediately. The aunt, a maiden lady of sixty and in chronic bad health, was very fond of her nephew, and it was expected that she would make him her heir. Mrs. Pickering held a lengthy conversation with her informant, the old lady's housekeeper, with a view to taking steps to find the missing man. But it led to nothing, and Mrs. Pickering concluded to go to the sick woman herself.

She found the invalid suffering great pain. A physician was present, and the house was in a hubbub. The old lady was sure she was going to die and had sent for her lawyer to add a codicil to her will covering some small bequests she wished to make. Seeing her niece, she called her to her bed and told her to go to the telephone and not cease her calls till she had located Tom. He was the only relative she had in the world and she must have him with her when dying.

Since Tom Pickering was attending a show frequented only by men—no one knew where—his wife was unable to reach him. She gave it up and announced the fact to his aunt.

The old lady meanwhile had got a temporary relief and was in fine condition to be angry with the man she wanted and couldn't get. She began a fire of questions at his wife as to his habits which the poor woman tried in vain to parry. The old lady was very sharp and drew out the fact, in spite of Mrs. Pickering's efforts to conceal it, that Tom was away most of the time nights, spending it with his men cronies.

"And what do you do?" asked the sick woman.

"Oh, I am a great home body. I don't mind staying alone.

"H'm!" The old lady thought a few moments, then asked that the attorney be sent to her. When he came she directed him to draw a will for her to sign leaving all her property to Mary Ellen Pickering. The young wife was present and heard the order. She was much relieved, thinking that the old lady was about to disinherit her husband and leave her property elsewhere. Ellen made no comment, sitting silent until the will was drawn, signed and witnessed. Then she put her arms about the testator and assured her that she would live to make a dozen wills.

At midnight Mrs. Pickering went home, intending to return early in the morning. Tom came in about 2 o'clock and was about to go to his aunt when a telephone message came stating that the invalid had passed away. Mrs. Pickering gave her husband an account of what had passed excepting that he had been disinherited in her favor.

The day after the funeral the will was opened in presence of those interested and Tom Pickering, who was not named in the instrument. When he heard his wife's name read out as inheriting what he had expected he was astonished. Then, recovering his equanimity, he said:

"Well, it's all in the family. You can transfer it to me, you know."

But Mrs. Pickering had endured quite enough from having the family income controlled by her husband, and the transfer was never made. Indeed, she controlled the income of her inheritance herself. However, Tom had received a lesson and turned over a new leaf. He is now a middle aged man and does not care to spend money for trifles. But he would prefer that his aunt's estate should be in his possession.

ONE PLAYER KNOCKED OUT

Stetson-Quincy Game Called at End of First Period

GAME TIED 11 TO 11

The Quincy Gym Girls and the Stetson High School basket ball game at Randolph, Monday evening, was called off in the second period with the score 11 to 11, after Miss Edith Mullen of Wollaston collided with a Stetson girl and was thrown backwards. She struck on the back of her head and was stunned for the moment. She was unable to continue playing and because Quincy had no substitute the game was called.

The game had been eagerly looked forward to by all the basket ball fans in the south shore. The first contest at St. Mary's hall, West Quincy, resulted in a loss for the Stetsons. and special preparation had been made to wrest the honors from the Quincy Gym girls

The game was spectacular from the start. First one side would score and soon after there would be a tie. With the halves running nip and tuck the interest was intense and the loud cheering continued during the scrimmages. Friends on the side kept calling to the players to shoot from all angles and several difficult shots were made on both sides.

Miss Mullen was performing in a wonderful fashion for Quincy when she met with the accident. She has been in the game but a few weeks, having sustained an injury to her ankle a short time ago. Miss Smith also did well for the locals. Miss O'Neil, who is rated one of the finest players of the season did well for the Stetson team.

The game will be played in February.

QUINCY GYM.		STETSON HIGH
Isidora Beal	rf	lb Marjorie Holman
		lb Winifred Hess
Mildred Smith	lf	rb Rena Wrisley
Edith Mullen	c	c Bertha Teed
Ruth Hildebrande	rb	lf Alice Keefe
Helen Beal	lb	rf Agnes O'Neil

Score, Quincy 11, Stetson High 11. Goals from floor, Mildred Smith 3, Edith Mullen 2, Agnes O'Neil 4. Goals from fouls, Mildred Smith, Agnes O'Neil 3. Referee Miss Pray. Umpire Frank. Scorer H. Mitchell. Timer, C. Mullen. Time 15m periods. Attendance 200.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 1.

Breakfast on steamer is provided and New York is reached at 7.20 A. M. The forenoon will be devoted to sight-seeing about the city. Luncheon provided at hotel. Leave New York at 2.00 P. M., via the Royal Blue Line. Seats in parlor cars included. Arrive Washington at 7.00 P. M., and transfer to a first-class hotel, where rooms and meals will be provided for the stay at the National Capital.

MARCH 2—3—4 (INAUGURATION DAY.)

In Washington. Under direction of conductor the principal public buildings, including the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, etc., etc., will be visited. Tuesday, March 4th is Inauguration Day. The Inauguration of the President of the United States, while lacking the pomp and glitter of a coronation, is a magnificent and soul-stirring spectacle. The first event of the day is the parade of the United States regulars, West Point and Annapolis Cadets, escorting President Taft and President-elect Wilson from the White House to the Capitol Building, in front of which takes place the actual Inauguration ceremonies, including the administration of the oath of office, to Mr. Wilson by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Then follows the great parade when the Army, Navy and Malitia and the veterans of the Civil War pass in review before President Wilson, and down Pennsylvania Avenue. Seats will be provided from which both parades will be seen to the best advantage. In the evening the grand Inauguration Ball is held in the immense Pension Building, for which the members of the tour will receive tickets. The entire floor of this building is cleared for this event and the decorations are on a lavish scale. The music is by the Marine Band and the toilettes of the ladies, the splendid uniforms of the members of the foreign legations and of the officers of the Army and Navy form a brilliant spectacle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5.

On Wednesday a pilgrimage will be made to Mount Vernon, the home and last resting place of the immortal Washington. The trip will be made by electric train over the Washington-Virginia railway and a stop will be made at historic Alexandria and a visit paid to Christ Church, where Washington worshipped, and the Marshall House where Ellsworth was killed.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6.

Transfer will be provided from hotel to depot in season to leave Washington in parlor car on 9.00 A. M. train for New York. Luncheon in dining car is included and New York is reached at 2.00 P. M. Leave New York at 5.00 P. M., on Fall River Line steamer. Staterooms assigned and evening dinner served.

FRIDAY, MARCH 7.

Arrive Fall River at 5.30 A. M., connecting with train for Boston.